

RUSSIA CENTER OF STRUGGLE OF PEACE SESSION

The Right of the People to Self-Determination and Its Application to Russian Situation the Specific Question

PROBLEM OF INDUSTRIAL DEMOCRACY IS INVOLVED

Americans Seem to Favor the Sending of a Commission of Investigation or Asking the Soviets to the Conference

By LOWELL MELLETT

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The greatest political battle of modern times was being fought out here today—in secret. This struggle centered on the Russian situation. Its outcome was believed to hinge largely on the result of the newspaper correspondent's fight for publicity of the peace proceedings.

The general question at stake was the right of a people to self-determination. The specific question was the application of this vital principle to Russia. This matter was being discussed along with the problem of open or secret diplomacy. If the correspondents win their fight for admission to the conference, the nature of the other big conflict will soon become apparent.

Opinions Differ Some inkling of the situation was given to America by the United Press recently, when it revealed the fact that the peace delegates were divided as to whether a fair inquiry should be made into Russian affairs, with a view to offering cooperation or whether the conference should act on the assumption that the situation is exactly as has been painted by hostile propaganda and that investigation is unnecessary.

Further inkling came when the French socialist newspaper Humanite picked out of the air (this is literally possible in these wireless days) the text of Foreign Minister Pichon's response to Great Britain's proposal for at least partial recognition of the soviet government, revealing an evident effort to use the old method of secret diplomacy to dispose of matters as vital as the Russian situation.

Needs Careful Handling It was explained today that the matter of sending an allied commission to investigate Russian conditions is being held in abeyance because of the illness of Colonel House. This is only part of the reason. The other part is the sudden realization of certain quarters that such a move would mean at least partial recognition of the present situation of the Russian government. Unless the delegates are able to devise some form of inquiry that would eliminate all possibility of its being construed as any form of recognition, it is possible that no investigation of Russia problems will be undertaken until after the full peace congress votes on it—and then only in case the advocates of an inquiry outvote their opponents.

Russia's case puts on trial at the outset of the conference the principle of self-determination and it is certain to be a bitter fight, since it involves the question of the right of any nation to launch an entirely new form of government; in this instance, and industrial democracy.

A certain royal personage, speaking to the correspondent, a few days ago, remarked, "If Russia had taken the direction of a political democracy there would be no question of recognizing its government, regardless of allegations of atrocities and terrorism, but nobody knows where this industrial democracy will lead." He also remarked that the trouble with the soviet government is that it is "doing too damned well."

The American Idea So far as the American delegates are concerned, there are no signs of sympathy for the soviet regime, but they are alive to the danger of the peace conference working in the dark on a vital matter. This is responsible for their determination to find some method of throwing light on the Russian situation. Sending of a commission of investigation seems to be favored by the Americans at present, though there is some talk of inviting representatives of the soviets to come to Paris and state their case.

In the meantime, Colonel House is still in and the first step toward lightning the world as well as the peace delegates themselves may be a success of the fight to make good on President Wilson's first point.

IDAHO WEATHER: Bait tonight and Saturday.

LIEBKNECHT DEAD FOR SECOND TIME DECLARES OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Spartan Leader Together With Rosa Luxemburg Shot Down by Government Troops Following Escape from Prison

BANLE, Jan. 17.—The Frankfurter Zeitung, official confirms the death of Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg. The former was shot by his escort while trying to escape as he was being taken from his home to military headquarters. The woman was beaten into insensibility by a mob and then drowned in the Landwehr canal.

Rosa Luxemburg Lynched BERLIN, Jan. 16.—Karl Liebknecht, the most dramatic figure in Germany, was shot dead while trying to escape from a heavy escort of government troops, it was learned today. At the same time his chief lieutenant, Rosa Luxemburg, was lynched by a mob. The Spartan leader, who fell just short of overthrowing the now German government by a country-wide revolution, was trapped in his home and taken prisoner with his wife and sons. The latter were taken to jail. Liebknecht himself was being escorted to military headquarters. The automobile in which he was riding broke down. The party proceeded on foot. Liebknecht suddenly drew a knife, stabbed one of the guards and fled. The guards flung their rifles to their shoulders and fired. Liebknecht fell dead, riddled with bullets.

Body Thrown into Canal While Liebknecht was being hunted down, Rosa Luxemburg met death at the hands of a mob. The details of her death could not be definitely learned as this was written, but it is known she was beaten into insensibility by a maddened crowd and then thrown into the Landwehr canal. The government issued an official statement today announcing that the "murderers" of Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg "will be severely punished." It is known that several persons have been arrested in this connection.

GENERAL STRIKE IS PROVIDED FOR BY RESOLUTION

Mooney Defense Congress Is Asked to Take Drastic Action In An Effort to Assist the Condemned Man

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—July 4, 1919, was set today by the labor Mooney congress as the date for a nationwide strike as a protest against the imprisonment of Thomas J. Mooney.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—A resolution providing for a general strike July 4, and a delegation of five to go to Washington to present the Mooney case to the office of the attorney-general and to friends of labor in congress, was offered by a committee at the Mooney defense congress here today. The resolution was the first action taken regarding Mooney since the congress opened, although the announced purpose of the meeting was to discuss means of freeing him. Ballot, in control of the meeting up to today, had consumed practically all the time on other questions.

Many Provisions The report of the resolutions committee declared the move proposed was the result of 23 motions referred to the committee for recommendation. A vote was to be taken later today. Besides the strike and Washington trip, other provisions were: Request habeas corpus proceedings to remove the case from California jurisdiction. Visit to American Federation of Labor convention to ask cooperation. Ways and means to assist the international workers defense league of California. Amendments to California constitution enabling further legal moves to free Mooney. Strike referendum vote not later than June 1. Broad publicity. Organized Effort "There must be no sporadic strike," the resolution read. "Mooney has suffered long enough and if he is to free the strike must be well organized through every agency of the nation's labor."

J. G. Wheeler of the boilermakers' union, Oakland, California, advocated May 1 as the strike date. WISCONSIN ON DRY LIST MADISON, Wis., Jan. 17.—The Wisconsin legislature today completed its ratification of the national dry amendment when the house voted 59 to 39. The senate ratified two days ago.

GOVERNORS MAY STUDY PROBLEM OF EMPLOYMENT

Iowa Senator Proposes Conference of State Executives to Consider Means of Putting to Work the Unemployed

By L. C. MARTIN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—A conference of governors here to work out plans with the department of labor for putting the growing army of the unemployed to work at once, was proposed today by Senator Kuyon, Iowa. Kenyon and some other members of congress are alarmed at rapid increase of unemployment and the lack of any effective government plan for providing work. There is no lack of ideas in congress for creating jobs in the future, but how to apply work now is the problem worrying legislators.

