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BRITISH READY FOR CALA DAYS WHEN WILSON COMES OVER

Business and Pleasure to be Combined in Many Full Days of Activity--All London Cooperates in Plans

DIPLOMATIC PART OF PROGRAM IS SERIOUS

England in Need of Advice on Matter of Russian Policy--Growing Strength of Bolsheviks is Disquieting Factor

By LOWELL MELBY

LONDON, Dec. 10.—London intends to eclipse Paris' welcome to President Wilson, in the same degree that its population exceeds that of the French capital.

The government, of course, will provide the president with every official attention, but it is London's millions who will furnish the real welcome.

Russian Outlook Grave

Wilson's visit, however, will be much more than a holiday, since he will arrive in the midst of an increasingly warm discussion regarding the Allied Russian policy.

Beneath the surface of social attentions which will be showered upon President and Mrs. Wilson in the form of parties, banquets, receptions, etc., and general felicitation, it is evident, therefore, that much of the preliminary work of the peace conference will be transacted here.

World Economy Capital

Renewed interest in the Russian problem is the outgrowth of persistent rumors that a great Allied expedition is planned for occupying Petrograd.

Little Newspaper Support

WINNING WAR BY GERMANY DEPENDED ON CAPTURE OF NEW YORK, LONDON AND PARIS, LUDENDORFF WAS TOLD

Head of Great Industrial Plant of Fatherland Announces Text of Statement Made to German Quartermaster General Over a Year Ago--"Can't Be Done" is Officer's Reply

LONDON, Dec. 10.—General Ludendorff was told more than a year ago that to win the war he must capture Paris, London and New York. He admitted it could not be done.

Alleged Murderer Had Three Wives Police Establish

Developments in Case of Milo H. Piper Indicate Matrimony Ponchant

MUSKOGEE, Mich., Dec. 10.—News of the prosecuting attorney has temporarily halted the grilling of Milo H. Piper, accused of having slain Frieda Weichman to hide his marriage to her. Piper himself is bordering on illness. He refuses to eat sufficiently and spends his time weeping and pleading for the loyalty of his acknowledged wife.

State officials today declared they have found evidence of a third marriage by Piper. Sheriff Carl A. Stauffer declared he had discovered that Piper married Marion Gray, manager of a Boston Hotel matrimonial bureau, who later, he claimed, was jailed by federal authorities and then pardoned by President Taft.

Piper is said to have stated his divorce from his first wife, Frieda Weichman, is being sought. It is known to have had several diamond rings of value.

Bolsheviks Suffered

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 10.—The Bolsheviki government has suppressed the Bolsheviki newspaper, "New Order," of the workers' and soldiers' council, according to a Berlin dispatch received here today.

DEFENSE OPENS IN BERGER CASE

Move for Verdict of Not Guilty By Defense Turned Down By Judge Landis

OHIOAGO, Dec. 10.—The defense today launched in earnest its case for five Socialist leaders charged with espionage and sedition. Federal Judge Landis yesterday refused to order a "not guilty" verdict after the government had rested.

The motion was made by Seymour Slesman, defense counsel.

German declared that a widespread strike had been planned in the event of war with the United States.

German admitted there was a defection in the Socialist party since the St. Louis convention of 1917.

William F. Kruse and Victor Berger, other defendants, were to follow German on the witness stand.

Against Draft Evaders

The national socialist party never solicited money for the defense of men indicted for making speeches and distributing literature.

Evidence tending to show that the socialist party made efforts toward peace as early as September, 1914, before the United States entered the conflict, was given.

GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST EFFORTS FOR ARMENIANS

Doctors, Nurses, Machinery, Clothing and Food to be Sent into Asia-Minor for Relief of People

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Government support will be given to a plan to send doctors, nurses, agricultural machinery, clothing and food to stricken Greece and Armenia in Asia Minor. It was learned here today. A bill is pending in congress to incorporate a committee being formed to start soon on a United States transport with relief supplies. Henry Morgenthau, former ambassador to Turkey, is asking the plan.

A presidential proclamation, asking support, it is understood, soon will be issued. The plan contemplates the expenditure of approximately \$30,000,000 and work extending over several years.

A British force, it was stated, will give protection to the 200 to 300 members of the committee, and the project also will have the support of the French government. Turk officials still in power have given consent to the plan.

Noble Response to Red Cross Appeal

Reports at Headquarters Indicate Splendid Success for Big Campaign

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—"The greatest mother in the world," is drawing people throughout the United States to her Red Cross cause.

Reports reaching Red Cross headquarters today show that the public is responding nobly to the Christmas membership appeal.

Many of the cities in the middle and far west are practically closed because of the influenza epidemic, yet the work is going right ahead.

Bolshevik Forces Overrun Country

Armies Are Advancing Steadily on Wide Front in Province of Kethonia

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 10.—Bolshevik forces are advancing into the former Russian province of Kethonia, along a wide front, the Estonian war minister reported in a cable received here today.

The Bolsheviks, who are reinforced by Lithuanian troops, have reached 50 miles south of Dorpat.

Winter conditions contribute to the difficulties in opposing the Bolsheviks.

PRISONER SHOT BY HUN GUARD

British Officer Declared Yanké Was Murdered After Armistice

OPPENHAUSEN, Dec. 10.—Murder of a young American aviator by German prison guards after the armistice was signed was reported today.

ADAM WEAVER
Rain or snow warmer tonight.

LATE BOLO WAS QUITE A FRIEND

Convicted Spy and William R. Hearst Enjoyed Many Visits, Evidence Shows

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Bolo's activities in this country in the winter of 1916 and his alleged acquaintance with Wm. R. Hearst and other prominent men were delved into today by Assistant Attorney General Alfred L. Becker, of New York, testifying before the senate German propaganda subcommittee.

Becker read into the record affidavits by a number of witnesses who swore that on different occasions, Bolo and Ambassador Bernstorff visited the Hearst apartment at 153 Riverside drive, New York, each of the two men, Becker said, had already been published. The depositions were given by chauffeurs and employees on duty at the Hearst apartment house.

Reading from the depositions of Chas. F. Bertell, manager of the Hearst news service in Paris, which was given at the time of the Bolo trial in France, Becker said it showed that Bertell had given Bolo a letter of introduction to Hearst when he called for America.

Thousands in Sympathy Strike

Employer of General Electric Plant at Schenectady Lay Down Tools

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Twenty thousand employes at the Schenectady plant of the General Electric company struck out on 10 o'clock this morning in sympathy with strikers at the Erie plant of the company. Men refused to recognize their union and had eleven employees discharged at Erie. The company denied this. Figures were given, to show that since the armistice was signed \$24,000,000 worth of war contracts have been cancelled, necessitating retrenchment.

Many War Prospects Ordered Abandoned

Bridge Building, Hospitals and General Military Work to Cease at Once

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Abandonment of the following war projects was ordered today:

Building plant for the reclamation of the El Paso Texas, supply depot and hospital, Camp Knox, Md., the following projects at Camp Knox, Ky: Work on bridge No. 2 and No. 3 with some extension work on officers training school, balloon school, recruit station, veterinary hospital, laundry and refrigeration plant, construction for training and labor battalions, uncompleted portions of reclamation and ordnance projects, including road, sewer and similar constructions.

BIG BATTLE FOR SPEAKERSHIP ON

Representative Mann Leads Field and is Regarded as Likely Choice

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The race for speakership of the next house of representatives today narrowed down to three contestants. Representative Mann of Chicago is leading the field by reason of his work as republican floor leader and his length of service.

Representative Tamm, Ohio, will serve as the next candidate, but his name is almost certain to be put forward by the Ohio delegation.

Representatives Kahn, California, Towne, Iowa, and Campbell of Kansas, will be put forward, but the vote for them will be largely complimentary.

Mackensen's Army Can't Be Cared For In Austria-Hungary

Two Hundred Thousand Men Ordered Interned By Allies "Too Much of a Task"

ROME, Dec. 10.—(Djayed)—Hungary cannot feed Field Marshal Von Mackensen's army of 200,000 men, which the allies ordered interned, Count Karolyi, Hungarian premier, declared in an interview with the Budapest correspondent of the Idea Nazionale.

Monopoly Charge Investigation On

Affairs of Big Packing Plants Are Aired Before House Committee

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Airing of the charges of monopoly against the five big meat packers of the United States started in congress today.

Officials of the federal trade commission, appearing before the house subcommittee, hold the results of an investigation in the reports of the packers and explained their reports charging that the packers had a death grapple on the meat business.

The committee was urged to report favorably on the Bimill' bill embodying the commission's plans for breaking up the meat industry by putting all refrigeration cars, stockyards and other facilities, exclusive of the actual packing plants, under control of the president, either through purchase or lease.

Packers and stock raisers are expected to follow the trade commission with suggestions of their own.

GERMANS MUST GO MAJORITY

MAJORITY OF 102—Passports were to be handed to the members of the German embassy here today.

The breaking of diplomatic relations, it was announced, resulted from a German investigation of the German ambassador's conduct in the war and her activity in Spain.

ACTIVE DAYS IN STORE FOR CHIEF

President Wilson and Premier Clemenceau in Close Communication Daily

By ROBERT J. REYNDER

PARIS, Dec. 10.—President Wilson and Premier Clemenceau began an important conference today this morning. It is believed a clear understanding between France and the United States regarding details of the peace pact will be reported.

At the conclusion of the conference, the president was scheduled to return to Washington, Md., today.

Mrs. Wilson to Bing

Mrs. Margaret Wilson, who is expected to resume her tour of American military camps tomorrow, has been asked to be sent to the most isolated battle front in the world.

