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LAST MOVE BORGUM IS AFTER BAKER

SCULPTOR ANNOUNCES INTENTION OF PLACING MORE DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE BEFORE THE PRESIDENT IN EFFORT TO CLEAR HIMSELF

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Secretary of War Baker was under fire today from Gutzon Borgum, sculptor-investigator, in the latter's efforts to clear himself of charges that instead of using his influence with President Wilson to further private aircraft interests.

In an open letter to President Wilson, Borgum announced his intention to place before the president evidence which would show the scope in an effort to clear himself of these claims. In his letter Borgum accused Secretary of War Baker of having been a "puppet" in the administration of the aircraft group, and never have such confidence been more westerly shown. I refer here to Major General Squier, Howard E. Coffin, Colonel Dool, and Colonel Montgomery. They appear everywhere in the fine network of falsehood and camouflaging.

Partners in the above statements to the public; they deliberately lied to you and framed up their statements, particularly their failure, mislabeled, and so forth before the senate military committee and they clearly are responsible for no evidence, no plans, no propellers and our "military" appropriations.

Senate probes, along with the justice investigators, will continue their trail into the aircraft situation this week.

BOLSHEVIK LEADER HELLERS FOR HELP

(By United Press.)
MOSCOW, May 13.—Nicholas Leonid, Bolshevik premier, has sent the following message regarding "stragglers" in a "castro" position and demanding help: "A counter revolution is raising its head, turning the discontent of the starving masses against the soviet government. American Ambassador Pravda has returned to Volga."

Four Moscow newspapers have been suspended because they published reports of a German ultimatum. Over 50,000 copies of the papers were destroyed and their presses closed.

GERMANY OUTLINES VIEWS AS TO CRIMES

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Germany explains her advance into Crimea, in an answer to a soviet protest, by saying she considers herself forced to occupy Sevastopol in view of the attacks made by the Russian Black Sea fleet on Kherson and Nikolayev. This was indicated in a note from the German government in Moscow that Germany had no intention of forcing any partition of power of government in Crimea, but said that provisions should be subject to the Russian-Ukrainian treaty.

ASKS SIX BILLION DOLLARS FOR GUNS

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—The war department today asked congress for an appropriation of approximately six billion dollars for heavy, medium and light artillery. This is in addition to the nation's stockpile of \$150,000,000 placed before the house military committee by Secretary Baker last week. The big ordinance estimate was placed before the house appropriations committee this morning by Brigadier General John D. Harbo, chief of the acting chief of coast artillery, and from the "justification" bill will be framed.

PONTIAC FIGHT

(By United Press.)
CHICAGO, May 13.—Katherine Blinson, 27-year-old, infamously postponed to-day her marriage flight. Unfavorable weather was the reason given.

TO ASK DEATH OF ELEVEN MEN

(By United Press.)
EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., May 13.—The prosecution today asked for the death of eleven men placed on trial here today, charged with lynching Robert Praeger, alleged pro-German. At Collinsville, April 5. Fear of the misery they may be made victims of pro-German outrages and the additional plea that super-patriotism carried away the mob, will be the defense.

GERMAN ATTACK ON ITALIANS IS FAILURE

(By United Press.)
ROME, May 13.—The enemy attacked Montecoso, after an intense bombardment Saturday night, but was arrested by our fire. The Italian war office stated the attack was a failure. "A German counter attack and inflicted heavy losses on him."

ARTILLERY ACTIVE OVER WIDE FIELD

(By United Press.)
PARIS, May 13.—Artillery on both sides of the Aisne was reported by the French war office. French troops penetrated the German lines north of Nomeny (between the American sectors of Toul and Lunville) and brought back prisoners. "A German surprise attack in the region of St. Die (south of the Lunville sector) failed."

SURVEY SHOWS HEAVY GERMAN WAR STRENGTH

(By United Press.)
PARIS, May 13.—General Gaudier of the French general staff, announced today that information showed 40 German divisions (400,000 men) between the Le Bassac canal and Ypres, or all men to every yard. The same ratio, he said, is maintained by the Germans between Le Bassac and the Ome.

FORMER ROYAL FAMILY IS HEAVILY GUARDED

(By United Press.)
ZURICH, May 13.—The correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung in Garmisch visited Dierbach castle, where the former Russian royal family of Romanoff are imprisoned. They are guarded by 25 soldiers of the Sobotsovsk soviet, armed with rifles, who are sworn both to protect them and to prevent their escape. Archduke Nicholas, refusing an interview, explained that he had "nothing to say."

EVIDENCE INDICATES FAR-REACHING PLOT

(By United Press.)
LONDON, May 13.—Details of a plot to overthrow the government and establish the capital in Oporto, were made public today. The police found two thousand bombs and a "blacklist" containing the names of persons to be assassinated. Quiet now prevails.

DESTROYING TONNAGE NEEDED AFTER WAR

(By United Press.)
AMSTERDAM, May 13.—After the war, making submarine warfare has not brought peace any nearer. In the meantime, we continue to destroy tonnage that will be needed after the war," Herr Vogthor, independent socialist, declared today in the debating chamber. An Admiral von Capelle's declaration that unrestricted submarine warfare is winning the war.

"MOTHERS' DAY" IS OBSERVED IN FRANCE

(By United Press.)
WITH THE AMERICANS IN PICARDY, May 13.—"Mothers' Day" was observed today in France. Thousands of letters from the United States troops to their mothers were rushed from the Picardy sectors.

FIGURES SHOW GROWING SUBMARINE INACTIVITY

(By United Press.)
PARIS, May 13.—During February, March and April, 4,511 ships passed through the English Channel. It was officially announced today. The Germans claim to have sunk 600,000 tons of shipping during April. This statement is false, as only 208,704 tons were sunk.

BRITISH NOT LACKING IN APPRECIATION

MILITARY AND GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIALS PAY GLOWING TRIBUTES TO AMERICAN NATION AND FIGHTING FORCES REPRESENTING IT

(By United Press.)
LONDON, May 13.—At a time when America's participation, militarily as well as navally, financially and economically, has reached effective proportions, British appreciation is glowingly expressed in the following statements to the United Press:

BY LORD ALFRED MILNER
Secretary of State for War
America is rapidly filling up the gap in the strength of the allies created by the failure of Russia. A war such as this can only be won decisively by superiority in manpower and material, as well as in fighting spirit, and with America's aid, that superiority is certain.

In altering her own military plans to meet the urgent need of her allies in the west, America has shown not only a perceptible increase of the meaning of "single front," but the most generous spirit, sportsmanship and comradeship.

BY LORD RIBBON
British Food Controller
Without the aid of the United States we could not have been providing for the allies to feed their troops and civilian populations during the last six months.

The self-sacrifice displayed by the American people and the efficiency of the U. S. Government in providing necessary supplies have been, and are, not only an incalculable but immediate benefit to the allies, but of permanent value to the struggle for the maintenance of civilization throughout the world.

BY ANDREW BONAR LAW
Chancellor of the Exchequer
I was certain the United States would assist the allies financially to the full extent of her ability. I can gladly say this expectation has been fully realized. The British budget shows how timely and necessary was the financial assistance of the United States which enabled us to borrow from her as much as we loaned to our allies.