Many Out of Work "I am going to suggest to the department of labor that the governors of the states be urged to attend either in person or through representatives at a conference with department officials to work out some means for putting to work at once the more than two hundred thousand men who, according to my information are jobless in the United States today," said Kenyon. "If the states will begin an emergency program of work at once so soon as weather conditions will permit, it may be possible to prevent untold suffering. Most of the state legislatures are now in session and could provide necessary authority for emergency work."

More Action and Less Talk Congress is being urged on every hand to come to grips with the problem, which, reports to members above, is rapidly becoming acute. In addition to Kenyon's suggestion two other ideas were advanced today. By Senator Francis, Maryland: "Move workers from industrial centers where there is an over-supply of labor to places where workers are needed." By Senator Weeks of Massachusetts: "Get busy on federal emergency" (Continued on page four)

Liebknecht's Death Is Signal for Fresh Spartan Outbreak

Government Prepares to Adopt Stern Measures to Wipe Out Tail End of Revolution.

ZURICH, Jan. 17.—The Spartan revolution has been revived on a large scale in Berlin and several of the provinces following the death of Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg, it was reported in a dispatch received here today.

The government is expected to take violent measures in an effort to suppress the new disorder.

Five new divisions of government troops have arrived in Berlin. The city gives the impression of being secured almost entirely by soldiers.

Twelve persons were reported to have been wounded and forty wounded in yesterday's outbreak at Düsseldorf.

Big Sum Needed to Pay Damages of Destruction

German Chairman of Armistice Commission Declares It Impossible to Accept Terms

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 17.—Mathias Erzberger, chairman of the German armistice committee, has informed his government that Marshal Foch estimated the restoration of Belgium would cost Germany \$12,000,000,000 and that other damages would amount to \$4,000,000,000 it was learned today.

The allies also said to have demanded possession of German railways and forests as security. Erzberger is reported to have declared it was impossible to accept these "severe economic conditions" on account of the unsettled political situation.

Brutal Murder of Young Girl Laid to Maniac

Four Murders in Last Ten Days In Some Unknown Person's Record

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Police today were searching for a maniac believed responsible for murders of four people within the last ten days. Following the brutal assassination of 17 year old Elizabeth Riddle, the girl's head was crushed before she was dragged from a sidewalk near her home and robbed. The latest crime bears strong resemblance to the murder of Mrs. Helma Southland, who was slain recently while crossing a vacant lot. Two women in New Jersey were killed under similar circumstances. Police indicated they believed they had to deal with a criminal of "Jack the Ripper" type.

WORLD NEWS EVENTS

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 17.—Irrigation and reclamation projects concerning the Colorado river are the paramount topics to be discussed at a conference of representatives of the governors of seven states called by Governor Bamberger to begin tomorrow.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Nikolai Lenin, Russian premier, has arrived in Barcelona, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Madrid today. No previous reports have indicated that Lenin even contemplated leaving Russia and the dispatch has no confirmation from any source.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—Twenty-five countries will be represented at the formal opening of the peace congress tomorrow, it was officially announced today. In addition to the twenty-one states which participated in the war, there will be Peru, Ecuador, Uruguay, and Bolivia, which severed diplomatic relations.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Possibilities of royalists seizing the present monarchy in Portugal was forecast in an agency dispatch from Madrid today. It was stated that the fight between Democrats and Republicans for control of the government has weakened their position to such an extent that the royalists have a chance for a successful coup d'etat.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 17.—Armed with carbines, clubs and whips, emergency police details cleared the streets in the vicinity of the police station of 500 I. W. W. last night in half an hour. One man received minor injuries. The I. W. W. had marched in the direction of the police station from an open air labor protest meeting, where organized labor leaders denounced the police department for its action in breaking up last Sunday's meeting.

SECRECY AT PEACE CONFERENCE MAY MEAN ANOTHER WORLD WAR

Republican and Democratic Leaders Unite in Condemnation of Plan of Holding Session Behind Closed Doors and in Support of President in Fight for Literal Open Diplomacy

BORAH OF IDAHO LEADS DISCUSSION ON SENATE SUPPORT OF DELEGATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The senate today assured President Wilson of its emphatic support in his fight against secrecy in the peace conference. Republicans and democrats alike spoke in unmeasured condemnation of any attempt to "bottle up" the peace work, or keep the American people in ignorance of the steps taken toward a lasting peace.

WILSON LEADING FIGHT FOR OPEN PEACE SESSION

Declares It Is One of the Fourteen Principles of His Policy "Open Covenants of Peace Openly Arrived At"

By FRED S. FERGUSON

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The question of representation for the people themselves, through the newspaper correspondents, today took precedence over every other problem before the peace conference.

Importance of this matter was evidenced by the fact that the league of nations, the Russian situation and other vital subjects were subordinated to arriving at an amicable solution of the manner in which the proceedings at the peace table are to be made public.

President Wilson is understood to be leading the fight for one of his principle points—"Open covenants of peace, openly arrived at." He brought up the subject of publicity during both yesterday's and Wednesday's conference.

May Reach Agreement There was every indication today that an advisory agreement will soon be reached between the correspondents and the peace delegates. A program containing the newspaper men's demands regarding publicity will be submitted by a committee composed of three representatives each of the American, British, French and Italian correspondents and two representatives of the other sections of the allied press.

Owing to the great number of correspondents here, full representation is impossible. The only question open to discussion is the manner of representation and the number to be admitted to the conferences. The Americans desire at least ten representatives at each meeting.

The three press associations would be permanently represented while the other seven places would be filled by the panel system, the special correspondents rotating day by day so that all would have a first hand view and hearing of the conference.

ALL OF AMERICA IS REPRESENTED

Delegates Go to the Conference from Central and South America and Indies

By ED. L. KEEN

PARIS, Jan. 17.—America has won the biggest diplomatic victory in the peace conference to date through the large representation by the new world powers, in the opinion of the French today.

Great Britain obtained a great advantage when representation was granted her colonies. But the newspapers insist the Americans now have an even greater number of votes at their disposal without counting Canada which, on many points, is expected to side with the United States. The press complains that France overlooked a lot in not having the numerous colonies, which contributed heavily to the war in troops, money and materials, represented at the conference.

The American majority indicates, according to the French newspapers, that their moment the United States entered the war was for purely humanitarian ends, her statement forecast that these ends could not be attained, unless the peace conferences were dominated by states with similarly altruistic aspirations.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 17.—The Metal Trades' union representing twenty-two shipyard unions, severed strike notice on Seattle shipyard owners.

The strike, affecting 25,000 men, takes place at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning and may include the entire Northwest by shutting down industry, according to union leaders. The metal trades council ordered the walkout following a report by a special committee last night of refusal of shipyard heads to accede to demands for wage increases to \$8 a day for mechanics and \$7 for specialists and \$6 for unskilled workers.