There are two Goncourts in the American zone. One is 18 miles east and north of Verdun. The other is 45 miles south of that city.

BOLSHEVISM IS GAINING GROUND AND ALLIED OPINION BADLY DIVIDED AS TO PROPER ACTION TO BE TAKEN IN RUSSIA

GOVERNMENT OF EBERT - HAASE COMBINE IS INDORSED

Spartacus Group Definitely Checked, and Confidence Expressed in Coalition by National Soldiers' Council

LIBKNECHT COHORTS VIGOROUSLY HANDLED

General Conditions in Berlin and Elsewhere in Germany Unsettled But Dominant Forces Gaining Strength

PARIS, Dec. 10.—The Spartacus group in Berlin appears to have been checked, a Zurich dispatch to L'Espresso said today.

The dispatch declared that Chancellor Bethov has been upheld by the workmen's and soldiers' councils in taking vigorous action against followers of Karl Liebknecht.

National Council For Government

BERLIN, Dec. 10.—(Night)—The Ebert-Haase coalition government has elected the endorsement of the national soldiers' council.

The soldiers' council acceded to the president's request for control over civilian affairs but reserved supervision of the army.

Resolutions adopted by the soldiers' council make the people's council composed of 12 members, supreme in the national provisional government.

Administration of military affairs by the national council.

Bolsheviks Losing Out

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The Bolsheviki cause in Germany apparently is lost, according to state department advice today.

British, French, and American officials declare the party is hopelessly in the minority and he argues that they join the anti-Bolsheviki according to our newspaper, the advice show. Proceedings in the national soviet congress in Berlin were reported to the state department yesterday as published in the press.

PERTINENT QUESTIONS ARE PUT UP TO LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Whether there is propaganda paid for by munitions makers and others to further extreme propaganda measures and why armament will be gone into an investigation opened today by a house committee of seven.

The investigation, which is provided for in a resolution fathered by Representative Reuther, is aimed nominally at the munitions makers but it is believed will try to answer these questions: Where did the league get \$1,200,000 to spend in defeating certain congressmen who voted against preparedness measures?

Who drew up an "aid test" program consisting of eight measures, some of which were proposed before this country entered the war?

What is the aim of the league now that the war is over?

Whirlwind of Radicalism Sweeping Country in Border States

Following Withdrawal of German Troops—Military and Civilian Groups Hold Contrary Views as to Course to be Pursued

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The Bolsheviki are gaining power in Russia, it is indicated in recent dispatches. This is particularly true in the border states where the Germans are withdrawing. As a result of this situation, the Allied powers are being urged to take action.

TELL THRILLING TALES OF WORK DURING THE WAR

Heroes of Exciting Incidents and Remarkable Escapes Reach Home Soil on White Star Liner Celtic

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Thrilling tales of heroism and remarkable escapes from German prison camps were told aboard the White Star Liner Celtic, which arrived here yesterday.

There were 125 officers and 2,122 men on the ship.

A new team for going over the top, "crossing the top," was introduced by one of the officers.

Lieutenant J. J. White of Cleveland, Ohio, a flyer, utilized a stolen German airplane to make his getaway from a prison camp.

He declined to discuss the affair, but friends told how he had been brought down behind the German lines in August and later made his escape.

A survivor of intense fighting was Captain Charles A. Rowland of Toledo, a member of the 14th sanitary corps. He was gassed in the Argonne and on September 27 he received the D. S. O. for unusual heroism under fire.

He was working at an emergency hospital and with Sergeant Barance of San Francisco, he started out into No Man's Land, where a detachment was being cut down by machine gun fire of the enemy. Each succeeded in bringing back ten men.

Military Secrets Of Germany Bared

Correspondence of Von Papen Read Into Record in German Propaganda Case

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—German military secrets, hitherto unknown, were revealed yesterday afternoon when Major E. Lovry Hanes read into the record of the senate committee investigating German propaganda many letters found in Von Papen's possession when the British entered Metz.

The letters, according to the British military intelligence department, were sent by Von Papen to the German ambassador in Paris.

Major Hanes said after he left Washington.

EMPEROR AND CHILDREN ILL

VIENNA, Dec. 18 (Delayed).—Former Emperor Karl and his four children are still ill with influenza. The condition of the former is reported to be serious.

POSTAL MONEY PROVIDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The house late yesterday passed the Moon post office appropriation bill without a record vote. The bill as amended puts the airplane mail service in the hands of army aviation. It also appropriated a million dollars for home rural postal post.

CIVIL WAR CAVERS DIVORCE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Charles B. Andrews, former Long Beach policeman, was granted a divorce here from Stella J. Andrews, now of Jefferson City, Mo. Andrews testified he could not agree with his wife's parents as to which side was right in the civil war and a separation resulted.

YANKERS OUT OF ENGLAND

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Great Britain is practically cleared of American troops. All the American camp, except those at Winchester and Liverpool, have been evacuated. The remaining still remains here consists principally of Major-General Bidwell's staff and 2,000 wounded. These are being sent home as rapidly as possible.

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TRYING HARD TO PRESERVE BEER

Hotel Men Hope for Some Sort of Modification of Prohibition Movement

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The American Hotel association representing the hotel men of the United States was in session here today discussing nationwide prohibition.

The representatives met behind locked doors and refused to discuss contemplated action. It is understood that they had under consideration a plan by which they hope to salvage from prohibition light wines and beers.

The American hotel men have already subscribed liberally to the funds of the restoration of the Hotel Notre Dame in Paris, Belgium. It was announced today.

The restaurant will cost \$45,000 and it is expected that this amount will be subscribed during the present week. The hotel Rose, a historic structure, was destroyed by the Germans. The new structure will be a monument to the work of the hotel men of America in the restoration of Belgium.

Child Labor Tax Passed By Senate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—By a vote of 60 to 19 the senate late yesterday afternoon passed the amendment to the revenue bill placing a tax of 10 per cent on profits accruing from child labor. Child labor advocates, the vote shows, made some gains in the solid south.

The child labor amendment placed a tax on employers who work children between 14 and 16 years more than 8 hours a day, six days a week, or before six o'clock in the morning and after 7 p. m.

Sonora Governor Executed Huerta

NOGALÉS, Ariz., Dec. 19.—Governor P. E. Caines of Sonora personally supervised the execution of Don Douglas, Spanish, it was reported enthusiastically from Mexican sources today.

Cables passed through Nogales yesterday en route from the border opposite Douglas to Hermosillo.

COMPANIONS MADE HEIRS

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Four associates of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, former superintendent of schools here, will share her estate of \$50,000, according to terms of the will on file here today.

Miss Laura T. Brynton, Mrs. Young's companion for twenty years, will have two fifths of the estate. The board of education will receive a share at the death of the beneficiaries.

TROOPS ENTER HUNGARY

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 19.—Three battalions of Romanian troops have crossed the March river and entered Hungary, it was reported in dispatches received here today. The Hungarians protested but offered no resistance.

Gets Sixty Germans Out of One Dugout At a Single Stroke

Corporal Roy Powell, Warrior of Distinguished Service Order, Reaches U. S.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Corporal Roy Powell, company E 281st infantry, Joliet, Ill., captor of 60 Germans, reached the United States yesterday aboard the British steamship Celtic.

How he captured the 60 is told in a citation for the Distinguished Service cross which he wore on his blouse.

Sent out as a sniper, Powell perched on a supposedly vacant dugout. Soon after he heard voices unmistakably German coming from the dugout. He crawled down, hoisted in a hand grenade and invited the Germans out. His surprise grew as they rolled out in such monotony that 60 were lined up. He disarmed each German as he walked from the dugout.

Powell was gassed on July 6, after he had participated in the feat of a raiding party of six which rescued two Americans and five Aussas from their German captors.

Kris Kringle Now Unpopular Figure

German Patron Saint of Children Declared to Have Lost His grip

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Kris Kringle is angrier than ever. He has been American kids have tried, convicted and sentenced the German cousin of good old Santa Claus to permanent exile—and American toy dealers have confirmed the sentence.

Everett, Santa Claus will have a complete monopoly of the distribution of toys in America, and even some foreign countries.

The Association of Toy Manufacturers—Santa Claus' representatives in the United States—met here today to talk it over.

"America will soon be the toy market of the world," predicted A. C. Gilbert of New Haven, Conn. "European countries already are looking to us for their toys."

"This has been an exceptional year for American toy makers," said Leo Schleisinger of New York. "There has been an increase of 50 per cent in the output of the toy industry. Germany will never regain her prestige in this line."

Manufacturers predicted that the present popularity of military toys would disappear with the coming of peace.

Instantly Killed On First Vacation

Auto Trip Planned as Event of Lifetime Has Tragio Termination

SEATTLE, Dec. 19.—On a tour of the northwest in the first vacation of a lifetime, Mrs. Laura M. Farren, 61, Randolph, Nebraska, was killed when she was struck by an automobile stage near Snoqualmie Falls yesterday afternoon.

A. L. Farren, retired farmer, was with his wife. They had planned the pleasure trip for years and recently sold their Nebraska farm to effect it.

Spoils of War to Be Disposed of

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Assistant Secretary of War Crowell has been directed by the president to dispose of all property acquired by the war department since April, 1917, it was officially announced.

Plans for sale of worthless war department supplies will be carried out to interfere as little as possible with business conditions, and industries affected will be consulted wherever this occurs, it was announced.

SAILOR HOLDS UP RESTAURANT

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—With an un-laden revolver as his weapon, Hans Sorenson, Danish sailor, held up a New York restaurant and almost got away with it. He was arrested after a chase during which a crowd attempted to lynch him. He told the police he read of the holdup of the West Brooklyn Savings bank and wanted to send money to his mother in Denmark.