BY ADMIRAL LEWIS BAYLEY
Commander-in-Chief at Queenstown
On the anniversary of the arrival of the first United States warships at Queenstown I wish to express my deep gratitude to the United States officers and men of all ratings for the skill, energy and unflinching good nature they have shown and which qualities have so materially assisted in the war by enabling in the ships of all allied powers to crush the alien with comparative freedom.

To commend you to an honor; to work with you is a pleasure, and to know you is to look to the best interests of the Anglo-Saxon race.

BORGUM PREPARES FOR SEARCHING PROBE

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Gutzon Borgum, whose charge in connection with America's aircraft production program has created a sensation, is preparing a hot fight to uphold his allegations against the government's aircraft work.

He has submitted new evidence to the senate military committee which led Senator Hitchcock to state today it might be necessary after all to call Borgum to testify in the senate probe. He also submitted new evidence to government disclosures of his alleged "dual activity"—promoting an airplane stock company while probing the government's aircraft program. Senator Brandegee will present Borgum's answer to the senate tomorrow or Wednesday.

The justice department inquiry was extended today with the announcement that the work has made it necessary to appoint an assistant.

WILL DRAFT THOSE NOW TWENTY-ONE

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Conferees agreed today on the measure drafting those who have become 21 since Jan. 5. The dispute was over exemption of medical and divinity students. Under the compromise students already in the schools will be exempt from registration but students who enroll from this time on will not be.

WHOLE EARTH ROCKED BY FIRE OF BIG GUNS

Battle Front in Picardy a Seething Inferno of Death Dealing Destruction. Glare of Heavy Artillery Resembles Sheet Lightning on Summer Night, Americans in Forefront.

(By FRED S. FERGUSON
United Press Staff Correspondent)
WITH THE AMERICANS IN PICARDY, May 13.—Tonight in Picardy the doors of hell seemed literally opened. Sereching demons of death filled the air. Founding guns jarred the earth as if all the evil forces below were endeavoring to break through. The flare of the guns and the flash and roar of bursting shells appeared like great fires sweeping the rolling fields. With the setting of the sun there was no rest. Then warrens loaded with ammunition and supplies, started for the front. Patrols crept across No Man's Land. The artillery turned night into a line of terror and punishment.

The United Press fleet is just back of the front. Army fires are in bloom everywhere. Lilies and daisies grow up to the door. At dusk a nightingale perched near the window and started its evening song. Beyond the lilies and daisies and over the nightingale's song (transferred the song of war.

Like Sheet Lightning
If you have ever noticed sheet lightning in a hot sky on a summer's night, multiply its intensity hundreds of times and you'll have a picture of this American-German artillery duel as it

rages against the heavens. Imagine huge blast furnace doors thrown open at very frequent intervals. That is how the flickering glare of the cannonade illuminated the sky tonight, as the larger guns let go. Amazing explosions of warrens rocked as though shaken by great hand, doors flew open, windows rattled violently, furniture quivered. As the American heavies fired, the departing shells could be heard on their way to the German lines. Each shell sounded like an express train leaving the railway station. Such death-dealing trains halt at German stations only.

Two Buildings Demolished
Two additional buildings were demolished by American fire at Cantigny last night. American batteries kept the enemy under heavy bombardment. Such artillery activity as this starts every night at dusk and continues until after midnight. Then there is a respite until 8 or 3 o'clock in the morning when the cannonade is resumed and later.

German shells screech through the air with a swish and a whine, but the American fire is far heavier. The Americans are continuing to repulse attempted German raids.

GERMAN LINES ARE THINNING OUT AT PLACES

HEAVY DRAINS ON MAN POWER COMPELS CUTTING DOWN OF FORCES OPPOSITE AMERICAN POSITIONS—OUTPOSTS DESERTED

(By FRANK H. TAYLOR
United Press Staff Correspondent)
WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, May 13.—As information gleaned from German operations opposite the American front indicates a thinning of the enemy lines because of the drains on German resources from Picardy. The American sectors are far stronger than they were previously, regarding the German "predominant" through this scarcity of man power.

American patrols found Anserville (in the Lupelle sector, three miles northwest of Ebonville) deserted. It had been a former German outpost and the scene of much patrolling. The German no longer attempt to hold their shell hole outposts, retiring to safer positions to avoid fighting with the Americans. German prisoners indicate the lowest grade of German troops are here.

Northwest of Toul, American artillery holds a "traveling circus" of special German storm troops, organized for special use for highly defensible positions. There are no German planes over the American positions any more.

German Airplanes Arrive
Although a special German air squadron arrived to punish the American aviators, the enemy planes are offering no bombs, except far behind the battle lines.

On the Verdun front, the Americans have learned that the German lines are sparsely held. The boches are substituting frequent bombardments of high caliber and for German outposts. This also is taken by American officers to indicate the enemy is weaker.

In all sectors the enemy's outer positions, trenches and gas projectiles have been badly damaged by the American artillery without causing any appreciable loss from the Germans. American patrols this morning penetrated the German wire in the Toul sector and found a number of German bodies in the enemy's advanced positions. These boches are believed to have been killed by the American bombardment.

Machine Guns Active
German machine guns are active against Secheprey (in the Toul sector). To the Lorraine and Verdun sectors, the Americans have concentrated German wires early and conducted extensive explorations without encountering any resistance.

Bells heaved over by the German gas projectiles recently set off a "hiss" and "pop" popularly designated "hiss cans." They are 18 inches long and 8 inches in diameter, blunt at both ends and contain three or four gallons of H. gas, which evaporates rapidly and is not particularly penetrating. The gas is a form of phosgene and is capable of spreading a dangerous vapor over an area of fifty yards.

"Hiss Cans" Fired Out
The "hiss cans" were fired out first through the phosgene, but the "hiss cans" were fired out of the former to force them to remove their gas masks and sneeze, thus enabling the phosgene to do its deadly work.

Gas used in the trenches and the dogboys are too handy with their masks.

SUBMARINE WARFARE WILL BE CONTINUED

(By United Press.)
AMSTERDAM, May 13.—Admiral von Capelle, German minister of the navy, addressing the Reichstag, declared the German naval offensive is stronger than at any time since the beginning of unrestricted submarine warfare. The April reports from the submarines were favorable, he said.

Herr Pflieger, a centrist, said that despite the differences of opinion in the Reichstag, it was agreed that the submarine warfare should be kept up.

UNIFORMS ADMITTED
NEW YORK, May 13.—All men in uniform, soldiers and sailors, will be admitted to the American League. The "Fols ground" here was announced today.

FAMOUS LEADER OF DEATH ARMY IN RUSSIA HERE

WOMAN WHO DECLINES TO STOP FIGHTING GERMAN SAYS SHE WILL DIE IN FRANCE

(By United Press.)
A PACIFIC PORT, May 13.—The leader of Russia's famous battalion of death, Mme. Maria Leontievna Botchkova, is on her way to war once more. Driven from Russia by the Bolsheviks, her command of 1000 loyal Russian women departed from Moscow. Botchkova arrived in America on an Oriental steamer.