HOMESTEAD COMPLAINTS HEARD

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 17.—The senate judiciary committee has appointed three senators to investigate charges of a delegation from Pierce county who say they were unfairly dealt with in condemnation proceedings for their homesteads, which are now part of Camp Lewis military reserve. They say they got less for their land than they paid for it.

BAKER SPONSORS REORGANIZATION OF ARMY SYSTEM

Bill Calls for a Complete Revision of the American Army Organization Along Lines Found Useful During War

DOES NOT RECOMMEND UNIVERSAL TRAINING

Gives 500,000 as Temporary Number Until Some Permanent Figure Can Be Settled Upon by Congress

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Plans for permanent reorganization of the army now were abandoned late today, when members of the house military committee told Secretary of War Baker and Chief of Staff March that a bill such as they proposed could not be put through congress in the six weeks remaining of this session.

Important features of the proposed reorganization bill so that they will be effective only for one year.

Complete Rebuilding

A bill calling for complete rebuilding of the American army organization along the "lines found most useful during the war," was laid before the house military committee by Secretary of War Baker.

The bill would make the general staff, headed by the chief of staff, supreme in the army.

The main temporary feature is the provision for an army of 500,000 men until some permanent figure can be settled on.

States Must Aid

Baker made it plain he would not recommend universal military training and that states would be aided in reorganizing their national guards if they would bear their share of the burden of expense. The proposals encountered an extremely hostile committee, many of whom are in favor of cutting general staff influence instead of increasing it.

Representative McKenzie, Illinois, asked why an army of 500,000 men was recommended.

"It's a forecast of our military situation," Baker said. "We have no means of knowing what the military obligations of the United States will be in the future. We believe an army of 500,000 will meet these obligations."

Object to Size

Several members brought up objections to an army of 500,000, declaring it would never be realized if once authorized. Baker said the size could easily be cut by future congresses. Chairman Dent reminded Baker that it would probably be impossible to put through any permanent reorganization at this session, advocating continuing as at present with a small appropriation.

Baker insisted the bill be taken before congress now, repeating congress should change it.

Questioned on Discharge

"Unless it is passed, we'll have an army organized under the laws in force before we went into the war," Baker said.

Baker was closely questioned concerning army discharges. He said the most urgent cases were being discharged first, pointing out that it would be impracticable to release men as a class instead of dealing with individual cases.

LABORITES FEAR RADICAL TRICKS

Conservative Delegates to the Labor Congress Become Suspicious of Radical Actions

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Action was expected to be taken today on the question of securing the release of Thomas J. Mooney by the labor congress assembled here. Up to today, radicals in the convention which, it was announced, was to discuss nothing but Mooney, had been able to delay action.

Fearing a tie, several conservative delegates last night wired their local unions to withhold contributions to the Mooney defense fund until the situation here is clarified.

Most of yesterday's session was consumed by oratory. G. T. Yoshitani, who said he was formerly a valet for "Big Bill" Haywood, and released from jail a few days ago, where he had been held as a suspect in the Chicago Federal building bomb case, obtained credit and was seated as a delegate from "Japanese Workers' Federation."

Yoshitani talked about the rice shortage in Japan. His remarks were met with prolonged cheers.

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Serbian Tried Forcible Means on Montenegrins

Bloody Fighting and Heavy Losses Occurred When Serbs Attempt Force

PARIS, Jan. 17.—Bloody fighting with heavy losses on both sides has resulted from an alleged attempt by Serbians to forcibly abolish Montenegrin sovereignty, according to official dispatches received here today by Montenegrin representatives. Twenty thousand Montenegrins are said to have participated in an uprising against the Serbs.

The report that King Nicholas is opposed to inclusion of Montenegro in the proposed Jugo-Slav state is untrue, notwithstanding Serbian protestations to the contrary. Montenegrins declared the king demands that a constituent assembly shall decide the sovereignty of the new state rather than having it automatically come under Serbian dynasty. The uprising is cited as proof that the majority of the people stand by the king.

DEMOCRATS GET PARTY PLEDGES FROM MEMBERS

Regulars Determined to Force Nonpartisan Tendencies on the Part of Senate Members Into the Open

(Special to The News)

BOISE, Jan. 17.—Taking a positive stand in their relation to the men elected as nonpartisan, regular democrats of the Idaho house of representatives are now completely organized.

When the final count was made it showed ten regular democrats, six nonpartisan and two of those who had been listed as democrats in the republican fold. The latter are Hyrum Benson of Jefferson county, who was listed as a democrat by mistake and William Allard of Power county, who has always been a republican and now sits in that party's caucus.

Asking those listed as democrats to sign a pledge is the scheme used by the party organization to make the line of demarcation between the regular and assumed democrats plain. Following is the pledge: "We, the undersigned, declare we are democrats and recognize as paramount the democratic state and national platforms and that we owe allegiance to no other political organization." The following men signed the declaration: Hitchcock of Bonner; Patterson of Valley; Huff of Bear Lake; Harrison of Shoshone; Kirby of Blaine; Snow of Lemhi; Moody of Bonneville; Pugh of Ben; McCowan of Custer and Shearer of Nez Perce.

Refuse to Sign Pledge

Those who refused to sign were Foley of Canyon; Carbutt of Owyhee; Harrison of Clearwater; Peckham of Canyon; Schroeder of Idaho and Thompson of Adams. It is said that Schroeder and Peckham are lifelong democrats, the latter having been a member of the fourteenth session.

With this organization of simon-pure democrats formed it is believed that the birth of a reorganization of the party is at hand for it is known that the action was taken after consultation with prominent leaders of different factions which have warred in the party in the past.

Leader Issues Statement

W. B. Shearer is the democratic house floor leader, while Leslie Harrison is permanent caucus chairman and W. M. Snow is secretary. That the caucus will vote under the unit rule on important measures and will support the administration in constructive progressive measures is forecasted in a statement issued last evening by Floor Leader Shearer when he said:

"In order that there may be unity of purpose and thought among the democratic members of the house we have organized the democratic minority caucus. In no sense have we organized to obstruct legislation. The new administration is confronted with some of the gravest problems in the history of the state, growing out of the war and the whole people must help to solve them. Any program of constructive legislation looking to the rapid development of the physical, industrial and commercial resources of the state and safeguarding the people's interest will have our support. We want better schools, better roads, better provision for public health regulations and plenty of work for everybody who is seeking it. Progressives and republicans want these things, too, and there should be and will be co-operation in working out plans to get them."

COMPENSATION REPORT

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 17.—Senators Edley and Hurley will submit a report to the senate favoring the withdrawal of state aid from the industrial accident commission. The two senators were appointed at the session of the legislature two years ago to study the operations of the workmen's compensation law.