ITALY'S SHARE TO BE SETTLED DURING VISIT

Arrival of Royal Family and Ministers in Paris Will Give President First Opportunity to Study Her Claims

By HENRY WOOD

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The visit of the Italian royal family and ministers to Paris will afford the first opportunity for the United States, France and Italy to get together on the latter's peace aspirations.

While King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Elena and Crown Prince Humbert are attending to the social amusements, Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino will be in conference with President Wilson, the American delegation and the French ministers. Orlando attended the London conference with Premier Lloyd-George and Premier Clemenceau, but will be withdrawn from the latter's position toward the general peace plans.

The Italian party will arrive tomorrow. The visit, which will begin this afternoon and last three days, is a continuation of the series of French official receptions to allied leaders. The Italian king had been preceded by King George, King Albert and President Wilson and will be followed by the rulers of Serbia and possibly those of Rumania and Greece. It is understood that Orlando and Sonnino will especially urge consideration of the following:

Adriatic Supremacy
Italy's desire relative to her supremacy of the Adriatic.

Adjustment of conflicting claims of the Italians and Jugoslavs on the eastern coast of the Adriatic.
Finme's desire to be annexed to Italy.

Italy's claims in the western Mediterranean and in northern Africa.
Final disposition of both the Austrian navy and merchant marine.

Italy's desire that the enemy's war indemnities shall be divided among the allies, according to the damage they suffered.

During his visit with President Wilson on Thursday, the king will formally invite the president to visit Rome.

Seattle attending the office of commending to his honor, the king, in company with the crown prince, will visit Italian hospitals and the Italian sector of the French front.

FAMOUS GERMAN COMING CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Cardinal Mercier, aged and heroic Belgian prelate, will visit the United States in the spring, according to Father Julius Devroy of the Chicago archdiocese.

Christmas Window With Many Suggestions

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| Scissors | Kiddie Cars |
| Casseroles | Bicycles |
| Percolators | Pony Express |
| Pyrex Ware | Coaster Wagons |
| Thermos Bottles | Velocipedes |
| Hot Lunch Boxes | Erector Sets |
| Safety Razors | Electric Motors |
| Pocket Knives | Air Rifles |
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VETERAN SAYS GUNNERS' PART MOSTLY WORK

Lieutenant Arvin D. Rounds, Returned From France, Gives Account of Twin Falls Men in Action Against Huns

The work of the artilleryman in battle is principally hard manual labor, according to First Lieutenant Arvin D. Rounds, son of City Treasurer and Mrs. H. E. Rounds, who has returned to Twin Falls after receiving his discharge from the military service at Camp Meade, Maryland, where he was assigned as an instructor after spending more than six months in the service in France and serving for about 69 days on the fighting front.

Lieutenant Rounds went into action as a second lieutenant prior to the departure overseas in December, 1917, of the Twin Falls unit of the Second Idaho regiment of which he was a member. He was later assigned to duty with the One Hundred Forty-eighth artillery regiment, which with the One Hundred Forty-sixth regiment for which the Twin Falls unit was converted to serve as headquarters company, and with a regiment of French artillery comprised the Sixty-sixth brigade.

Brigaded with French This brigade went into action for the first time at Chaize Thilery early in July following up the advantage gained by the marines at that point. On August 18 the brigade was moved from Chaize Thilery to the southeast and was divided so that when Lieutenant Rounds was assigned to duty as an instructor in the United States, September 14, his own regiment was operating in the region north of Yvonand and the One Hundred Forty-sixth was covering the other end of the salient in the vicinity of Verdun.

The regiment with which Lieutenant Rounds served was engaged at the front in hurling sixteen high explosive shells against the enemy at an average of from six to eight shells per hour. The maximum range of these guns is approximately 11 miles, but the actual range in action, Lieutenant Rounds declares, was frequently as little as two miles. He received word since leaving his battery in Paris, that his former command that they had done outpost duty and that they would not be surprised to receive orders to put bayonets on the big guns and go

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Harrowing Enough
The experiences of an artilleryman in action may not be quite so exciting as those of the doughboys," Lieutenant Rounds says, "but they are harrowing enough. I have been killing with a companion one minute and then 30 minutes later have assisted in his burial."

RETIRING OFFICIALS TO BE REAL ESTATE DEALERS

E. J. Finch, R. A. Landon and J. M. Dimond Form Partnership to Sell Twin Falls Land

E. J. Finch, Captain A. E. Landon and J. M. Dimond will be associated as partners in a real estate firm to open its doors soon after the first of the year in office rooms in the Hotel Pacific building now occupied by the Twin Falls city clerk's office.

Mr. Finch is completing his second year as clerk of the district court and official auditor and recorder of Twin Falls county. Captain Landon has served since his return with the Idaho regiment from the Mexican border in January, 1917, as a deputy in Mr. Finch's office. J. M. Dimond has been for several years junior at the court house, and served this year as chairman of the democratic county committee.

All three members of the new firm have been residents for several years of Twin Falls county and enjoy a wide acquaintance.

READ THE CLASSIFIED ADS

NEW TREASURER-ELECT NAMES TWO DEPUTIES

E. E. North and G. E. Jones Land Places in Court House, According to Estimates

Mrs. Emma Longley Warren, county treasurer-elect, announced today that she expects to appoint as the deputies in the office of which she is to take charge in January Zachariah H. North and Charles E. Jones. Mr. North has lately returned from Seattle where he received his discharge from the naval service, and is now on a visit at his former home in Indian. Prior to his enlistment in the navy last summer, he was one of the owners of the Fidelity Abstract & Trust company and district agent for a life insurance company.

Mr. Jones has been employed at times during the past several years in the treasurer's office. He has resided here for several years and is well known.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

E. J. Finch Is Installed as President of Twin Falls Chapter, R. A. Landon as Secretary

Twin Falls chapter of the Royal Arch Masons, Tuesday evening of last week, installed the following as officers for the coming year: High priest, E. J. Finch; master, H. G. Blue; scribe, F. R. Hamberlin; secretary, R. B. Smith; treasurer, J. M. Maxwell; commander of the host, M. C. Ware; P. S., W. A. Min-

HEY! SKINNY!
They're agoin' to show Rex Beaches "Laughing Bill Hyde" and "Patty's Sulfless Day" at the Orpheum Theatre today an' tomorrow, an' I'm sure agoin' to come 'an' see 'em—only cause I'd come for us little kids, for fifteen for the big kids, an' a trifle more for mother an' dad. Sis' can get Patty to take her. 'Scent the Fla business I ain't scared 'bout catchin' up with that stuff at the Orpheum, 'cause they got that newfangled ventilation outfit that heats the cold air over steam pipes an' boops it in the room to heat the band. An' y' know that commaginat' stuff what kills microbes and Germans an' Hicky Bugs—well, a lot 'o' that has been used in there when them animals had there gas masks off, an' every one's good west.

There ain't much "Flu" around no more now, all y' gotta do is be careful 'bout sneezin' in 'a fellow's face when he's tellin' y' something. I know a lotta kids agoin' to get sick somewhere if they keep playin' in mud puddles an' goin' in water over their heads when it rains. I perty near got killed 't other day 'a' starlin' a ride b'hind a Ford. I know it ain't rite but 'a kids gotta do somethin'—somethin' to do all the time. I sure like it 'cause the jalls an' schools is some open agin. And there's all excepted 'bout the Fla' gun' sum to see Rex Beaches "Laughin' Bill Hyde" an' "Patty" for Pa says its good for y' gin.

ROYAL ARCH COMMANDER, DISTRICT NO. 10; MASTER OF THIRD VALL, W. W. FANTLEY; MASTER OF SECOND VALL, A. H. HICKLEY; MASTER OF FIRST VALL, G. E. JONES; SENTINEL, W. H. GREENOUGH.
Mr. Finch succeeds Dr. R. A. Parrott as head of the Twin Falls chapter.

GETS OUT USE OF RED FLAG
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—Senator New Indiana, today introduced a bill repealing prohibition of the display of the red flag.

ROBINSONS

The success of the proposition for the sale of Winter Underwear for Men and Women mentioned in last week's News was so marked, and so much appreciated by those who purchased, that I feel more than repaid for making the offer, and can only add to what I have already said—Keep-a-coming.

Edward Robinson

DEATHS FROM EPIDEMIC MAKE CHILDREN ORPHANS

Double Funeral Services Are Held for Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stubblefield, Influenza Victims

Double funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the Crosby chapel for Mr. and Mrs. William F. Stubblefield, 546 Third avenue west, the parents of three little children who were left orphans by the death Wednesday afternoon of the mother, three days after the death of the father. Pneumonia following influenza was the cause of death in both cases. Mr. and Mrs. Stubblefield of Aurora, Missouri, grandparents of the children, who have been here since the father was stricken, have taken the children in charge.

I AM HUNTING THE BEERINE
Barber shop while Bert is in the service and would appreciate the patronage of the public. Mrs. Bert Sowle. (Adv.)

Taxidermist Judge Fines Taxidermist Lacking a License

Jake Schlund Draws Sentence From W. J. Smith When Warden Complains

Justice of the Peace W. J. Smith, himself a taxidermist, assessed a fine of \$25 against Jake Schlund of Pler, who was arraigned before him on a charge of practicing taxidermy without securing a license from the state fish and game department. The complaint was made by Deputy State Game warden Joe Fitzsimmons, following the discovery in Schlund's establishment of the skins of Chinese pheasants and a mountain goat. The skins were confiscated. Schlund is said to have engaged in the business of taxidermy for several years.