"I am on my way to France, and expect to die on the battlefield." This was all she had to say when she arrived on the ship. She is a widow, however, told of the daring escape from Russia of this modern Joan of Arc, who insisted on fighting Germany even though her fellow countrymen had quit.

Disgusted as Present
She crossed Siberia clad as a Russian peasant woman. At Vladivostok she was repeatedly threatened with arrest, and finally took refuge on a British cruiser in the harbor. Again, before she could leave Vladivostok, soviet officers threatened her, and this time she was taken aboard an American transport.

Accompanying her are her young daughter and her aide, Captain P. Phillips, the only man ever connected with the battalion of death.

Mme. Botchkova got in touch with the British consuls as soon as she arrived here. She was closely guarded at her hotel, and would see no one.

THIRTY-EIGHT ONE REPORTED MISSING

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—The names of thirty-eight soldiers, mostly New England men, are among the missing reported in today's casualty list. They probably were captured by the Germans at Secheprey. Today's list contains a total of 98 names including 10 killed in action, 9 dead from wounds, 1 from disease, 2 from accidents, 1 from other causes, 15 wounded severely and 10 wounded slightly.

AMERICAN DEAD WITH CANADIANS

(By United Press.)
OTTAWA, Ont., May 13.—The following American are mentioned in today's Canadian casualty lists: Wounded: R. L. Hopington, Detroit; Mich.; H. J. Smitham, Iron Wood, Mich.; H. C. M. Gault, Los Angeles, Cal.; Cassel G. D. McClellan, Los Angeles, Cal.

CAN'T RECONCILE CANADIAN VIEW WITH THE FACTS

STATEMENT AMERICAN ARMY NOT TO BE USED UNTIL POWERFUL UNIT PUZZLES OFFICIALS

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Canadian announcement that the entire battle line of the American army only when it became a powerful separate unit caused surprise here today.

There had been no indication of any such shift in plans for brigading the Americans with the allies and that the identity of the United States forces. In the absence of Secretary Baker, other officials maintained their silence as to the significance of the statement. As Baker was expected back from Europe at Camp Green, at Charlotte, N. C., today, some explanation was anticipated.

The cheering factor in the published Canadian statement was its supposedly confident air. It showed new strategy by the allies in dealing with the Germans with the fewest possible troops, yielding when necessary, but maintaining a strong reserve. It pointed out that Germany has massed her air, and that now it is only a case of victory deferred for the whole of Europe and of certain dates for the Toul sector.

Conflicting Views Puzzled
"This strain of optimism differed from the warning of British Ambassador Reading here against a "false optimism." This is the second time in recent days that the foreign British statement have failed to tally with utterances from British sources here. These conflicting views mystify authorities here.

Especially is the Canadian announcement a surprise in view of the recent clamor for more Americans specifically, and because under the strain of this alleged, General Porshing agreed to the brigading of Americans with the British and French.

If the German is as badly off as the Ottawa statement would indicate, or if the entente is as well as of the announcement claims, then the situation is far better than military authorities here have believed it to be.

WASHINGTON KNOWS NOTHING

(By United Press.)
WASHINGTON, May 13.—Nothing is known at the war department concerning the British official statement that the American army will be used only when it comes to full individual strength.

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FARM OR BOOK FILE

Man power counts for more today than it ever did. Every ounce of energy is needed to help win the war.

Throughout the nation there is a detestation for the man who is content to be idle, who is willing to be merely a leecher during the supreme hour of human history.

"Go to work or go to jail!" is the crisp expression used by sheriff, chiefs of police, city marshals, mayors, governors and various officials all over the United States in announcing the intention of war upon idlers in their territory.

Boys from this town and county are fighting to win the war, and it is little enough to demand that every man at home must work to win the war.

SAVING FATS

Saving fats is an important item of food conservation, but fats should be saved by avoiding waste, not by cutting down consumption. It is often observed that fats and oils in the diet act as preventives of pulmonary tuberculosis.

Reprisals in cases of harsh treatment of prisoners by the enemy are threatened by the British. So far, the Germans have evidently acted on the belief that it is too hard, if not impossible, for the British to behave like Hannu.

PERSONALS

Mrs. E. Price, of Boise, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. E. Smith. Miss Clara Barrett of Gooding is a guest at the home of Sheriff and Mrs. F. M. Kendall.

INCREASED CROP FROM A REDUCED AREA INDICATED

REPORT GIVES EXCELLENT PROSPECT OF A BUMPER CROP OF WINTER WHEAT IN IDAHO

The winter wheat outlook in Idaho May 1 was for an 8,242,000 bushel production. This will be harvested from 20,000 acres less than was planted for the 1917 crop, but the smaller acreage that has been abandoned and the high condition of the crop at present, forecast a larger production, according to the report of Julius H. Jacobson, of Blackfoot, Idaho field agent for the bureau of crop estimates.

The condition of the eye crop was 90 per cent, forecasting a production of 40,000 bushels to be harvested from 2000 acres.

Following the average of other crops has resulted in some hay land being broken up. The condition of the crop is good and a production of 2,334,000 tons is indicated, as compared with 2,387,000 tons harvested last year.

SCHOOL YEAR AT CURRY IS CLOSED

SUPERINTENDENT HAL O. CURRY AWARDED DIPLOMAS AND DEPLAS

Eighth grade graduation exercises took place Friday evening at Union school, Curry, Hal O. Curry, superintendent of Twin Falls schools, delivered the address which was on a patriotic theme. Music was furnished by the Filer high school orchestra, under direction of Victor Pease.

TALKS ON WOMEN'S WORK IN WAR TIME

MRS. JOHN E. WHITE URGES SUPPORT OF STATE TUBERCULOSIS INSTITUTION

BOOK CREEK.—Mrs. J. E. White addressed a meeting of the B. O. L. club at the home of Mrs. D. P. Albee Friday afternoon. The subject of her talk was the "Activities of Women in War Time."

HUNGER RIOTS BEGIN IN RUSSIAN CAPITAL

(By United Press.) PARIS, May 13.—Hunger riots have broken out in Petrograd according to dispatches from that city, received by the Journal today.

USE TEACHERS AND FARMERS

LONDON, May 13.—Teachers from the first grade will be called up for military duty and 300,000 men will be withdrawn from the farms, it was learned today.

BOY WANTED

For janitor work at News office

SATURDAY IS CIRQUE DAY IN TWIN FALLS

BARNES' ORIGINAL WILD ANIMAL SHOW COMING WITH BENEFICIAL FEATURES

Next Saturday will be circus day in Twin Falls. The A. G. Barnes Big Four-Ring Wild Animal Circus is coming and will give two performances here on that date.

The coming of this great wild animal show always elicits a great deal of interest, as no other circus equals the Barnes shows for the multitude of their original wild animal features presented.

Practically the entire entertainment provided by this show is given by the use of educated animals—1200 in number—animals of almost every known species. The show is still a circus, however—a circus from which all tiresome and objectionable features have been eliminated, but which retains the many traditional elements that for years have made the circus the most popular form of entertainment.

For instance, there are innumerable equestrians, acrobats, jugglers, tumblers, high divers, bareback riders, etc. The performers are animals, yet their work is done with as much, or even greater, proficiency than one is accustomed to see in the human.