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WYOMING ADDED TO LIST

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 16.—Without a dissenting vote, both houses of the Wyoming legislature ratified the federal prohibition amendment today. Governor Carey immediately signed the ratification resolution.

APPLICATION FOR MANY DISCHARGES RECEIVED

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 16.—Approved applications for discharge of 8,129 members of the 13th division at Camp Lewis have passed through the office of Major W. G. Miller, division adjutant, in the last two days. The number represents 44.8 per cent of the men in the division.

the division.

All that remains to be done before discharge is for the men named in the application to be examined and their equipment checked in.

WOULD REMOVE SENATOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The fight to expel Senator J. Follette, Wisconsin, from the senate raged to a head today when Senator Dillingham, Vermont, moved dismissal of charges of disloyalty against La Follette. Senator Pomerehne, Ohio, at once began a fight to prevent quashing of the charges.

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MANY PROTEST COMMUNIQUE ON PEACE SESSIONS

Important Problems Still Unsolved by Delegates Who are Working at Full Speed to Prepare for Opening Session

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE CAUSES CONSTERNATION

Special Committee Organized to Protest to President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George on Information

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS PARIS, Jan. 17.—The associated delegates, were working at full speed today to get everything in readiness for the formal opening of the peace congress Saturday afternoon. Several of the most important problems on which the initial session hinges remained unsolved. Among these were:

Acceptance of the French outline for the method of operation.

Fixation of the status of the Montenegro delegate.

Determination of whether the Russian soviet government shall be represented as to manner of acquainting the world with what transpires in the conference.

Only Official Communique Although the five principal powers adopted a resolution to limit news of the session to the official communique, it was believed today that in view of the concert of protest, the matter would be treated as possibly modified.

The French proposal that the conference be of the star chamber order and that all information be confined to a daily official communique, created consternation among the newspaper correspondents who lost no time in going on record with their objections. It was expected that any such information would be omitted as would be considered prejudicial to the interests under treatment. The correspondents feared this would prevent the acquisition of details from the delegates and would tie up all the sidelights which might be of interest to the public.

Special of Special Committee They organized a special committee of American and British correspondents who made protest to President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George against the alleged violation of the first of the fourteen points—open covenants of peace, openly arrived at.

Certain delegates are understood to favor the entire congress resting on all questions, but Premier Clemenceau, foreseeing the danger of the conference stringing out over a period longer than the war itself, interposed and won his point—that only the interested nations should be present for the discussions.

Soviet Question Unsettled The question of representation for the Russian soviet is not considered to be entirely disposed of, as Lloyd George appears to continue favoring the plan.

The league of nations naturally will be held in abeyance until the conference proper begins. France is thoroughly behind the league in some form. Lord Curzon, the British authority, declares that the French scheme, outlined by Senator Bourgeois, is the "hardest of the lot" and the most thoroughly worked out.

Church to Discuss Soldiers' Memorial

Young People to Present Views on Form Twin Falls Appreciation Should Take

"Our Soldiers' Memorial" will be the general subject at the Christian church Sunday night. The young people will lead the discussion at 6:30 o'clock. Some of the young people have expressed themselves as in favor of a Y. M. C. A.; others have suggested a gymnasium or a natatorium, etc. The speakers, especially the girls, are thinking favorably of a combined Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., believing it is as important to care for the interests of the young women as of the young men. The following young people will speak, Mildred Amstary, Ray Beauchamp, Creta Brown, Myrtle Class, Myrtle Class, Marian Farrer, Lewis Harriman, Ruth Harvey, Charles Harvey, Guld Heartfield, Darwis Hasenbalg, Goldie Pearls, Leavitt Smith, Wynna Wylie. At 7:30 o'clock the pastor, W. A. Moore, will speak on "Twin Falls' Great Asset—Her Young People, What Shall the Memorial Be?"

Filters Don't Stop Influenza. Recent research by H.M. Nicole and Leblond of the Pasteur Institute of Tush has proven that the microbe of influenza is what is known as a "filter passer"—that is, it is so small as to pass through any filter, no matter how minute the interstices may be.

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MEN OF METHODIST CHURCH TO ORGANIZE

President of Gooding College to be a Speaker on Occasion of Second Fellowship Dinner

On Thursday evening, January 23, at 8:30 o'clock the men of the First Methodist Episcopal church will sit down to the second fellowship dinner in the basement of the church. At this meeting an organization of the men will be formed for church and civic activities. The Rev. C. W. Tenny, D. D., president of Gooding College, will be the speaker, and will deal with "The Outlook for Men's Organized Work."



First Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. Elmer Grant Kolb, Minister The Sunday school church will convene at 9:45 a. m. and the morning worship at 11:00 a. m. The minister will preach and the choir will render the following music: Voluntary, Melody in F, Rubenstein; Anthem, "Jubilate Deo," Novin, Mr. J. W. Jones, Soloist; Solo, "Good Old Thy Light," Hawley, Mrs. Frank Bell.

Baptist Church Announcer

Conrad L. Owen, Pastor Bible School 9:45 a. m., G. C. Mahaffey, superintendent, B. X. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Ray Weaver, president.

Sunday at Christian Church

W. A. Moore, Minister; D. W. Udegaff, Superintendent; Mrs. C. J. McCormick, Director of Music. 9:45 a. m., Bible School. 1:00 p. m., Communion; sermon "The New Age and an Unfinished Task." 6:30 p. m., Discussion, "Twin Falls Memorial to Her Soldiers." Discussed by young people, Mildred Amstary, Ray Beauchamp, Creta Brown, Myrtle Class, Myrtle Class, Marian Farrer, Lewis Harriman, Ruth Harvey, Darwin Harvey, Ruby Heartfield, Charles Hasenbalg, Goldie Pearls, Leavitt Smith, Wynna Wylie. 7:30 p. m., Sermon, "Twin Falls' Greatest Asset—Her Young People. What Shall the Memorial Be?" Morning Collo, "My Task," Alford, Mrs. C. J. McCormick. Evening Chorus, "Believe that He Loves You," Wilson. Evening Ladies' Chorus, "I Need His Care," Lawson.

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Sum of \$150,000 Required to Erect a Building to Take Place of That Destroyed by Fire

(Special to The News)

BOISE, Jan. 17.—Asking an immediate appropriation for the rebuilding of an administration hall at the state normal school at Lewiston, the appropriations committee of the house of representatives introduced a bill calling for \$150,000 for that purpose. \$84,000 is to cover the loss of the building destroyed by fire, and \$65,995 is asked for its completion. The committee expects immediate action so the building may be completed by September.

An attempt by Senator Nash of Franklin to suspend the rules and hurry action on the memorial to congress asking for a half million for the Grandville road was defeated.