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—make your dollars do double duty in this Christmas gift giving!
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- Gigar Lighter
- Drink Mixer
- Fan
- Flash Light Case
- Luminous Radiator
- Portable Floor Lamp
- Shaving Mirror

Electrical Gift-Hints for "Her"

- Flat Iron
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- Toaster
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A GOOD REASON

A corollary to the proposition of doing Christmas shopping early, and one which will rank as of equal importance with this proposition, is the appeal of postoffice employees to small Christmas parents early.

It is to be observed in the Twin Falls postoffice at the present time that the great bulk of Christmas parcels are presented for mailing during the afternoon hours. Very few parcels are mailed in the forenoon. The result is an unequal distribution of the burden upon the postoffice employees resulting not only in undue strain upon the postoffice force, which is to be regretted by all.

... for the true spirit of Christmas requires that each one shall do his Christmas shopping early and mail his Christmas parcels at the earliest possible moment.

MERELY A DISTINCTION

Morally, there is no difference between the person who fails to make payment of his promissory notes and the person who fails and neglects to make good his pledge for the purchase of War Savings Stamps.

If Twin Falls county fails to reach its quota of War Savings Stamps before January 1, 1919, it will be the result not only of the failure of block and district captains to fulfill the responsibilities assigned to them, and accepted by them, but it will be the result also of the omission through failure to make good their pledges, that the word and promise of some Twin Falls county people is not to be depended on.

There exists no legal penalty for neglect or failure to make good these pledges. The stimulus for impulsive sacrifices afforded by the continuance of hostilities, which is essential to the "flag-waving" patriot, is lacking, and a recognition of the duty incumbent upon Americans to stay to the finish must take its place. Consideration of the fidelity of the men in the service who are enlisted for the "period of the emergency" and whose willing work is not ended with the first hint of coming peace, should be a factor in supporting the fulfillment of the War Savings pledges.

The outcome in the last analysis, however, is a matter of honor, and the honor of Twin Falls county and of the state of Idaho is in the balance.

Christmas Tree For Kiddies Here

Brightly Illuminated Evergreen 20 Feet High to Be Center of Attraction

In marked contrast to Twin Falls' first community Christmas tree, which was a hand-made affair built of sagebrush, the tree for Twin Falls children this year, which was brought in on Wednesday by J. R. Roberts, will be a splendid evergreen standing 20 feet high. It will be beautifully decorated and illuminated by the community Christmas committee.

Owing to the uncertainty of the weather and the apparent danger from the influenza epidemic the committee has decided to hold the community Christmas observance in the Park hall and has arranged the program so that there will be only a small number of children brought together at the time.

CONSOLIDATION OF JOURNAL WITH TIMES PROBABLE

Three-fourths of Stockholders of Nonpartisan Organ at Filer Vote for Merger With Twin Falls Paper

Consolidation of the Nonpartisan Journal, Filor, with the Twin Falls Times is probable, says the Journal which carries in its issue of today the following article in respect to the negotiations to that end:

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Filor Journal Publishing company Tuesday night, a proposition was considered to consolidate the Nonpartisan Journal with the Daily Twin Falls Times, and to publish the Times as an independent daily. This proposition had been submitted to the Filor Journal Publishing company by the majority stockholders of the Times company, and when the stock vote was counted at the meeting Tuesday night, it was found that more than three-fourths of the stock of the Filor Journal Publishing company had voted for consolidation.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a committee to thoroughly investigate the proposition of consolidation, and to report to an adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Filor Journal Publishing company Saturday night, at which time the matter will be finally acted upon, and steps taken to merge the two publishing companies.

It now seems probable that the Times published as an independent daily will enter the field not later than January 1, 1919. In event that the consolidation of the two newspapers is made, a "live" correspondent will be kept on the ground at Filor all the time to report local news, so that Filor readers will get a daily report of local happenings.

GRAND OMBENT APPOINTED

MADRID, Dec. 10.—As the result of the belief that Masonic influences were behind the murder of President Paez...

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Today's Markets

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000; market steady; steers \$9.00@10.50; cows and heifers \$8.00@10.50; stockers and feeders \$8.00@10.50; calves \$7.50@10.75; bulls and stags \$8.00@11.50.
Hogs—Receipts 18,000; market steady; bulk of sales \$10.00@11.70; top \$12.15.
Sheep—Receipts 3,500; market steady to weak; woolings \$10.12@11.25; wethers \$8.00@11.00; lambs \$11.00@14.00; ewes \$8.00@10.00.

PORTLAND, Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 63; best of market very strong; prime steers \$12.00@13.50; good to choice steers \$11.00@12.00; common to medium steers \$9.50@11.00; fair to medium steers \$8.50@9.50; cull cows and heifers \$8.00@9.00; choice cows and heifers \$8.00@9.00; stockers and feeders \$7.00@8.00.
Hogs—Receipts 950; tone of market steady to strong; prime mixed \$10.75@11.00; medium \$10.50@10.75; rough and heavy \$11.75@12.00; pigs \$14.00@15.00; bulk \$10.50.
Sheep—Receipts 477; tone of market steady; east of mountains lambs \$12.50@13.00; valley lambs \$11.50@12.50; yearlings \$10.00@11.00; wethers \$9.00@10.50; ewes \$8.00@9.50.

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Represents Inspector General—Colonel Thomas Lewis of the inspector general department in Portland, Oregon, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Twin Falls. He was here on official business which he was not at liberty to discuss. The colonel who was stationed in Boise a number of years ago and spent six years in this district before it was opened up states that he was amazed at the rapid transformation of the country.

Returns Civilian Position—Lieutenant J. W. Hodge, who won his commission in the army quartermaster corps following his enlistment last summer, arrived here Wednesday to spend the holidays with his parents, Attorney and Mrs. Edna L. Hodge. He received his discharge from the military service at Camp Joe E. Johnston, Florida. He will resume his position as manager of the potato flour mill at Idaho Falls and spend some time on route from the east investigating modern factory methods.

Local Brevities

Wife's Illness Called—W. M. Johnson was called Wednesday to his home in Illinois by the illness of Mrs. Johnson.

Returns from Camp Taylor—Jack H. Smith who enlisted six months ago in artillery service returned Wednesday from Camp Zachary Taylor.

Returns from Langley Field—Andrew Hansen returned from Langley field after about a year's service in aviation work on Wednesday.

To Nebraska for Holidays—Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Brown left this morning for Superior, Nebraska, where they will spend the holidays.

Army Engineer Returns—Asst. M. Calvert returned on Wednesday from Fort Benjamin Harrison, where he has been in engineering service for two months.

Signalier Home Again—Ruben T. Hall returned from Camp Sherman, Ohio, where he has been an enlisted member of the signal corps for the past six months.

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Christmas Gift Suggestions
Hankercchiefs
This store has a reputation for selling good quality Hankercchiefs at reasonable prices, and with the thought of maintaining this reputation, and also in the belief that Christmas presents this year will be largely made in useful and practical articles, I have put in a most extensive line of hankercchiefs, for the Christmas trade.
I call to mind that the first Christmas that this store was doing business here, many spoke of Robinson's being the best place in town to buy hankercchiefs. The second year that we were here this reputation was maintained; but last year, through an oversight some of the very best numbers in stock were not shown. I have endeavored to more than make up for this in the present season's selections.
We have Hankercchiefs for "Children" and "Grown-ups," for Big Boys and Girls and Little Boys and Girls, the low priced ones and the high priced ones, in Cotton, Linen and Silk, and everyone of them is priced most reasonably.
By way of reminder I would mention the following:

- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR CHILDREN—with colored edge, two for 5 cents.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR CHILDREN—of fine cambric, hemstitched, embroidered, attractive figure designs, at 15 cents each.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR WOMEN—with colored edges, and colored borders, a remarkable value at four for 25 cents.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR WOMEN—in a wide range of patterns, in all white with white embroidery, and white with colored embroidery; a wonderful selection; at two for 25 cents.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR WOMEN—in genuine hand embroidered Madeira, wonderful work, in most exquisite designs, at 65 cents to 75 cents each.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR WOMEN—in fine sheer lawn, with Irish embroidered initials, at 35 cents each, or three for \$1.00.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR MEN—in good quality cambric, at two for 25 cents.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR MEN—with colored initials in the corner, at 25 cents each.
- HANKERCCHIEFS FOR MEN—in khaki colored, in cotton, cambric and silk, just the thing for the boys in the army, at 25 cents, 35 cents, and 45 cents.

Kayser Products
Made in the United States.
Silk Vests, plain and embroidered. Silk Knickerbockers. Silk Combinations. Silk Gloves, in black, white, gray and navy. Chambray Gloves, in white, gray and pongee. Silk Hosiery, in black, white, and colors, including champagne, gold, Russian brown, American beauty red, emerald green, Corvian, pearl gray and beige at prices low for the quality and quality are sold elsewhere. These are ideal Christmas gifts, being practical, and very pleasing to the average woman.

Camisoles
I believe that I am safe in saying that no store in this section is showing a more attractive line of new, dainty, and most desirable Camisoles, in lace and silk combinations, wash satin, and wash satin with Georgette crepe.

Boudoir Gaps
If I were to mention here the different distinct styles and kinds of Boudoir Gaps that we are showing, it would seem almost unbelievable; but an inspection is worth while even if you are so thought of buying as they are a delight to look at. So many kinds, so many clever ideas carried out in making these dainty little articles, that are such a delight to most women.