Animals of All Kinds. Prominent among the great features are presented are Tom, Dick and Harry, juggling horse-riding, sea lions; Sampson, the aviation lion, that rides to the top of the tent surrounded by shooting sky rockets; Big Bill, the wrestling grizzly; Mlle. Florine, and troupe of Russian jugglers, jugglers; Mabel Stark and group of Royal Bengal and Siberian tigers; the horse-riding lions on bears; high-diving dogs and monkeys; and the Barnes troupe of educated world's premium horses and ponies—50 of them.

The big sensational, thrilling spectacle of the program is the group of 24 man-eating African lions shown in one act by Venus Fashion. These lions are valued at \$50,000, and represent the greatest wild animal act ever known.

Fifty comedy elephants, bears, monkeys, dogs, goats, ponies, together with Danger, Dynamite and Mileamint-mules, assist the clowns in provoking laughter.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

MAY 10. J. R. McClelland to O. R. Smith, \$2,070, part NE SW 14-10-14 and part SE NW and part NW SW 14-10-14. Milwaukee Paper-Lumber company to G. J. Smith, \$250, 1 1/2 b 57, Bush. D. Smith to R. A. Parrott, \$1, 1 1/2 and 20 b 70, Twin Falls. W. Windhurst to High Line Good Farms, \$400, NE SW 35-10-16. High Line Good Farms to J. L. Kreiger, \$400, NE SW 35-10-16. T. W. Snodgrass to J. B. Cecil, \$1, NE SE 8-9-15. J. H. Boyd to E. D. Hunt, \$1, 1 1/2 and 7, Murlough. Crystal Springs Orchard company to C. G. Wood, \$1, NE SE 12-16. Hypotheekbank to G. L. Zimmerman, \$3700, SE NW and SW NE 8-9-15. T. L. Whitworth to C. Dudley, \$5000, NW SW NW 5-10-14. J. T. H. Fry to C. F. Key, \$800, part 1 1/2 Section-Schock addition, Twin Falls. Delana McNeal to E. C. McNeal, \$1, E 1/4 SE SW 20-10-16. C. A. Robinson to Pocatello Security Trust company, \$1, 1 1/2, 10 and 11 b 9, Blue Lake addition, Twin Falls. Harriet E. McNeil to F. H. Willmarth, \$850, 1 1/2 b 5, Turner addition, Kimberly. P. B. A. Bickel to Mary E. McCracken, \$1, 1 1/4 b 12, Bickel addition, Twin Falls.

5-ROOM HOUSE

5-room house, 338 1/2 rd Ave. E., good condition, fresh kalsomined, shade and lawn, good garden spot. For quick sale and terms see MUNSON & HARDER, Twin Falls Wholesale Grocery Co.

ENGINEER IS RETAINED FOR HANSEN SPAN

COMMISSIONERS SIGN CONTRACT WITH R. M. MURRAY, SPECIALIST IN STEEL BRIDGES

A contract under which R. M. Murray, of Billings, Montana, civil engineer and specialist in the construction of steel bridges, is retained as the supervising engineer for the construction of the suspension span across Snake river near Hannerton by the commissioners of Twin Falls county.

The engineer already has accepted the terms of the contract, and it has been forwarded to receive the signatures of the members of the Hillsdale highway district commissioners, who are cooperating with the Twin Falls county commissioners in the construction of the span.

The contract provides that the engineer shall receive four per cent of the cost of the bridge in payment for his services. A total of \$80,000 has been provided by bond allocations in the county and highway district and by appropriation of the state legislature for the building of the span. The commissioners have called for bids to be opened on Saturday, May 25. The supervising engineer is to arrive here some time before that date to assist the commissioners in the checking of plans and specifications and in awarding contracts.

Plans and specifications for the span have been provided by the Midland Valley Bridge & Iron company, and the commissioners have called for alternate bids on the plans submitted by each



Our optical parlor is up-to-date. If you need glasses we can fit you.

W. R. PRIEBE JEWELER-OPTICIAN Twin Falls

ASKS PERMISSION TO DISCONTINUE HEATING

(By United Press.) BOISE, May 13.—The Idaho Power company has asked permission of the public utilities commission to discontinue supplying electricity for heating purposes, owing to the increased demand for power for irrigation pumping.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A reception will be given by the Adult Bible class, formerly King's Runners, of the Methodist church, to Mrs. T. K. Heckman and family, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in the church parlors. Members of the class and friends invited to attend.

U. S. POULTRY FENCE, STRONGEST, cheapest, best, at Young Hardware Co.—Adv.

BOY WANTED

For janitor work at News office. Don't you want it? Advertise it in the Classified Column and get rid of it.

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No, Geraldine, it's not a new movie. Soft—but Satisfying

FARM BUREAU'S HOUSEWARMING WELL ATTENDED

MEMBERS AND OTHERS INTERESTED FROM PRACTICALLY EVERY SECTION VISIT OFFICES

Farm bureau members and others interested in the work of the organization from practically every section of the county took part in the "housewarming" Saturday afternoon in the new offices in the basement of the Corcoran building at the corner of Shoshone street and Second avenue south.

RECOVERS AUTOS LEFT BY JOYRIDERS

DEPUTY SHERIFF HUFFMAN LOCATES MACHINES TAKEN SATURDAY AND ABANDONED

Two cars which were abandoned by persons who had taken them without permission were recovered for the owner Sunday by Deputy Sheriff George Huffman. A car left standing in front of the Johnson Auto Sales company here Saturday evening by Frank Taylor of Ellor was discovered at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning, leaving the evidence in a deep camp in the woods near the creek as taken from school and runaways from their homes in Bohi, were paroled to Probation Officer John H. Ault by Probate Judge O. P. Dural after a hearing in their case Saturday, and returned to their homes and to school.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued here Saturday to the following: A. H. Hall and Vio Bello Lee, both of Bohi. Charles Blawie and Jennie Murrish, both of Twin Falls.

GET OUR PRICES ON BOUND OAK

Chief changes before you buy. Young Hardware Co.—Adv.

JACK PICKFORD IN A STORY BY MARK TWAIN

"RIGHT FROM MARK TWAIN'S PAGES," SAYS PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC LEDGER. "HIGHLY HUMOROUS"—N. Y. TRIBUNE.

"HUCK AND TOM" OF "THE FURTHER ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER"

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LOCAL BRIEFS

Predicts Fair Weather.—Fair tonight and Tuesday is the prediction of the weather bureau transmitted this morning through the local telephone exchange.

Closes School With Dinner.—School at Park Lane closed the year's work with a dinner for pupils and patrons which was largely attended and proved a pleasant social event. Miss E. Andrews was the teacher.

Report Closing Dates.—The county superintendent's office has been notified of the dates of the closing of the county in several districts as follows: Shamrock, May 15; Hansen, May 16; Pleasant View, May 17; Ellor, May 17; Rogerson, May 24.

Strike Small Affairs.—Three out of 35 girls employed at the They Laundry here Friday demanded increased wages and were refused for the reason, as Manager W. M. Postra explained, that they were getting all they were worth to the establishment. Operation of the laundry continued without interruption.