Members received their first money from the state Wednesday. It covered mileage allowances. In the house Representative Beaslet introduced a bill creating soldiers relief commissions of three members in each county and authorizing county boards to levy a tax of three tenths of a mill to meet the expense of caring for returned soldiers and their families who are in need.

In a joint memorial to congress introduced in federal government, he asked for a big construction policy and particularly for reclamation of lands to be sold to soldiers or sailors on easy payments.

A message signed by prominent officers headed by former President Taft was read in the house asking that February 9th be set aside for memorial services throughout the state for the late Theodore Roosevelt. Loely Harrison, representative from Shoshone county was appointed on the state affairs committee of the house. He is a democrat.

SILENT DEFENSE TRIAL IS ENDED

Forty-Six I. W. W. Are Found Guilty of Conspiring Against the Government

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—United States Judge Rudkin of Spokane will today sentence the 46 I. W. W. found guilty yesterday of conspiring against the government.

The jury deliberated ninety minutes. The defendants smiled when the verdict was given. Miss Theodora Pollok's expression did not change. She is the only woman defendant.

The verdict marked the end of one of the strangest trials in the history of California's courts. Forty-three of the defendants, in protest against what they termed the injustice of the Mooney trial, maintained a silent defense and were rejected by counsel. In a statement before the trial they declared justice was impossible in California.

Miss Pollok, Paul Saffores, and A. L. Fox offered a defense. The government introduced evidence to prove that the defendants had encouraged sabotage and had actually directed it and that they had opposed the war.

The charges were vigorously combated by the three active defendants, while the forty-three silent ones received them with smiles of derision. Miss Pollok notified the Mooney congress in Chicago by telegraph of the verdict.

NEW VOLUMES ON CITY LIBRARY SHELVES

The following are among the new books added to the Twin Falls public library during the last month:

- Hart, ed., American Nation Series,
- Fiske, Old Virginia and Her Neighbors.
- Fiske, Critical Period in American History.
- Drake, Making the Great West.
- Pospijek, Challenge of the Present Crisis.
- Hoyt, World's Painters and Their Histories.
- Thwaites, How George Rogers Clark Won the Northwest.
- White, Martial Adventures of Henry and Me.
- Hinchart, Telling Tonight.
- Poole, "The Dark People," Russia's Crisis.
- Lowell, Governments of France, Italy and Germany.
- Walton, Why Worry?
- Huard, My Home in the Field of Mercy.
- Giddings, Responsible State.
- Farmer, Boston Cook Book.
- Tucker, Life in Ancient Athens.
- Tucker, Life in the Roman World.
- Butler, Story of Athens.
- Tyffe, History of Modern Europe.
- Ahunkburg, Greece from the Coming of the Hellenes to A. D. 14.
- Griffis, China's Story to Myth, Legend, Art and Anals.
- Westerman, Story of the Ancient Nations.
- Crawford, Romantic Days in the Early Republic.
- James, In and Out of the Old Missions of California.
- Pox, Blue Grass and Rhododendron.
- Bolton, Poor Boys who Became Famous.

CLOSE RACE FOR HONORED PLACE BROUGHT TO END

Official Washington Watches With Interest Progress of "Dry" Legislation Throughout the Country

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—A race was on yesterday for credit for putting over the prohibition amendment. Thirty-five states had already ratified the eighteenth amendment to the constitution, only one more was needed to give it required three-fourths vote to make prohibition a part of the basic law of the land.

Nobriaska, Missouri and Minnesota were in the running for thirty-sixth place. Of the thirty-five states that had already acted only 14 had notified the state department of their ratification.

Dry Leaders Confident

National dry leaders here today were confident that distillers' attempts to force a referendum on the legislature ratification of the federal dry amendment in California and a dozen or more of other states are doomed to failure.

The constitution provides that an amendment must be ratified by the legislature of three-fourths of the states. "It is hard to conceive how any state law or any section of a state constitution giving the right of referendum to the voters could override a specific provision in the federal constitution," Representative Webb said. He is chairman of the house judiciary committee and co-author of the Webb-Kenyon law.

Representative Randall of California pointed out that laws of most of the states which had the referendum provided that the voters might pass upon "acts of the state legislature."

Can Win With Referendum

"The dry amendment is not an act of any state legislature, because it originated in congress," Randall said. The only chance dries see for a possible wet success is for the courts to declare that in a referendum state the legislature is made up of the whole body of voters who in effect constitute a third house which may pass upon all measures.

If the wet attack should succeed dries say that they can easily win three-fourths of the states through a referendum.

Congressional dry leaders, informed by the United Press of the ratification by the thirty-sixth state, were jubilant.

Representative Randall, California, and Senator Sheppard, Texas, leaders in the fight for the amendment, announced their ratification when house and senate met.

New Code of Laws

Sheppard and Randall planned to issue a statement later commenting on the result of their long fight for national prohibition.

The next step, they announced, will be preparation of a new code of laws to make prohibition effective. This will include new criminal statutes for punishing violators. Sheppard said developments of this code probably will have to await the arising conditions induced by prohibition. He and other dry leaders, however, will prepare laws to have this passed by the time prohibition becomes effective a year from yesterday.

LACKING THE NERVE

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—"They'll never go through with it; they haven't got the nerve." Which is the saddest and convincing trend of thought of John McGraw today in regard to the new \$11,000 salary limit adopted by the National League.

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- Barbe, Going to College.
- Weaver, Profitable Vocations for Girls.
- Weaver, Profitable Vocations for Boys.
- Fiske, American Political Ideals as Viewed from the Standpoint of Universal History.
- Dugdale, The "Jukes."
- Booth, Darker England.
- Moore, Industrial History of the American People.
- Abbott, Women in Industry.
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MESSINA STRAIT CLAIMS VICTIMS

Steamer Carrying Six Hundred Fifty Passengers Struck Mine—A Few Saved

PALERMO, Jan. 15.—(Delayed)—Five hundred passengers were missing today from the French steamer Chaprol which struck a mine in Messina strait and sank in four minutes.

The steamer, a vessel of 4600 tons, had 650 passengers aboard. The British steamer Cagoston saved 350. The remainder are believed to have perished. The Chaprol sailed from Marseilles.

Neither Chaprol or the Cagoston are registered in Lloyd's. It is possible that names were garbled in radio transmission. Messina strait separates Sicily from Italy. It is a narrow deep waterway with a strong tidal current which is very dangerous to shipping. The mythical monsters, Scylla and Charybdis, were situated on this strait. Scylla, a rock, was located on the Italian side, and Charybdis, a whirlpool, was on the Sicilian side.

IRISH ASSEMBLY TO MEET
DUBLIN, Jan. 17.—The Irish constituent assembly will open here January 21, it was officially announced at Sinn Fein headquarters today. The government, it is believed, will make no attempt to prevent the meeting.