House Slippers
This store has enjoyed a remarkable sale on Felt Slippers for the past four seasons, and it seems to me that the line is more complete than ever, as we seem to have all of the most wanted kinds and styles for Men, Women and Children.
We have some wonderfully good numbers in Women's Slippers at \$1.15 and \$1.25 and \$1.50.
We carry these Felt Slippers in both the soft and hard soles. The line is worth your inspection, and I need scarcely say that there is hardly a thing in Christmas buying that is more practical, and generally used than Felt Slippers.

Fancy Ribbons
Our line of Fancy Ribbons, in all the latest colors, is truly remarkable. They come in both medium and wide, in light, dark, and dark colorings, in stripes, plaids and figures. You will find here just the thing for Fancy Work, Camisoles, and Hand Bags. The qualities are excellent, and the prices lower than you will find the same quality shown elsewhere.

Women's Neckwear
This store has shown in the past many new and most attractive things in Women's Neckwear, but the present season's line so far surpasses anything that we have ever shown before that a description almost seems out of the question.
There are separate Collars, Stocks, Jabots, and Collar and Cuff Sets, in lawn, wash satin, and lace trimmings. The words "Smart" and "Attractive" do not fully describe them. They are "Smart," "Exquisite," and "Dainty." Wonderfully clever; just the thing that adds the finishing touch to the well-dressed woman's costume. It will be worth your while to come in and just take a look at them. And while the quality is of the very best, the prices are reasonable.

Neck Pieces and Muffs
In furs we have the Black Lynx and Martin and Chinese Wolf, River Mink, Japanese Mink, and Chinese Mink.
We have the round or melon muffs, and the flat or pillow muffs.
These are all of superior quality, made up in the best possible manner, and the prices very, very reasonable for such excellent articles.

Maribou Pieces
Maribou pieces, in the way of Scarves and Mitts, in black and colors, are quite the newest thing in this line. I have received so many compliments on the showing that it is being made of these articles, that it is not to be believed that we have just about the best in these new and clever articles; and there is nothing more practical and useful for a Christmas gift than a fine fur or merino neck-piece, muff, or set.
It will be worth your while to inspect this line in connection with your Christmas purchases.

Aprons
I think I am warranted in saying that this store has always carried a more complete line of White Aprons than can be found elsewhere in this vicinity; and the line at the present time is quite comprehensive.
It includes Tea Aprons, Sewing Aprons, Waitresses' Aprons, and Nurse's Aprons. We have in stock the kind used at the present time, by those who are nursing influenza cases.

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SOLDIER TELLS EXPERIENCES AT THE FRONT

Machine Gunner Paul Stettler of Twin Falls Discerns Prospect in October for Early End of War

Accounting some of his experiences during the closing days of the war as a member of the One Hundred Twenty-first machine gun battalion of the Thirty-second division, made up of Wisconsin and Michigan troops, which had received at that time five citations for distinguished service, Paul Stettler of Twin Falls, has written to his brother Ernest Stettler, a letter under date of October 23, in which he declared the chance good for the war ending within the year.

Paul Stettler enlisted in June, 1917, in the machine gun company of the Second Idaho regiment, and sailed with that unit from Camp Mills on the Connecticut which has since been submerged, and arrived in France on New Year's day, 1918. He transferred later to the unit with which he is now serving.

Excerpts from his letter to his brother following:

Meeting Severed Resistance.

"Received your letter of Sept. 15th and will attempt to drop you a few lines. Have not had much of a chance to write as we have been up on this line for the past month.

"Yes, I was in the advance from Chateau Thierry on the Marston-Southern line. We took quite a part in it as we were mentioned in dispatches. We also received a couple of citations for the good work we have done up here on this new front. On this front we were meeting the most severe resistance the Americans have struck as yet, so I suppose you can guess just where we are.

"The allies have done wonderful things in the past three months and the way things look now the chance of the war ending this year are good. From the appearance of everything the heels evidently intended to hold the ground he had taken, as everywhere we have driven them back behind concrete parapets and barbed wire, electric telegraph lines and many railway systems.

Boys Depend on Home Folks

"Tell me all about the fourth Liberty loan—know it will be a success as all of the boys at the front feel that the people at home are backing them in the halls.

"We are back from the front for a day or two of rest, although they never take us back far enough that we can't hear and feel the rumble of the artillery and see the flash of the guns at night. The allies continue victorious all along the whole front, taking many prisoners and guns and great quantities of other war material.

"Have been through two real big battles and have come through with flying colors. In the last battle we fought side by side with the famous 'Foreign Legion' and the 'French Blue Devils.' We attacked a nest of about thirty enemy machine guns and completely wiped them out.

Heavy Fights Desperately

"The Germans have many machine guns and a few light field guns and they have to face them. They have drawn all of their heavy guns to the rear leaving the machine guns and light artillery to hinder our advance. The men that are left behind have orders to fight to the last man.

"Our division has received three citations from the French government and two from the American government."

SETTLERS TURN DISTRICT DOWN

Unofficial Returns of Election Show Association Proposals is Defeated

Reports received here this morning by F. E. Bicknell, attorney for the Salmon River Settlers' association, that the proposed Salmon River irrigation district, submitted to an election of the voters of the proposed district Wednesday, failed to receive the required two-thirds majority required and was lost. A light vote was cast, unofficial returns showing 165 votes in favor of the district and 131 against it.

The Settlers' association, which sponsored the district plan, will meet in the near future. It is anticipated to determine the future course of that organization in the premises.

The vote by divisions on the proposition is as follows: Americans and Oregonians 22 for, 30 against; Hollister 30 for, 29 against; Houghton 24 for, 9 against; Burger 43 for, 14 against; Alendale 22 for, 61 against.

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Personals

Mrs. J. Montgoth and daughter Edith of Kimberly shopped here Wednesday.

Alla King of Kimberly shopped here Wednesday.

Sherman Powell left for Boise on Wednesday.

Edith Garrison of Churchill shopped here Wednesday.

Idella Farnsworth of Kimberly spent Wednesday in Twin Falls.

Mrs. A. J. Myre of Rogerson spent Wednesday here on business.

C. R. Shipman returned from Rock Rapids, Iowa, on Wednesday.

G. M. N. Tabb of Kimberly spent the day here Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Peterson spent the day here from Rogerson on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Kastlin of Kimberly shopped in Twin Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Ruth Tolman of Morningside spent Wednesday in Twin Falls shopping.

Mrs. J. R. Cunningham left for Buhl Wednesday to visit her son, Ross Walker.

Miss Edith Kingery of Rock Creek is spending the holidays with friends here.

Miss Laura Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. George Patton of Curry spent Wednesday here.

Miss Edith West of Wendell is a guest here of her friend, Miss Ruby Hughes.

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With Hosts and Hostesses

Miss Faith DeWitt was hostess at her home Thursday and Friday evening last at a party for several friends. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour, and refreshments were served. The guests were Miss Ruth Beauchamp, Miss Albertine Benoit, Miss Anna Robinson, Miss Myrtle Giar, Miss Julia Ward, Miss Margaret Bennett, Miss Gladys Chasnel, Miss Doris Cox, Miss Bee Cox, Miss Mildred Amabary, Miss Priscilla Munson, Miss Elonor Munson, Miss Anabel McMaster.

The guests on Friday were Miss Hazel Hootfield, Miss Irene Hall, Miss Grace Post, Miss Bonnie Herriman, Miss Julia Wood, Layton Dezynolds, Melvin Giar, George Baker, Ross Bates, Lewis Herriman, Donald Crow.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday in Twin Falls to the following: John A. Carman and Hattie J. Reed, both of Rupert, Idaho.

William G. Thomas and Ruth Massey, both of Buhl, Idaho.

NOTED SINGER GOES TO POLAND

PARIS, Dec. 10.—Jan Fawcettwood has gone to Poland on a British battleship to rally his countrymen against the invading Bohemian army.

Advertisements in the Classified columns of the News. Somebody will want it.

U. S. MOTOR EXPRESS LINE

TWIN FALLS TO BLISS PHONE 567

FILER OFFICE PHONE 292

BUHL OFFICE PHONE 43

JUST SAY--SHIP BY MOTOR EXPRESS STEVE

TWIN FALLS BOY FALLS IN ACTION

Official Report is Received Here of Death of William Galen McMaster

William Galen McMaster of Twin Falls was killed in action in France September 27, according to official information received here Wednesday by his brother, Crawford McMaster. Relatives here heard from him last in a letter under date of September 10. He was serving with the One Hundred Fifty-seventh infantry regiment, with which he left Camp Kearney, California, for France.

Galen McMaster was 20 years of age on October 20 last, and was born in Bedford, Iowa. He spent practically all of his life in Twin Falls, and graduated in 1915 from the Twin Falls high school. In the fall of that year he went with his friend Wilbur Quigley to South America, where they remained for several months. Upon his return, he applied for voluntary induction into the military service but was assigned to a deferred classification on account of his agricultural interests. He attended the Iowa agricultural college at Ames, Iowa, during the winter of 1917, but came back here in the spring of 1918 to enter the ser-

ROBINSON'S

Misses' Dresses in combinations of plain and plaid luffeta silk, and plain colored velvets and messaline. Very smart looking and most reasonably priced.

Edward H. Robinson

Births

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Moorman, Eighth avenue east, are rejoicing over the arrival on December 9 of a baby son.

Classified Ads are cheap—effective.

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Announcements

Twin Falls Lodge No. 33 will confer the Second Degree in I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening, December 10 at 7:30. All members are cordially invited to be present.

The Board of Directors of the Federation of Rural Clubs will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the farm bureau office. A good attendance is especially desired.

Advertisements in the Classified columns of the News. Somebody will want it.