Marriage Get Recruits.—Charles H. Brewer, whose home is in Huntington Park, California, but who, for nearly a year has been a resident of the vicinity of Ellor, was transferred Saturday through the local marine corps recruiting station for enlistment in that arm of the service at Salt Lake.

Sacrifice in Great Cause.—O. E. Munson county food administrator, announces today that the following cases in Twin Falls have entered into an agreement whereby they have pledged themselves to abstain from the serving of wheat products in any form until the next harvest: Perrine cafe, Palace cafe, Herbst & Rambo.

Go Back to School.—Three youths ranging in age from 14 to 15 years who were taken in custody a week ago in a deep camp in the woods near the creek as taken from school and runaways from their homes in Bohi, were paroled to Probation Officer John H. Ault by Probate Judge O. P. Dural after a hearing in their case Saturday, and returned to their homes and to school.

Youthful Offender Paroled.—G. Koelander, aged 18, accused of the theft of a hog from the Central market where he had been employed, pleaded guilty to the offense in district court Saturday. Sentence was suspended by Judge W. A. Babcock and the youth was paroled to Probation Officer John H. Ault. Koelander's alleged job here is in need of funds to supply which he butchered the animal and sold the carcass to a local restaurant.

Serve as Recruiters.—Charles Des Brouere and F. J. (Eyer) Polman, members of the Eighth marine corps regiment stationed at Galveston, Texas, who are spending furloughs at their homes here, are in charge of the local marine corps recruiting station during the 10 day's absence of Sergeant W. B. McCracken on a recruiting trip. Seven days' extension of their furloughs was granted upon request of Captain A. M. Robbins of Salt Lake, in charge of marine corps recruiting in this district, who was here Friday.

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BASE CLAIM FOR CHAMPIONSHIP ON BOISE DEFEAT

TWIN FALLS HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL TEAM, VICTOR IN 'OUT OF GAMES' WITH CAPITAL CITY

By virtue of its victory over Boise by score of 5 to 3 in the second game of a two-game series here Saturday afternoon, Twin Falls claims the state high school baseball championship this year. Twin Falls defeated Boise in two games played at Boise by scores of 10-5 and 4-1. Twin Falls lost to Boise in the first game of the series played here by score of 8-7.

Boise Claims Superiority Boise claims the baseball championship in its district, by reason of dividing honors with Payette and confidence in its superiority over the Caldwell team, which it is to meet this week.

Hodges Star of Day Hodges, Twin Falls center fielder, was the star of the day. He virtually robbed Boise of three hits with three brilliant catches. In each case he caught the ball after a long run, and twice his catch retired Boise with men on third base.

FINDS BOYS ASLEEP IN STOLEN MACHINE BOISE YOUTHS ARRESTED HERE AS RESULT OF DETECTIVE WORK OF LOCAL AUTOMOBILE WOMAN

Asleep in the car which they had stolen from Boise the day before, two 17-year-old youths who gave their names as Glenn Bowles and Jerry Jensen, were arrested here at about 12:30 o'clock Sunday morning. They were returned over to officers who returned with them to Boise Sunday afternoon.

Arrest of the youths followed after they had been trailed through the streets here for about 30 minutes by L. E. Merrill, local salesman and the maker of car taken by them, who had been advised of word received by W. H. Stanley of the theft. The youths stopped their car in front of the local telephone exchange. They admitted their guilt and ascribed their belief taking to the fact that the car bore the number 112.

AT THE HOTELS ROGERSON—A. B. Clarke; W. W. Stabler, Boise; M. G. Rogers; W. T. Stephens, Lincoln; Mrs. M. G. DeLong, Orsham; Fargo and Wild, Orsham; T. F. Bowlin, Boise; F. O. Larin; Boise; E. Ray Guymar, Pocatello; J. B. McKinstry, Gooding; E. A. Beem, Ellor; Wm. Dix, Gooding; P. F. Leigh, Gooding; Ed. E. Smith, Rogerson; W. E. Hines; Joseph Beeman and wife; Alfred Mckelchen, Weiser; Wm. Deelan, Malib; Joss E. Smith, Rogerson; W. B. Berthelield.

PERRINE—Minerva Peterson; Paul Olmby, city; B. E. DeVosce and wife, Wendell; C. M. Price and wife, Wendell; J. J. Ford, Salt Lake; S. J. Heeger, Salt Lake; Bobb, Vawter; J. L. Griner, Salt Lake; L. L. Magallon, Salt Lake; J. E. Naiglor, Salt Lake; H. A. Powell, Denver; H. Hix, San Francisco; H. Reasler, Denver; Michael Black, New York; Frank Y. Green, Blackfoot; P. P. Johnson, Salt Lake; Mr. Ross, Salt Lake; W. M. Powell, Salt Lake; G. O. Street, Salt Lake; W. E. Long, Kasaan City; Moses Ayers, city; J. S. Andrews.

WAR FUND DRIVE LEADER RETURNS

STUART H. TAYLOR COMES BACK WITH BENEFIT OF EXPERT ADVICE AT RED CROSS INSTITUTE

Stuart H. Taylor, chairman for the Twin Falls County Red Cross chapter of the war fund drive beginning on Monday next in this district, returned Saturday from Seattle where he has been, in attendance at sessions of a Red Cross institute for Red Cross workers and drive leaders of the northwest division consisting of the states of Idaho, Washington, Oregon and the territory of Alaska.

Three hundred delegates are in attendance at this institute, Mr. Taylor said, and every phase of the Red Cross work is thoroughly explained by prominent leaders in the work.

On Thursday last the delegates were the guests of the Tacoma Red Cross chapter, visiting Camp Lewis, the city of Tacoma and the shipyards at its vicinity.

Mr. W. F. Edwards, chairman of military relief committee; Mrs. E. L. MacViney, secretary, and J. G. Bradley, treasurer of the Twin Falls County chapter, who are attending the institute, are expected to return here on Tuesday next.

BREAK INTO STUDIO THROUGH BASEMENT

TRACES OF TWO INTRUDERS WHO WRECKED SIBBER ESTABLISHMENT IN DARTWOOD FOUND

During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sibber, between the hours of 5 and 8 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Sibber studio, at the corner of Second avenue and Second street east was entered by burglars. The rooms were thoroughly ransacked, but nothing except two keys, so far as known now, was taken.

Tracks left on the loggin rug show that two men entered the building. Entrance was made through the basement door at the rear of the building after the glass had been smashed with a rock permitting of the unfastening of the lock. The intruders made their exit before the return of the proprietors and in daylight without attracting attention.

BOY WANTED For janitor work at News office

SHERIFF OBJECTS TO LANGUAGE EMPLOYED

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 12.—A. J. Fox and G. W. Purcell, officers of the Minnesota League, a publication of the National Nonpartisan League, were arrested today at the Leader office, on a charge of criminal libel. Sheriff Charles Livingston of Rice county was the complainant.

Sheriff Livingston recently stopped a farmers' meeting to discuss the coal situation. The Leader in an article of the affair said that "other meetings will be held and a monkey will be made out of the sheriff."