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GET TOGETHER

One of the important meetings of the year will be held early in February in Twin Falls for the purpose of determining, if possible, upon some form of public memorial in honor of the men from this section who joined the American army.

The selection is not an easy one. Various projects have been mentioned and various objections noted. Local opinion appears to favor some form of memorial hall or building for the entertainment of the boys and the public at large.

The meeting will be composed of three delegates from each lodge, church, club, association or other social or business body of the county, including women's organizations, labor organizations and, in fact, every single organization extant in Twin Falls county.

In order that the session may truly reflect the wishes of the people, it is necessary that a thorough representation be present. If the movement is to be a success and receive that measure of support to which it is entitled, the selection of a plan must be carefully deliberated and the best views of every section of the county brought out.

Talk to your neighbor about it—ask him just what, in his opinion, ought to be done, and then see that the delegates representing your own lodge, church or other organization reflect the views of the majority of such body.

IRRIGATORS IN AGREEMENT ON REFORM PLAN

Endorse Proposed Draft of Bill to Create Bureau of Water Rights for Administration of State Waters

STRIKE OUT REFERENCE TO CAREY ACT POWERS

Idaho Congress Joins with Society of Engineers in Resolutions Favoring Reclamation and Road Building

An endorsed by the Idaho Irrigation Congress, which devoted the closing day Thursday of its annual session here to consideration and debate on the measure, the proposed bill drafted by the committee on irrigation water rights to be presented for the action of the present legislature will provide for the appointment by the governor within 30 days after the passage of the bill, of three members of a bureau of water rights to assume the duties of the state engineer's office in respect to the waters of the state and to take over from the state land board the supervision of Carey act reclamation projects.

The members of this bureau are to be appointed, one from each of three districts into which the state is to be divided for the purpose, and will serve for three, six and nine years, the latter term being the one fixed for members to be appointed subsequent to the filling of the positions at the inauguration of the bureau. The salary of the bureau members, as decided by the congress, is to be not less than \$4000 nor more than \$7500 per annum.

Among the alterations made by the congress in the provisions of the bill as drafted and submitted by the committee in respect to the rights and powers of Carey act systems were the elimination of the proposed right to file such projects into districts and to elect directors by districts, to change or to amend articles of incorporation or by-laws or adopt new articles of incorporation or new by-laws by two-thirds vote of the stock represented at any regular or special meeting of the stockholders, and to fix the aggregate number of shares of stock any person acting as proxy may vote for others.

The sessions of the congress Thursday during the consideration, section by section, of the proposed bill, were marked by animated discussions and spirited debate in which a number of attorneys who had been invited to participate, as well as the engineers, project managers and watermasters took part.

In resolutions in which the Idaho society of Engineers concurred, adopted at the close of the final session, the irrigation congress endorsed the reclamation program of Secretary of the Interior Lane as a means of affording employment and urged the state legislature to make appropriations for this purpose; endorsed a program for state road building; elected recent winners of state highway engineers at Salmon Lake; and requests the United States

congress to appropriate funds for the completion of studies formerly carried on by the department of agriculture in connection with drainage investigation; the water holding capacity of soils, the moisture requirements of crops and the improvement of irrigation practices.

The resolutions include also expressions of appreciation of the welcome and hospitality of Twin Falls to delegates and extends a vote of thanks to all speakers who have appeared on its program.

SEED GROWERS TO CENTRALIZE

State Association Votes to Devote Special Effort to Improving Wheat and Hay

In resolutions adopted at its closing sessions here Thursday afternoon, the Idaho Seed Growers' association committed the organization to a policy of centralizing its attention and effort to the improvement of a few seed crops, declared for state standards and inspection of wheat and potatoes, and expressed appreciation of the welcome accorded the delegates in Twin Falls and of the part taken by speakers on its program.

In line with the recommendation embodied in the resolution, State Grain Inspector R. J. Leth, who serves the association as its secretary and treasurer, announced that prize aggregating \$75 would be paid at the seed show next year in each of the classes of pure bred Dicklow wheat and alfalfa seed.

The association elected as its officers for the ensuing year the following: president, O. E. Scott, Injam; vice-president, H. K. Wiloy, Springfield; secretary and treasurer, R. J. Leth, Boise; directors, M. A. Thomas, Twin Falls, and Charles DeCamp, St. Anthony.

The association probably will meet in joint-conference next year with the irrigation congress and other agricultural, livestock and engineering societies at Pocatello.

Today's Markets

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 151; tone of market, steady; prime steers, \$13.50; good to choice steers, \$11.50 to \$12.50; medium to good steers, \$9.50 to \$10.50; common to fair steers, \$8.50; choice cows and heifers, \$10.50 to \$11; medium to good cows and heifers, \$8.50; canners, \$4 to \$5; bulls, \$6.50 to \$7.50; calves, \$9 to \$12.50; stockers and feeders, \$7 to \$9.
Hogs—Receipts, 351; tone of market, steady; prime mixed, \$16.50 to \$18.50; medium, \$16 to \$16.40; rough and heavy, \$14.75 to \$15.75; pigs, \$13.50 to \$14.50; bulk, \$10 to \$17.
Sheep—Receipts, 86; tone of market, steady; east of mountain lambs, \$13.50 to \$14; valley lambs, \$11.50 to \$12.50; yearlings, \$11 to \$13; wethers, \$10 to \$10.50; ewes, \$7 to \$9.
DENVER, Jan. 17.—Cattle receipts 2000; market steady; steers \$10 to \$12; cows and heifers \$8 to \$11; stockers and feeders \$7 to \$13.25; calves \$9 to \$13. Hog receipts 1200; market steady; top \$17; bulk \$10.70 to \$16.85. Sheep receipts 600; market strong; lambs \$15 to \$16; ewes \$8.50 to \$10.

HOLD OVERS ARE TURNED DOWN BY THE SENATE

Upper House Declines to Confirm Alexander Appointment in Several Important Offices—May Select New Men

(Special to The News) BOISE, Ida., Jan. 17.—With the demerits of the senate voting against the ratification of the report, the senate this morning refused to confirm the appointments of R. D. Thatcher of Blackfoot, A. P. Atchison and E. Hodgen for members of the asylum board and Fred E. Wikke of Boise for state engineer. The men were appointed by former Governor Alexander and the action makes the offices vacant. They will be filled at once by Governor Davis. To increase the legal rights of women in the state, the two women members of the Idaho house of Representatives this morning, Mrs. Carry Harper White and Mrs. Emma Drake, introduced a measure reducing the valuation of homesteads in case of the death of the husband.