"The Store of a Thousand Gifts" BOOTH'S

Did you ever stop to think that most every article in this store would make an acceptable gift. Something beautiful — something useful—that's the spirit of the times.

Furs at Reductions

Every piece of fur reduced for immediate selling. Wouldn't they make handsome gifts?

Ladies' Bath Robes

A warm gift—sure enuf. They don't cost so much either—and they are made up good looking.

Warm Slippers

Lots of sizes broken, but still there are plenty of children's and ladies' for all. A few real imported Scotch plaid slippers 75c.

Ladies' Neckchains and Pins

Some of the prettiest you ever saw at unmatchable prices. It's wonderful what pretty jewelry at the price.

The Handkerchief Store

Probably as many pretty handkerchiefs are shown here as in many very much larger cities. Hand embroidered linen and those pretty Irish lawns, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Why Not Silk Waists?

Extra pretty new ones to choose from.

Blankets Make Excellent Gifts

Those pretty plaids—so soft and warm—"cuddly" expresses it. Special prices on the lot.

Wouldn't Towels Be Suitable?

Linen huck guest towels—old prices, 50c and 75c. Turkish towels—in pretty patterns, 35c up.

Silk Underwear is Fine

Every lady appreciates silk underwear and not one has all she wants. Silk Camisoles, \$1.50 up. Silk Teddy Bears, very handsome, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Others for \$6.50, \$7.50. Gowns, \$7.50 up.

Babies' Gifts

Hard to find, but here they are. Silk jackets and robes from Japan. Silk Hose. Wool Sweaters, Bath Robes, etc.

Ladies' Gloves and Silk Hose

Every year more than ever. Every year better and better. Every year this is the place to buy and save. A real silk hose (Phoenix) for \$1.00, Kayser for \$2.00, La France \$2.00. A fine new cape-kid glove for \$1.95.

Closing Out Toys

A few toys to close out at half price. Except Tinker Toys, 50c.

See Our Unbreakable Dolls

These pretty unbreakable dolls are about 50c to 75c less than most places.

Hair Ribbons—Always Needed

And such pretty ones we never had before—not so high either.

Velvet Bags—Purses of Leather

Many, many to choose from. The new envelope purses—all leather from \$1.50 up—just the gift she'll want.

Dress Silks Always Good

The latest patterns—a pretty silk will make up just so pretty

Booth Mercantile Co.

"Another Package From Booth's"



HOLIDAY GIFTS

All of Us Look Forward to Christmas

with happy anticipation—with that feeling of relief which is the heritage of the colossal task accomplished. But there are many conditions which peace exacts and none of us must ignore them. One for consideration is the government request, still emphatically expressed

DO CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY

A Message From Santa Claus



DEAR FOLKS:—

Christmas is rapidly approaching—only four more buying days remain and the last of them will be days of such tremendous activity, that this store will be taxed to its utmost capacity.

I am making my headquarters at The Big White Store and I want to impress upon the people of Twin Falls and vicinity that this is Twin Falls' greatest Christmas store. This store is carrying more merchandise of true worth than any store in Twin Falls. It is offering more attractions for young and old; in fact, it has made shopping reach the highest degree of pleasure.

Note this also: This store affords you the opportunity of buying gifts at a lesser expense than anywhere in town.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE FOR CHRISTMAS? This very pertinent question is answered—exhaustively, thoroughly, comprehensively, suggestively. We have gifts appropriate for every member of the family; father, mother, brother, sister, relatives, friends or sweethearts.

With the selection as varied and attractive as it is this year at this store, Christmas shopping and gift buying is more of a pleasure than a drudgery. You come into this store and see so many beautiful things, that are suitable gifts for the loved ones in mind, that you are happily perplexed in not knowing which ones of the hundreds to buy. We offer you the result of years of buying and looking around for Christmas goods. We are mentioning a few of the appropriate articles for Christmas and are purposely omitting prices in order that you may forget about the cost in anticipation of the pleasure of giving.

Yours with genuine happiness, SANTA CLAUS.

GIFTS FOR EVERYONE

Christmas Handbags and Purses

Very latest designs, priced from **\$1.00 to \$15.00 each**

Give Her a Waist for Christmas
Handsome Georgettes

Silk Hose are Always Appreciated

Ladies' Silk Hose.....**\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50**
Ladies' Fibre Silk Hose.....**50c and 75c**
Men's Silk Hose.....**\$1.00 and \$1.50**

Divided into three groups for your convenience

Art Department Suggestion

Scarfs for Table, Buffet or Dresser;
Pillow Slips, Doilies, Center Pieces

Christmas Handkerchiefs

Pure Linen**25c, 35c, 50c**
Linen Initial**35c**
In Holiday Boxes.....**35c and 65c**
Children's Handkerchiefs**5c**
Others at.....**15c, 2 for 25c**

Muslin Underwear

Imported fine hand embroidered muslin underwear

Bath Sets

Table Linen

Bed Spreads

Silk Petticoats

Children's Caps

For Men and Boys

A good Suit or Overcoat for man or boy will certainly be appreciated by the recipient and will be in keeping with the spirit of making this a Christmas of useful gifts. Other much appreciated gifts are:

Mufflers	Bathrobes
Hats	Sweaters
Ties	Mackinaws
Trunks	Shirts
Suit Cases	Pajamas
Bags	Sox
Slippers	Handkerchiefs

READ THIS

Perhaps some suggestions---Suits, Coats, Fancy Silks, Jewelry, Toilet Articles, Blankets, Underwear, Furs in Sets, Neckpieces, Muffs, Neckwear, Ribbons--may solve your problem.

GROCERIES

We are all stocked to meet your Christmas needs—and always at reasonable prices. Candies, nuts, cranberries, celery—in fact everything you will need.

A FINAL WORD

We have everything on display—arranged for easy shopping. Come in and let us assist you in making your selection of gifts.

Only Four More Days to Shop

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WINDOW GLASS—Also screen work.
Moon Shop, Phone 31
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Veran's Novelty Shop.
AUCTIONEERS
AUCTIONEER—Z. S. Branson, auctioneer.
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OBITUARIES
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DR. WYLLY'S OBITUARIES
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF TWIN FALLS COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO
In the matter of the Estate of Geo. F. Allen, Deceased.
Pursuant to an order of said Court, made on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1918, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said County, in the County of Twin Falls, Idaho, will be read and filed for the purpose of proving the Will of said Geo. F. Allen, deceased, and for hearing the application of Rosa M. Allen for the issuance to her of letters testamentary and when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated December 16, 1918.
H. C. DUVALL, Probate Judge.
H. C. HAZEL, Attorney for Petitioner.
Learn When to Be Silent!
The union of good talker and listener is irrealistic. Fact should teach us when to be silent. We have made progress when we realize that it is unnecessary to continually be explaining everything in detail.
Favors Absolutism Abolitionist.
A recent report of British experts favors absolutism. Abstention from strong drink, but supports the use of light wines and liquors.
Advertise in the Classified columns of The News. Somebody will want it.

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FOR Christmas Turkeys phone 288 J.I.L.
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AUTO FOR SALE—Cheap, almost new. Farmer's Blacksmith Shop.
FOR SALE—A modern cafe in best town in Idaho. E. H. care News.
FOR SALE—Seventeen Rhode Island Red Cockerels. Call early, phone 7128.
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FOR SALE—107 Ford Roadster in good condition. Kimberly Hdw. & Typ. Co., Kimberly, Idaho.
TYPEWRITERS—Rebuilt machines, any make, for sale or rent. See Hoover at Business College.
FOR SALE—Apple trees, at the Anchor Hay, Grain & Feed Co., 240, Sixth ave. W. Telephone 22.
FOR SALE—Four horses and harness or will trade for Ford touring car or truck. 240 Sixth ave. W.
FOR SALE or trade for horses, 4-year-old percheron stallion, weight 1750. Ed Terpratz, Bogerson.
FOR SALE—Ford Roadster, good new. Inquire for H. C. Dickerson at Ostrander Lumber Co., Box 2047.
FOR SALE—1-ton Ford Truck 1914, 25 ft. Reynolds mill. Warehouse Truck. Pivo-ton wagon scale. Apply Sterling Creamery.
FOR SALE—Well located, improved, irrigated Ada county farm. Fine land. Write owner, S. D. Fairchild, R. D. 9, Kuna, Ida.
FOR SALE—4-room modern house, 4500 down, balance easy terms. Inquire at 631 Blue Lakes Blvd. P. H. Barnhill.
FOR SALE CHEAP—Good work horses, buggy and harness. T. H. Harbar, at end of side walk, east on Kimberly, close phone 7124.
FOR SALE—Now Fairbanks 4-ton registering beam wagon scale, including lumber frame, new weighed over, bargain. Adams Produce company.
APPLIES for sale. A. J. Rogan ranch, 4 miles north, then 1 1/2 west of the north end of Main Street. If you want apples for Christmas, come this week. Bring sacks or boxes. Telephone 5272.
FOR chicken feed, dairy feed, horse feed, hog feed, fatted hay, etc., telephone 23. Delivered anywhere within the city limits free of charge. Anchor Hay, Grain & Feed Co., 240-248 Sixth ave. W.
Wanted
WANTED—To buy 1 h. p. electric motor. Phone 61131.
ALWAYS in the market for haled alfalfa. Get our price. Anchor Hay, Grain & Feed Co.
WANTED—1500 sheep for summer pasturing. Plenty of feed, water and shade. Ed Terpratz, Bogerson.
SITUATION WANTED—By Al salesman or general clerk. 4504 Eighth ave. E., or address, Balasman care News.
WANTED—To buy on monthly payment plan, 4 or 5-room house, electric heat preferred. P. O. Box 403 or phone 2272.
WANTED—All kinds oliver, good, cheap, alkali, white, etc. The Alberts, Dickinson Co., Chicago. Local office at Twin Falls, Idaho. Phone 904.
MONEY WANTED—We have loans for private money as follows: \$2000 to 40,000 acres, \$1250 to 20,000 acres, 5 years at 8 per cent, first mortgage; also \$500 to 2000 acres and building at 10 per cent, 6 months to 20 per cent. Call write: Ripley & Thom, the Builders, Filer, Idaho.
Advertise in the Classified columns of The News. Somebody will want it.