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OREGON EXCURSION MAY 15

Our next trip by auto to the Lake View country will be made May 15th. Fine soil and climate. Abundance of water for irrigation. Land selling for 75¢ per acre with thirty annual payments. Come in and let us tell you the particulars. Darrow, Morehouse & Brunk 113 Main Avenue East

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—6 room modern house and lot; price right. Phone 503-23 or P. O. Box 575.

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

FOR SALE—High grade piano, nearly new; will sell at half price and take Liberty Bonds in part or all. P. E. Dean, 302 Fourth avenue east.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Case 20-00 steam traction engine in good running order, very cheap; will take Liberty Bonds in part or all. P. E. Dean, 302 Fourth avenue east.

FOR SALE—A good piano at a price that will please. Phone 921.

FOR SALE—Good sound onions for sale at one cent per pound; excellent stock for home use; also potatoes, very cheap; will take Liberty Bonds in part or all. Anchor Hay, Grain & Feed Co., 240 Sixth Ave. West, phone 23. Free delivery within the city limits.

SEWING MACHINE EXCHANGE—305 Shoshone St. Gentilly used machines of all kinds; repairing of all machines a specialty; all work guaranteed satisfactory. E. A. Clisbee, Mgr. Phone 39.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. From eastern stock; order early. Phone 650-2, Box 414.

FOR SALE—Electric range, good as new, used 30 days. 501 Fourth avenue west.

WOOL SACKS FOR SALE—We have 25 second hand wool sacks for sale. Twin Falls Vinegar & Cider Co., one block west of depot.

FOR SALE—275 acres highly improved irrigated Billings; 4 miles from town; private ditch cost \$5000; 125 acres alfalfa, 45 winter wheat, and crops included; nine room fully modern home; joins river and ample pasture; sandy loam soil, no alkali; \$15,000 crops for sale; first mortgage also \$2000 in mortgage; \$100 cash of incumbrance; \$10,000 cash and balance to pay at 6 per cent. Box 1124, Billings, Montana.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good small Jonathan apple; also plants tomato, pepper, celery, etc.; any time except Sunday. J. M. Spackman, 1/4 mile northeast of city.

FOUND FOUND—A gentleman's gold watch. Owner may have by proving property and paying for ad. Box 447.

FOR RENT FOR RENT—40 acres plowed; near Hollister. See H. M. Sims, News office.

WANTED GIBB. WANTED—Apprentice on trousers and coats. A good opportunity for you. See Key.

WANTED—Carpetmen; wages 60¢ per day. E. A. Moon, contractor.

WANTED—Girl for store work at Herbst & Rambo's.

WANTED—Three passengers from Twin Falls to Omaha by Auto. Fare \$25.00. Leave May 25th. Phone 237.

MONEY WANTED—We have loans for private money as follows: \$2500 on \$4000, \$1250 on \$2000, 5 years at 5 per cent; first mortgages also \$2000 on 2 corner lots and building at 10 per cent, valuation 40 to 50 per cent. Call or write Ripley & Timm, the Real Estate, Ellor, Idaho.

WANTED—To contract with parties to bid on 80 acres of crop near Twin Falls; also at Bohi. Edwin Damman.

LOST LOST—Loverand suit shirt in pack, age. Return to Room 35, Jurtmanson. In. Roward.

MISCELLANEOUS RADIATORS REPAIRED—All work guaranteed. 100 Second avenue west.

OBSERVANCE OF BAN ON GAMES IS PROMISED

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICIALS NOTIFY OWNERS OF POOL AND CARD TABLES

Copies of the governor's proclamation closing throughout the state during the hours from sunrise until 10 o'clock p. m. pool and billiard tables, card tables and other devices where men may play games of amusement have been received here by city and county officials. Formal notice of the effect of the proclamation is being delivered to the owners of the games under the daylight ban, and a copy of the governor's provisions in this respect is promised.

Following is the text of the governor's proclamation:

Whereas: "The people of the United States in the present struggle against the evils of militarism, autocracy and barbarism, have vowed one and all that this war must end with the principles of civilization, liberty and democracy be re-established throughout the world; and

Whereas: "In order to win this war, it will require the mobilization of all the resources of this country, especially the man power, in order that an army and navy may be equipped; shipping and other essential supplies may be obtained; and agricultural pursuits intensified; and

Whereas: "A large part of the man power available will be compelled to go across the ocean to the fields of Europe, and the vast majority of those who will remain here will be engaged in a larger activity and a greater efficiency; and

Whereas: "It has come to my knowledge that within the state there are certain places of amusement where games are indulged in and people congregate during working hours, and the only use of such places is for the amusement and pleasure of the idle, which is contrary to the spirit of the American people in this crisis; and

Now, Therefore, I, Moses Alexander, governor of the state of Idaho, do call upon the county and municipal officials of this state to see that every place within the state of Idaho that has a billiard table, pool table, card table, dice table and other devices where men can play games of amusement, no matter whether in public places, stores, rendezvous, club rooms, either of private or fraternal organizations, or places of amusement, shall be closed at 10 o'clock p. m. each day, and that these devices of amusement be covered and no games be allowed in such places during the above specified hours.

Others are requested to every reminder of their community be not allowed to devote their time during above specified hours to playing games of amusement and therefore elicit their duties to their government, and the time they would need to help win the war—the great task which is now before the nation. We must let our boys do the battlefield work that we at home are doing our duty.

Deaths

INFANT HERRINGTON

The remains of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harrington, formerly of Twin Falls and now of North Bend, Oregon, were sent here and interred in the Twin Falls cemetery Friday afternoon. The infant was detected by Rev. O. T. Anderson at the Crosby chapel. Mrs. Harrington is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wood of this city. Her mother is with her now.

Miss Emma Overlock

Miss Emma Overlock, aged 63, died Saturday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Morris, two miles south of Hollister, after a long illness from heart disease. The remains were taken to Monday morning, through the Greenman & DeWitt undertaking establishment, to her former home in Ponda, Iowa, where funeral services will be held and interment made.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT TO CARRY ON FIGHT

(By United Press.) NEW YORK, May 13.—Colonel Roosevelt will carry to the senate his fight against Postmaster General Burdon, partly in the official records. Roosevelt's statement was in reply to a charge from Burdon that he was "incompetent," which he had retorted in an editorial he had written. The government of showing un-just discrimination in its dealings with certain periodicals.

SAYS REPUTATION IS IMPUGNED

A. V. MOUNCE SUES W. S. HYDE FOR \$30,000 DAMAGES, ALLEGING SLANDER AND LIBEL

Winfield Scott Hyde is the defendant in an action brought in district court here by A. V. Mounce for recovery of \$30,000 damages for alleged slander and libel. Both parties to the action are residents of Buhl and both are engaged in the real estate, loan and insurance business. Mounce is the successor to Hyde as the representative at Buhl of a loan concern.

The alleged libel is said to have been written by Hyde in a letter to the loan concern after he had been accused by Mounce in which the following phrase is alleged to appear: "Would not have cared very much succeeded by a white man, but—well the cannot might not pass my remarks if I included them in this, nor would they be profitable."

In conversation, Hyde is alleged to have stated that Mounce is a "muck-raker with the knife and that he is a slacker in respect to support of the Red Cross and army U. M. C. A."