Permanent Defense Council

A permanent council of defense for the state with broad powers will result from the passage of a measure introduced at the morning session of the lower house. The bill appropriates \$50,000 for the use of the council and outlines its duties and powers. The governor has the appointing power and it would consist of not more than fifty members. The secretary would be a permanent officer. Lieutenant-colonel LeRoy Patch has been appointed a member of the public utilities commission. He has been serving in France for several months. The house has adjourned until Monday morning.

GOVERNORS MAY STUDY PROBLEMS OF EMPLOYMENT

(Continued from page one) work on waterways, road building and land reclamation.

World Transfer Workers This is, in effect, the plan urged on congress by President Wilson. No action has been taken on it.

France said, in support of his plan, that there are many places where labor is needed to which men could be taken by the government on government-controlled railroads and given work under direction of federal employment bureau.

Weeks confirmed France's statement regarding the need of men in some districts, saying: To Supply Demands The war department has figures showing that in 31 per cent of the industrial centers there is an over-supply of labor and that in another large percentage there is a demand.

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BLOODED SOWS ON SALE HERE

Fifteen Registered Animals Bring Average Price of \$140 at Swine Sale

Fifteen registered brood sows of various breeds were sold at an average price of \$140 per head at a sale held here Thursday under the auspices of the Idaho Swine Breeders' association. The top price of \$275 was paid by F. W. Danton of Filer for a Duroc gilt bred by L. S. Otto of Filer. The sows displayed unfamiliarity or ill-taste for the Tamworth breed, the sows bringing less than \$100 being two of this breed consigned by E. C. Hull of Bliss, which were picked up at \$59 per head.

E. O. Walter of Filer was auctioneer, being assisted in the ring by G. M. McAllister of the Portland unit stock yards; E. C. Stephens of the Salt Lake union stock yards; William Kerr, Idaho swine specialist, and Jesse B. Richards of Virginia, manager of the sale.

Following is the sale record: By Jesse S. Richards, Virginia, Idaho, to C. A. McMaster, Twin Falls, \$110; by H. S. Polly, Burley, to Dr. H. S. Arnez-Filer, \$125; by J. S. Richards to L. Shelman, Springfield, Idaho, \$120; by L. S. Otto, Filer, to F. W. Linton, Filer, \$275; by J. M. Pierce, Berger, to R. B. Truce, Muriago, \$130; by I. E. Watson, Downey, to C. A. Blair, Twin Falls, \$100; by V. R. Fisher, Oxford, Idaho, to W. H. Rambo, Buhl, \$120; by J. M. Pierce to R. B. Truce, \$100; by H. C. Polly to J. A. Gifford, Filer, \$125; by E. W. Olson, Virginia, to W. H. Rambo, \$120; by Wilson Bros., Greenleaf, Idaho, to Lundblad, Idaho Falls, \$150; by Wilson Bros. to A. W. Lundblad, \$185; by David Brown, Twin Falls, to W. E. Hankins, Twin Falls, \$100; by E. C. Hull, Bliss, to A. N. Ring, Buhl, \$50; by E. C. Hull to A. N. Ring, \$50.

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WOMAN CHARGED WITH MURDER IS ACQUITTED

Accused of Administering Poison to Her Husband But Will be Freed Today LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Gertrude M. Gibbons, formerly of Boston, under arrest for more than a month, accused of murdering her husband, Frank Gibbons, by giving him poison, will be given her freedom today. That was announced by the district attorney's office after the grand jury, of which five women were members, refused to return an indictment against her. "While I have been in jail, I have studied philosophy, with the idea of teaching it when I leave here," Mrs. Gibbons said.

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE When a druggist finds that his customers all speak well of a certain preparation, he forms a good opinion of it and when in need of such a medicine is almost certain to use it himself and in his family. This is why so many druggists use and recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. J. B. Jones, a well known druggist of Cubran, Ky., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for the past seven years, and have found it to be the best cough medicine I have ever known."—Adv.

The Orpheum Theatre TODAY AND TOMORROW, MATINEE AND NIGHT A big special feature program Wm. S. Hart in "The Reformed Outlaw" A thrilling story of fast riding and quick shooting. A frontier drama of the early west. Mabel Normand In the 5-Part Comedy "A Perfect 36" Riot Entitled Mabel Normand, the champion swimmer, rightly nicknamed the Diving Venus. Mabel Normand's "Perfect 36" causes Sol Manheimer, shirtwaist manufacturer, to put her on the road as a drummer. Mabel registers a big hit with the customers. Her figure is her fortune! There's a sensational windup that surprises everyone. Even little Willie, who thinks he knows all about plots and villains, will be fooled at this one. Mabel Normand goes in swimming and the whole blamed town turns out to see her "Perfect 36." When Mabel dives and slips, there's a "big doings" in the sea. Mabel Normand has the role of a maid-of-all-work in a boarding house, who, playing so many pranks and tricks on the boarders, gets "fired" by a lot of a landlady. "The New Champion"—A Komical Mutt and Jeff Comedy Cartoon A big banner program. Usual admission. The high water mark of enjoyable entertainment.

OPPORTUNITIES IN PORK MAKING ARE POINTED OUT

Idaho Swine Growers in Annual Session Hear Advice from Standpoints of Production and Marketing

The possibilities of pork production and how the swine grower of the northwest can profit most were subjects discussed by E. W. Stevens, representative of the Salt Lake Union stockyards, and by E. F. Binehart, field animal husbandman of the state university, at the opening session Wednesday evening in the parlors of the State Swine Growers' association. President J. K. Wilson, Greenleaf, presided, and William Kerr, state swine specialist, was in attendance.

"It will pay the swine grower to study market conditions and be guided by information he may gain in this respect," declared Stevens. In a summary of market conditions and the prospect for the industry in the coming year, he quoted the statement of Chairman Brown of the Chicago committee on stabilization of hog prices, to the effect that National Food Administrator Hoover was depended upon to stand behind the swine growers.

He advised that between 50 and 60 per cent of the hogs raised last year already had been marketed, and quoted the prediction of Chicago commission men that hogs would bring 19 and 20 cents in the Chicago market in March. On account of desertion of swine growing for cotton production in the Imperial and Palo Verde valleys, California, and in Arizona, Mr. Stevens said that California packers would hereafter, as they had up to three or four years ago, look to the northwest for 30 per cent of their hogs.

Hogs for Every Farm

Advising that hogs in sufficient numbers to consume the by-products and waste should be kept on every farm, Mr. Binehart pointed the way to Idaho swine growers to profit most from their situation with respect to the market. He estimated the number of hogs that should be kept on the average farm at from 30 to 40.

The successful swine grower in the northwest, he said, must plan his work ahead and provide feed. He must plan also to finish his hogs for the market either earlier or later than the period of the greatest marketing of hogs from the corn belt.