Hop Wanted
GIRL wanted at Varney's.
GIRL wanted at Horst & Bambo's.
For Rent
FOR RENT—Five-room house, 528 Fourth ave. W.
FOR RENT—Furnished room in private family. Phone 915W.
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FOUND—14-lbcs John Deere plow share. Apply Delco-Light office, Twin Falls.
LOANS
FARM LOANS, A. L. Swim.
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MONTHLY PAYMENT LOANS at lower rates than have ever been offered heretofore. Arthur L. Swim.
FARM LOANS, CITY LOANS, FIRE INSURANCE, AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE. Arthur L. Swim.
STRAIGHT 3 YEAR LOANS and MONTHLY PAYMENT LOANS on modern Twin Falls dwellings at attractive rates. Arthur L. Swim.
ORDINANCE NO. 12
Sec. 1.—That it is hereby made unlawful for any person to ride any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, or other vehicle upon any public sidewalk within the corporate limits of the City of Twin Falls.
Sec. 2.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
ORDINANCE NO. 25
Sec. 1.—That it shall be unlawful for any person within the corporate limits of the City of Twin Falls to fire, kindle, place, light, or fire any of any description, or fire, explode or set off any squib, cracker or any other thing containing powder, or other combustible material, without the permission of the mayor (which permission shall include the time of such firing and shall be subject to be revoked by the mayor or city council at any time after the same has been granted).
Sec. 2.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00).
The above excerpts were passed by the city council on:
Ordinance No. 12, October 31, 1907.
Ordinance No. 25, June 15, 1909, and are still in force, having never been repealed.
Numerous complaints by the probation officer and police officers is the reason for this publication.
W. A. MINNICK, City Clerk.
CURRY NEWS NOTES
(Special to The News)
CURRY—Mrs. C. R. Harvey and Mrs. Ed. Wynnman, representing Curry-school district for Red Cross membership.
Mr. R. G. Evers' sister from Filer has been visiting at his home.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cooper are improving after a severe attack of influenza.
A. L. Hammond is in Pocatello where he is employed in the railroad shops. Mr. Eshp has been on the sick list a few days.
W. O. Foush and Schuyler Day were Curry visitors Saturday.
Mrs. Elsie Warrington and daughter have moved to Filer, where they will take charge of the Filer Cafe.
Schuyler Day and family have returned from Kansas where they have been for the past year. Their present home is near Bull.
A daughter was born December 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Harvey.
Miss Alice Wood and Helen Daneske spent Tuesday with friends at Curry.
Miss Gomerson of Twin Falls took Sunday dinner at the home of L. J. Miller.
Miss Mary De Bussan is at home with her parents for a few weeks.
Reviewing a Kindness.
If you have done a kind thing, do not spoil it by talking too much about it. The people who are all the time drawing attention to their kindness and generosity, and the sacrifices they have made, are not the ones who can expect the most sincere gratitude.
First-Known Whereabouts.
The first envelope of which there is any knowledge enclosed a letter sent in 1838 by Sir William Tombs to Sir James O'Gillie. The epistle, with its coverings, is still preserved in the British museum.
Old and Good Song.
That very well-known ditty, "For I'm a Jolly Good Fellow," is the remains of an old cruetier's song of the twelfth century. It has come down to us with many variations and innumerable verbal adaptations.
Kerensons.
It is believed that Kerensons was first used for lighting in 1836.
Subscribe now for the NEWS.

SAD STORY OF GIRL WIFE IS TOLD IN TRIAL
Witness Explains Poisoning of Father-in-Law While Accused Woman Sadly Sees Last Hope Vanish
GENEEO, N. Y., Dec. 10.—Mrs. Gladys Webster, 19, on trial for the murder of Edward Webster, her father-in-law, listened with pale and pathetic amen while Lila Bell, a nurse, told how she unwillingly administered poison milk to the victim.
Miss Bell says she drank some of the milk which poisoned Webster and was herself made ill. She immediately took an emetic. In answer to a question by the defense, she said she made no effort to relieve her patient when he showed symptoms of serious illness, as he was suffering from a throat malady and was feared to take nourishment through a tube.
The story of the troubled life of the defendant is being brought out by the various witnesses. It is a curious mixture of woman and child. She was one of the younger members of a family of ten. She was married when she was fifteen. Her baby was born a short time ago. It is apparent that her childhood was brief, and it is doubtful if she ever enjoyed anything but druggery until she went to her cell, charged with murder. Paradoxically the days spent in her cell seem to be the most restful of her life.

MINIDOKA COUNTY HAY GROWERS ORGANIZE
Send Manager of New Association to Montana to Locate Markets for Product at \$20
RUPEET—A largely attended meeting held in the park Saturday afternoon resulted in the forming of the Minidoka County Hay Growers' association with a healthy membership, says the Minidoka County Patriot.
Wiles Vesada of Jerome, manager of the Lincoln County Hay Growers' association, was the principal speaker. He explained the plan of his organization and told of the results accomplished. I. N. Wallingford acted as chairman.
Local hay growers have found it difficult to market their alfalfa. For some time orders came to the local farm bureau principally from the state farm markets department, but for the past five weeks these orders have practically ceased and the new organization came into being for the purpose of enabling the growers to find a market and get a fair price. Many farmers have been unable to dispose of their crop.
It was at first the plan to join in the Lincoln county organization, but later decided to organize independently, although affiliating to a certain extent with the Lincoln county organization and the farm bureau. It is the wish of the local organization not to interfere with the territory now controlled by the older organization. A governing board, consisting of I. N. Wallingford, manager; Lako Williams, treasurer and J. B. Fincher, secretary, was appointed and they are now working on the organizing of the new association. Contract blanks are to be found in all the blanks and farmers are invited to look them over and sign up. A membership fee of 10 cents per ton of hay listed is charged. The first 50 cents per ton will be collected. This is expected to pay all expenses of the organization. Already over 2500 tons of hay have been listed.
Manager Wallingford will leave Saturday for Montana to locate a market, and the first of the week another man will be sent into Washington and Oregon. The new organization received orders for two cars of alfalfa for Montana points, to be marketed, and the first of the week another man will be sent into Washington and Oregon. The new organization received orders for two cars of alfalfa for Montana points, to be marketed, and the first of the week another man will be sent into Washington and Oregon. The new organization received orders for two cars of alfalfa for Montana points, to be marketed, and the first of the week another man will be sent into Washington and Oregon.

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Real Estate \$250 Per Acre
SMITH & HILL
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WE HAVE THE BEST BEAN STORAGE AND CLEANING FACILITIES IN TOWN
MUNSON & HARDER

SUGAR IS ALLOWED FOR CHRISTMAS CANDIES
We will have all the new varieties.
Phone 366

KIMBERLY PHYSICIAN RETURNS FROM CAMP
Dr. J. N. Davis Resumes Practice of His Profession a Conclusion of Term of Service
(Special to The News)
KIMBERLY—Dr. J. N. Davis returned the last of the week from Ft. Ord, California, where he had been training with the medical officers of the United States army.
John Wilkinson has returned from the army after having spent several months in the service.
Zack Caldwell went on Monday from California where he was in the government training school at Berkeley. He may decide to remain in Kimberly.
R. H. Atkinson and family expect to move to Twin Falls this week where he will be in charge of the Gen State lumber office. C. Doty of Newport will take the yard here and will move as soon as he can get quarters for his family.
J. L. Okes and daughter, Mrs. B. F. Holland, left the first of the week for Indiana where they will visit for some time with friends and relatives.
The Troobrod and Koke sale will be well attended and stock sold well. Both parties will continue to live near Kimberly.
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ulrich were called to Nebraska a few days ago by a telegram announcing the death of Oscar Nelson and the serious illness of their daughter—Mrs. Nelson.
The school children are being vaccinated at the infirmary this week. Dr. Fisher—the service being furnished free by the board in order to stop the epidemic.
C. T. Brown left for California Sunday evening where he will spend the winter with Mrs. Brown in Los Angeles.
Roy Wood is carrying the mail now on one of the routes out of Kimberly.

YARD-MANAGER HURT WHEN LUMBER TOPPLES
H. B. Thomas of Berger Receiving Injuries necessitating His Removal to Hospital
(Special to The News)
BERGER—H. B. Thomas, manager of the Nibby-Chancellor lumber yard, was seriously injured Monday when a pile of lumber fell on him. He was taken to a Twin Falls hospital for medical attention.
Thomas was taken to a hospital at Pocatello, Idaho, where he is recovering from his injuries.
Dr. C. Q. McGinnis, county health officer, was here Monday to inoculate the school children with influenza serum. School here will not reopen until the first of the year.
The names of those here from Indiana are the following: Oberon Garber, Dick Holloway, David Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lammer and H. E. Thomas.
Ernest Hill and Delbert Holloway were home from Twin Falls over Sunday.
A. A. Joiner is loading a car of baled hay for L. O. Evans.
Mrs. H. C. Lammer returned Thursday from Eden where she had been visiting the pile of her daughter's family during their illness from influenza.
J. M. Pierce paid \$300 each for two pure bred Short Horn heifers at a sale near Kimberly Friday.