FILER

FILER—John Penny has resigned his position as village clerk and has assumed charge of the Nibloy-Channelier company, at Filer, succeeding C. E. Brewer, who left the week for California, where he expects to enlist in the United States marine corps. Mr. Brewer's home is in California.

Wm. Bunce has been appointed by the county chairman to be the representative of this county between May 20 and 27. Filer citizens have been very liberal in their drives. During the Red Cross auction over \$8000 was raised for the local branch was relief work. This money will be kept here, and used for Red Cross work.

Mrs. Roy Woods of Montello, Nev., is a guest at the Ed Wilcox home.

B. M. Moore and father, P. M. Moore, returned to their home in Michigan Friday, after a visit here with Commissioner E. H. Filer.

Mrs. H. H. Schildman and Mrs. H. J. Weaver left Saturday evening for Seattle, Wash., where they will attend the institute. An Red Cross training school.

Mr. Arthur Scholten entertained on Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Norman Barker, who leaves for California this morning. These present were Mesdames Weaver, Schildman, Newberry, Wood, Thion, Anderson, Tark, Young, Barker, Childs, Harbo, Cass, Moore, Hanson, Sharp, McGinnis, Clark, Schaffner, Allen, Miss Scholten, and Mrs. Geo. Patton.

The Honor Guard girls wish to extend their hearty thanks to Mrs. Newberry for the beautiful hats she has so graciously loaned. These hats, which are now completed. Mrs. Newberry had charged of the entire work, being assisted by Mesdames Young, M. J. Macaw, R. L. Macaw, Rogers, Shaw, Shinn, Cedarvale, Childs, Harbo, Cass, Moore, Hanson, Sharp, McGinnis, Spencer, Murray, Roberts and Bunce.

E. O. Walker returned Sunday from a business trip to Nampa.

Miss Gladys Huffman of Logansport, Ind., following the death of her mother, John Musser and family made an overland trip to Nampa.

Balough Drake will leave soon for Chicago, where he will complete his course in music, returning here in the fall to enter school. Mr. Drake spent last summer in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hiff of Idaho spent Sunday at the Art Anderson home.

Editor J. L. Manro and family of the Filer, Idaho, has given to the Buhl into the Allen residence on Third east.

J. L. Damm and family have moved from the Wilson house on North street and will occupy part of the Young house.

H. S. Bamsayer, a wealthy and prosperous ranchman of this community, who left a week ago for Chicago, returned Tuesday with a bride, Mr. and the Woods rooms for several days, and departed for Hilly Friday in their car to look after his sheep in that country. Congratulations are extended to the young couple.

Griffiths of Fort Collins, Colo., who was called here by the death of his brother, returned home Sunday.

G. W. Trout is slowly recovering from a serious operation in a Salt Lake hospital. Mrs. Trout and little daughter returned home Wednesday.

Mr. Dollard of Twin Falls is filling the vacancy of Mr. Trout at the O. S. L. depot.

Mrs. F. A. Dwight and children left Thursday for Chicago, where they will remain an indefinite time visiting relatives.

J. A. Johnson, H. J. Sopher and several others attended the Masonic lodge at Twin Falls Thursday.

DR. SWANE, THE OPTICIAN is now at his office, Room 15, at 142 Main avenue south (opposite). Headaches and nervousness often come from eyes. We get relief in such cases by properly fitted glasses. J. T. Evans—Adv.

Advertise in the Classified Columns of The News. Everybody will read it.

American Army Doctors Taking Care of French

By ERIC S. FERUGSON (United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LOURNAINE—imagines that an army has moved into this city, occupying the houses of a dozen families.

Then imagine that in every town and village in these countries there are cases of measles, scarlet fever, spinal meningitis, and other diseases.

The thought that all these things, except one or two old men to every three or four towns, have gone away. It is physically impossible for these old men to meet the medical demands of the community. They are unable to care for the people in their own village, yet they are unwilling to travel to other towns.

Then imagine that out of this army that has come into your state, step into a doctor's office. They establish dispensaries. Nurses are sent to look after the wives and babies. You are given medicine and advised as to the care of those in your family who are ill.

Wouldn't your heart warm to those unfortunates?

The hearts of the French people have been in France for the last of this war more than an imaginary story. The uniformed doctors of the American army medical corps.

And in doing this for the French people they are safeguarding the health of American boys.

Practically all able bodied medical men of France, are in the army, so France has not been able to give her

civilian population the medical attention it had normally. To move American boys into towns and villages where contagious diseases are prevalent would mean that fighting forces soon would be debilitated by sickness. It is the business of the medical corps, not only to care for the soldiers when they are wounded or ill, but to strive to prevent illness. The first step is to see that the civilians in the neighborhood of the soldiers must live as healthily as possible.

That is one of the things the medical corps is doing. From a central point ambulances carrying doctors and nurses hurry every day for dispensary work. Men, women and children without funds are cared for without any charge whatever. At the door there is a box. Families able to do so may drop a fee in this box. The money thus given is turned over to the French authorities to be applied to a fund for families of French physicians who have been killed in the war. Uncle Sam doesn't take a cent of the money.

The first thought of the medical corps is the health of the American army. It is constantly working ahead of forces about to move into new territory, isolating contagious disease, caring for those who are ill, and preparing the French authorities to be applied to a fund for families of French physicians who have been killed in the war. Uncle Sam doesn't take a cent of the money.

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LARGE ACREAGE IN FARM CROPS

MORE LIVESTOCK OF ALL KINDS IN IDAHO THIS YEAR THAN LAST—LABOR SITUATION GOOD

(Special to the News.)

BOISE—Except for the hay and horse raising country, Idaho will not need much more farm help this year than last, despite the increased farm production, according to a report coming from the federal department of agriculture and the agricultural extension department of the state university.

The acreage given over to wheat this year in the state has been increased by 25 per cent over last year, and the acreage given over to corn and soybeans, the bean acreage will be one-third greater, and the pea acreage will be about the same, it is estimated. There will be an increased acreage planted to oats.

The acreage given over to potatoes will be about the same as last year, but the sugar beet acreage will be 10 per cent less, and the same figures will apply to hay and barley.

Big Increase in Livestock

Contrary to expectations, there are more brood sows, pigs, dairy cows, beef stock and live stock of all kinds in Idaho this year than last, indicating that the farmers have not disposed of as much live stock from their farms as was generally believed.

The report is being compiled under the direction of O. T. Thomson, farm agent here, with quarters at the extension department at the state university.

He estimates the report dealing with labor and farm crops is 60 per cent accurate, while the accuracy of the report on live stock is fixed at 40 per cent.

Plenty of Help in Sight

When the report was being made up, data was collected from 17,037 farms. The farmers reporting said they employed 3718 men last year for the season, and 30,760 for short periods of time during the harvesting and sowing season.

The farmers have already employed 2200 men this year, and they expect to employ 3207 more men for the season. They estimate 59,794 men will be needed for short periods.

The report on labor situation is estimated to be 60 per cent complete, indicating that less than 2000 farm hands will be needed this season over last in the state.