TRAVELERS FROM NEVADA BLAZE TRAIL IN TOWN
Apparently Exhausted Motorists Take Ball Off Bridge and Hang Up in Wire Fence
ROCK CREEK—The fact that Monday was the last "free" day in Nevada has been the cause of much traffic in that direction. Last Sunday a car containing three men who had evidently drunk their supply to prevent contention by the sheriff, passed through here, removing all of the railing from the bridge just north of the canal bridge. They made the difficult turn at the Rock Creek bridge, but ran into a barbed wire fence—a short distance further, where they remained until a good natured motorist released their car from the entanglements and took them on their way. A later report stated that they were finally towed home.
Charles Walgamott, of Twin Falls, passed Wednesday here on business for the Lind Act.
Mrs. Eva Grandchild received word from Hollister Friday that her brother, L. B. Bredth, is very ill of pneumonia at his home there.
Mrs. Hyde and Dolph Murray took a bunk for L. J. Leary's cattle to his Deep Creek ranch Thursday. Mr. Larson went over Thursday to make some necessary arrangements about their care, and the entire party returned on Friday.
Fred Deaver, Tunks, of Bogerson, arrived here Friday evening for an indefinite visit with friends here. Mrs. Tunks is at present at the L. P. Larson home.

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(Special to The News)
BERGER—H. B. Thomas, manager of the Nibby-Chancellor lumber yard, was seriously injured Monday when a pile of lumber fell on him. He was taken to a Twin Falls hospital for medical attention.
Thomas was taken to a hospital at Pocatello, Idaho, where he is recovering from his injuries.
Dr. C. Q. McGinnis, county health officer, was here Monday to inoculate the school children with influenza serum. School here will not reopen until the first of the year.
The names of those here from Indiana are the following: Oberon Garber, Dick Holloway, David Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lammer and H. E. Thomas.
Ernest Hill and Delbert Holloway were home from Twin Falls over Sunday.
A. A. Joiner is loading a car of baled hay for L. O. Evans.
Mrs. H. C. Lammer returned Thursday from Eden where she had been visiting the pile of her daughter's family during their illness from influenza.
J. M. Pierce paid \$300 each for two pure bred Short Horn heifers at a sale near Kimberly Friday.

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LABOR REPORTS SHOW GENERALLY HEALTHY STATE

Department of Labor Collects Information Throughout Country Showing Situation at Beginning Reconstruction

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 17.—The initial weekly reports which are now being received each week by the department of labor through the United States employment service from every important community in the country indicate at this time a fairly healthy condition in most of the large industrial centers. In many instances, the demand for labor either equals or exceeds the supply.

These reports, which refer only to the immediate situation, will be received by wire every week from the community labor boards of the United States employment service and are used as a barometer in making recommendations, allocating labor, curtailment and cancellation of war contracts and the demobilization of the army. For the week ending December 9, reports were received from about 6,000 employers employing over three million men in 104 centers in thirty-four states.

Allocation Just Beginning
In gauging the situation from the following summaries it must be remembered that the demobilization of the army and the allocation of labor from war and peace industries has barely begun.

Conditions in New York state (including Greater New York) are reported as good everywhere. In Buffalo there is an excess of about 6,000 men probably in a tapering off of war plans contracts, but this surplus will be absorbed by other industries in the Buffalo region. The Pierce Arrow factory in particular report that instead of laying off men, they are adding to their force.

Pennsylvania, which has had many war contracts of great magnitude, reports the situation good everywhere. In the industrial centers like Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Harrisburg, reports show a heavy shortage in labor with the supply not there equaling the demand. South Bethlehem reports a surplus of 108 in skilled labor, but a big shortage of common labor. Scranton, in the heart of the anthracite mining region, reports a shortage of 6,000.

Reports from New England, especially Connecticut, show a healthy condition. New London, New Britain, Meriden and Derby Connecticut, show heavy shortages while other centers report the supply equals the demand with the exception of Stamford, where there is a slight surplus. In Massachusetts, there is a shortage in Boston and a slight surplus in Lynn. Other sections report the supply equals the demand. Maine and New Hampshire report the supply equals the demand with conditions generally good.

In New Jersey there is a heavy shortage in Trenton, Jersey City and Elizabeth. In such centers as Newark, Paterson and New Brunswick the supply about equals the demand.

In Ohio the situation is generally good. There is a shortage of labor in Youngstown and a slight surplus in Dayton and Toledo. At Akron a net increase in requirements of 5,000 workmen is expected during the coming year.

Auto Makers Hiring Men
In Detroit, Mich., the center of the automobile industry, sixty-seven concerns employing 150,000 men report the supply of labor just equals the demand. Several of the major automobile manufacturers say that instead of laying off men on account of cancellation of war contracts, they are planning to add to their forces. In Flint, there is some slight decrease but it is thought to be completely offset by the fact that the Buick machinists are out.

In the middle western states, including Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and Missouri, the supply equals the demand with the exception of South Bend, Indiana, where there is a shortage. In Chicago, 175 employers, employing 140,000 men, say the supply equals the demand but a heavy increase in requirements is expected during the coming week. Minneapolis expects a slight increase and St. Louis, a heavy decrease.

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NEW BOND LAW FOGES CITY TO TAKE NEW TACK

Margin of \$87,000 Permitted Under Statute Held Insufficient for Twin Falls Contemplated Improvement Work

The action of the last session of the state legislature in reducing the limit of bonded indebtedness for municipalities from 15 per cent to 10 per cent of the assessed valuation has put the city of Twin Falls to the necessity of ascertaining whether or not other sources of revenue cannot be drawn upon to defray the cost of replacing an inadequate and unsafe bridge across Rock Creek at the southwest end of Shoshone street with a new bridge. This necessity was developed in discussion at the meeting Monday of the city council following the presentation of the report of City Attorney John E. Davies in the matter.

Other Ovals Considered
Enforcement of this provision of the new law will reduce Twin Falls' present bonding limit to \$87,000, it is said, out of which provision must be made for whatever is done in the way of sewer extension, street paving or other improvement.

The possibility of securing for this purpose from the Twin Falls highway district a percentage of the taxes for roads purposes collected in the corporate limits of the city is to be investigated as is also the question of whether or not certain credits to the city of the county road funds have been allowed in the past.

The proposal for holding in connection with the coming city election, a bond election to provide funds for the building of the proposed new bridge was presented at a prior meeting of the council by Councilman E. J. Ostrander.

Engineer Submits Plan
F. E. Murray of Billings, Montana, supervising engineer for the Hansen bridge commission, laid before the council at its meeting Monday, preliminary plans for a new bridge across Rock creek, to be built of steel and concrete with a roadway 30 feet wide, at an approximate cost of \$140,000.

Deaths

Boas Baby
Funeral services for the fourteen-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boas, 619 Second avenue west, were held at 1 o'clock this afternoon from the Crosby chapel under the auspices of the L. D. S. church.

Mrs. Beulah Langford
The remains of Mrs. Beulah Langford, aged 28, wife of J. Blain Langford, who died Wednesday at her home in Rogerson from pneumonia following influenza, were taken this morning for interment at her former home in Menota, Illinois.

Paul Blankenship
Funeral services for Paul Blankenship, 17 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Blankenship, were held at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the Grossman & DeWitt chapel and were conducted by Rev. G. L. Owen of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Ella Hopkins
At her father's home west of Kimberly, Mrs. Ella Hopkins, aged 32 years, widow of James F. Hopkins, died Tuesday from pneumonia. The remains are at the Grossman & DeWitt undertaking establishment. Funeral arrangements to be completed upon receipt of word from relatives in Missouri.

Leonard Parker
Funeral services for Leonard Parker, 17 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Parker of Amsterdam, who died Tuesday at the family home from pneumonia following influenza, were held at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the Grossman & DeWitt chapel and were conducted by Rev. G. L. Owen of the Baptist church.

John Smith
Funeral services for John Smith, aged 27 years, who died Tuesday morning at his home near Rogerson from pneumonia following influenza, were conducted at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the Grossman & DeWitt chapel by Rev. G. L. Owen of the Baptist church. Deceased leaves five brothers, two of whom are in the military service and three are residents of Rogerson.

ITALIAN KING ARRIVES
PARIS, Dec. 19.—King Victor Emmanuel of Italy arrived in Paris at 3:10 o'clock this afternoon.

FAVOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS
ST. PAUL, Dec. 19.—Minnesota, Montana and North and South Dakota will join in a congress favoring the League of Nations, to be held here February 18 and 19, it is announced. William H. Taft is expected to be one of the speakers.

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Lieutenant Bracken Coming From Siberia

Son of Late Mayor Leaving Military Service to Take Up Father's Affairs

First Lieutenant Leo F. Bracken, with the American expeditionary forces in Siberia, has been permitted to resign his commission and return to Twin Falls to take charge of the business of his father, the late Mayor E. F. Bracken, who was president of the Idaho State bank.

According to a cablegram received from Wednesday by his mother, Lieutenant Bracken will return here about the last of January. Representative Addison T. Smith was instrumental in securing his release from the military service.

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LIGHT WINTER ANTICIPATED

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Either the coal bins throughout the country are filled or Mr. Consumer does not anticipate a hard winter.

This was the conclusion drawn in the November report and the December prediction of the coal situation made by Hale Holden, regional director of the central western division of Director General McAdoo.

The decrease was primarily due to lack of market, Holden said. He believed there will be little change in December and the use of storage coal will result in continued light shipments.

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