SOCIETY

The Princess club was entertained on Friday afternoon by Mrs. E. W. Brown. The members with Mrs. Fern as a guest, were present. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Walter DeFrees was hostess to the Princess club Friday afternoon. After a delightful afternoon of refreshments were served to the Mesdames Burdick, Eick, White, Turner, Lyette, Burkholder, Wick, Chapin, R. and Lettman.

BRITISH CASUALTIES FOR THE PAST WEEK

(By United Press.)

LONDON, May 13.—British casualties officially published during the past week total 40,004. They are divided as follows: Killed, 7,278; wounded, 16,500; missing, 3,626; total, 27,404.

DEFENSE COUNCIL PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE

ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS IN APPRECIATION OF WAR WORK AND CHARACTER

Resolutions passed by the Twin Falls county council of defense in appreciation of the war work and character of Rev. O. T. Anderson, who has resigned his pastorate of the Twin Falls Baptist church and leaves Twin Falls for Camp Lewis to enter army U. M. C. A. work, are as follows:

Whereas, It has come to the attention of the Twin Falls County Council of Defense that the Rev. O. T. Anderson, pastor of the Baptist church of Twin Falls, Idaho, and a resident of the city of Twin Falls, Idaho, has tendered his services, during the period of the war, to the United States government, as a U. M. C. A. worker at Camp Lewis, and in a water camp, and the government may see fit to employ him, and

Whereas, the council is informed that the government has accepted the offer by the Rev. Anderson of his services in said capacity and has called him to the service and that he departs from us and from this community at once to engage therein.

Now, be it Resolved, that the Twin Falls County Council of Defense, both collectively and individually, does and do hereby express its and their appreciation of the spirit and purpose of the Rev. Anderson by his untiring energy and work in assisting our beloved country to obtain the glorious object for which he is engaged upon this world war, namely, to make the world safe for democracy and that our nation may live to fulfill the purpose for which God gave it birth.

Be it further resolved, that the council of the Rev. Anderson be petitioned upon the opportunity to make upon a larger and more useful field where more effect can be had and be operated up to his energy and character; and we congratulate the brave soldier boys in the camps of wherever they may be, who will come under the kindly, thoughtful and Christian influence of this man and in parting with you, Rev. Anderson, we one and all say to you, "May God speed you and direct you in the work which you have undertaken."

Be it further resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and records of the council and that a copy of the same be presented to the Rev. Anderson.

TODAY'S MARKETS

(By United Press.)

CHICAGO, May 13.—The stock market opened at the opening of the board of directors today. The excellent supply disposition overcame when shorts began buying. A lower high market affected provisions, which were generally down.

May corn opened late and unchanged at 77 1/2 and continued at that price. July corn opened at 34 on opening at 14 1/2, later advancing 1/4.

May oats opened at 72, down 3/4 subsequently advancing 1/4. June oats was unchanged at the opening, 70, and later gained 1 cent. July oats opened at 65, down 1/8, but later gained 1 1/4.

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By United Press.)

NEW YORK, May 13.—The stock market opened strong today with Bethlehem Steel on one point at 87 1/2; Marcellus preferred up 1/4 at 94 1/4; Anaconda up 1/8 at 63; Crucible Steel up 3/8 at 70 1/2; and Baldwin Locomotive at 114 1/2, an increase of 2 1/2 points.

HOPE MARKET

(By United Press.)

CHICAGO, May 13.—The hog market closed low 10 cents lower. Top 118 1/2. Estimated tomorrow, 20,000.

Cattle closed 10 to 20 cents lower. Top 417 50; calves 414. Estimated tomorrow, 15,000.

Sheep closed 10 to 20 cents lower. Top 165 50; lambs 420 50. Estimated tomorrow, 11,000.

HOPES PEACE WILL COME VERY SOON

(By United Press.)

AMSTERDAM, May 13.—Baron Bie, Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, declared in a speech that he hoped general peace negotiations would follow the Russian note, according to a dispatch from Budapest today.

"Emperor Karl has exploited every possibility of peace," the foreign minister said. "He still wishes that no opportunity shall be missed to conclude an honest and durable peace."

AMERICAN OFFICERS REPORTED CAPTURED

(By United Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Captures of five American officers were reported in Saturday's casualty list from General Pershing.

The list, containing 65 names, also included eight killed in action, four dead of wounds, four of disease, seven of accidents, three from other causes; four wounded severely, and thirty-four wounded slightly.

MAY PROTEST CESSATION OF SEEPAGE WORK

EVIDENCE APPEARS OF SENTIMENT FOR CONTINUOUS OPERATION OF DRILLING OUTFITS

One of the questions likely to be presented to the board of directors of the Twin Falls Canal company at its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday next, is in regard to whether well-drilling to overcome seepage shall be continued throughout the summer months. Statement that a delegation of landowners would wait upon the directors to protest against interruption of the drilling was heard here Saturday.

Manager's Statement

J. C. Wheelon, general manager of the Canal company, stated that temporary discontinuance of the drilling during the summer months had been advised, in order that the men employed in this work might be transferred to other necessary work, and until completion of the maintenance assessments due in September, should begin. This policy, he said, had been followed in past seasons.

Situation in Hand

The seepage situation at the present time is well in hand, Mr. Wheelon said. Five drills have been in operation for several months past. One drill will start weathering in the field this week, but others will continue in the upland progress of events for from two to three months, so that the interim of inactivity, in the event that discontinuance is decided upon, will be slight, Mr. Wheelon said.

HOLLISTER

HOLLISTER—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Craven are the parents of a daughter, born at Twin Falls, May 11. All congenitally are doing fine.

G. W. James returned Thursday from a several days' business trip to Salt Lake City.

The Christian Endeavor social was postponed a few days on account of unfavorable weather. The next one will be held on Saturday evening, May 18, at 8:30, at a washout at the lowline canal south of Twin Falls.

Mr. Keith Jones went to Twin Falls Thursday.

East O. Wolfe, a former resident of Hollister, was in town on business on Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Spurgeon received a message from Brownstown, Indiana, Thursday, announcing the death of her father.

W. H. Craven is shipping a car of potatoes this week. This is the first car of potatoes shipped from Hollister in several years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mort from Twin Falls is visiting her brother, R. W. Mort and family.

IMPROVEMENT LEAGUE IS ACTIVE AT HANSEN

SECRETARY J. E. STUBBS REPORTS ON PROGRESS MADE IN BETTERMENT OF COMMUNITY

Hansen has wide awake and aggressive organization enlisted in the cause of the improvement of the community in the recently formed Hansen Improvement League, according to statement of J. E. Stubbs, former secretary of the Twin Falls Commercial club and secretary of the Improvement League, who was a business visitor here Saturday.

Unfavorable weather interfered somewhat with carrying out of plans for cleanup day instituted by the league this year and which is to be an annual event in the future. The street cleaning however has been active in that respect, and the league is in securing volunteers who reported.

An application has been filed by the league for installation of a warning bell at the railway crossing at the edge of the town, and extensive improvement of the city park site is planned.

WEALTHY IRON WORKER IS GIVEN FIVE YEARS

(By United Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 13.—Federal Judge O'Connell sentenced Otto Jansen, wealthy Oakland manufacturer, to five years in McNeil's island prison for violation of the espionage laws of the United States.

Jansen was accused of making seditious statements.

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