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On April 1, 1919, the price of water rights for the Carey land donated lands on the Valier project will be increased to \$60 per acre share. Why not make your plans to visit the Valier country now?

Let's Talk It Over

Mr. W. M. Wayman will be in Twin Falls during the sessions of the Idaho Irrigation Congress, January 13-17. His address will be the Perrine Hotel. See him and talk the matter over—he will be glad to tell you all about the opportunities in the Valier country. Send for our illustrated booklet and other literature.

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Local Brevities

Sugar Agriculturalists Here

M. J. Quinsey of Salt Lake, agriculturalist for the Amalgamated Sugar Co., is here for the convention.

Go To Capay Ranch

Messrs. Thelton, Edwards, Heeley and Peterson left last evening for Capay Ranch, at Hamilton City, California.

Mrs. Guthrie Improving

The many friends of Mrs. W. P. Guthrie will be glad to know that she is recovering rapidly from her recent severe illness.

Returns When School Closes

T. O. Boyd, Jr., has returned from Salt Lake where he was attending the University of Utah. The college is closed because of influenza in that city.

Take Body to Ogden

The body of Robert McLean of Hansen, who died Monday from pneumonia, will be taken today to the former home in Ogden, Utah, for funeral services and interment.

Denies Guilt of Theft

Clarence Snow of Hansen, brought back from Globe, Arizona, by Deputy Sheriff P. O. Herriman, on a warrant accusing him of the theft on December 1 of 25 sacks of clover seed worth \$500 from Charles Hranac of Hansen, entered a plea of not guilty to the charge when arraigned before Probate Judge O. P. Duval. Preliminary examination in his case has been set for Wednesday next.

Members of the Twin Falls North and South Side Shorthorn Breeders' association and of the Idaho Shorthorn Breeders' association, convening in their annual meetings Wednesday evening in the county farm bureau offices here re-elected the officers of each body who served last year to continue for the ensuing year, and voted an appropriation of \$100 to be revolving fund for the assistance of deserving students enrolled in the agricultural courses at the state university.

The suggestion that such appropriation be voted followed a presentation of the subject made before the stockmen by Mrs. M. J. Sweeley, Twin Falls, president of the Idaho State Federation of Women's clubs.

The marriage of Miss Hazel A. Fraser and Charlie B. Conrad, both of Buhl, took place here Wednesday, Rev. Elmer Grant Keith of the First Methodist church officiating.

Personals

F. H. Bomer is here from Burley. M. J. Elkin of Jerome is in Twin Falls.

W. J. Burton of Burley is here for the week.

L. Brown of Kimberly spent Thursday here.

Dr. J. H. Plank of Rupert is a visitor here.

Mrs. E. Carlson of Buhl is a Twin Falls visitor.

T. W. White of Malad, Idaho, is a visitor here.

R. H. Mizer of Boise is spending a few days here.

John Fleming of Portland, Ore., spent Thursday here.

H. P. Pettit of Salt Lake is a business visitor here.

W. W. Chadwick of Salt Lake is a business visitor here.

John Russon of Salt Lake is here for the convention.

Henry M. Hall of Jerome is in Twin Falls for the week.

G. M. Hipl of Hollister attended the irrigation congress.

Dr. L. C. Henderson is here from Idaho Falls for the convention.

W. H. Barry of the Buhl Herald, was here for the canal meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Quigley of Castleford were in Twin Falls Thursday.

W. V. Kuhn of Boise, manager for the National Cash Register, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Douglas were here Thursday from their home on the Salmon tract.

Mrs. Alpha Holt of Boise, who is with the University extension work, is here for the convention.

H. M. Beckley of Spokane, who is interested in the sale of Canadian land is here for a few days.

BEAT THE CLASSIFIED ADS.

WOULD CREATE NEW JUDICIAL DISTRICT HERE

Twin Falls County Bar Association Will Propose Legislation to Reduce the Burden of Court Business

A new judicial district to include only Twin Falls county will be created and a third district judge will be appointed to hold court in the seven other counties which with Twin Falls county comprise the fourth judicial district if the state legislature passes a bill to be drafted and presented by a committee named by the Twin Falls County Bar Association at a meeting held Thursday afternoon in the district court rooms here.

To Aid Supreme Court

The county association also elected M. J. Sweeley as its delegate to the meeting of the State Bar association to be held in Boise in the near future. Mr. Sweeley was instructed by the meeting to propose for the favorable consideration of the state organization the submission to the legislature of a bill for creating a commission to assist the state supreme court in catching up with its business. Cases are set now for hearing in the supreme court two years in advance of the time of filing, it is stated.

BIG AUDIENCE AT JOINT MEET

Noted Tenor Appears on Program With Speakers at the Closing Conference Meet

A contribution of the Greater Twin Falls club to the final joint evening meeting of the joint conference here Thursday evening was the appearance on the program of John T. Hana of Salt Lake, known as one of the foremost of new American tenors who has established himself in the world of opera in New York. Although his appearance on the program was not announced until late yesterday, Mr. Hana sang several songs before an audience that nearly filled the Lavinger theatre. He was generous in his response to encores, and thoroughly delighted his hearers. Miss Nellie Teasdale played his accompaniments.

Speakers on the Thursday evening program were Mrs. M. J. Sweeley, president of the Idaho State Federation of Women's clubs; Mrs. E. B. Bennett of the state university extension department, and John C. Woolley, head of the department of agricultural engineering at the University of Idaho.

Mrs. Sweeley discussed at length the plan put forward by the women's clubs in the state to establish a revolving fund for the benefit of deserving students at the state university.

Wants County Nurses

Legislative appropriation for the employment of county nurses was advocated by Mrs. Bennett, who spoke on the topic of the public health. She urged also fuller instruction for young people in respect to matters of hygiene.

Desirability of use by the agricultural industry of the labor saving machinery including tractor and other implements made available by modern science and engineering skill was urged by Mr. Woolley.

My dear school-mate, Elizabeth:

How good your letter was and how it cheered me. My new home in Idaho is quite a way from Virginia, after all, but letters like yours seem to eliminate distance and make me just a next door neighbor to you with your glimpse of the Atlantic from your living-room windows.

I am glad you were so delighted with the Christmas gift I sent you. And I agree with you that Bisbee views are wonderful. Mr. Bisbee has over 2,000 registered negatives of southern Idaho scenes, no two alike, and I never tire of looking through the show albums containing the photographs.

The Snake River Canyon—the canyon of a thousand views—is generously blessed with water falls and you should only see Mr. Bisbee's pictures of them.

A water fall, Mr. Bisbee says, is a study in itself and I certainly believe it. I have seen many pictures of water falls that made the water appear like—well, strips of molasses or icicles of taffy, but you may be sure these were not Bisbee views. In a Bisbee print, the water looks all but moving, such a beautiful mass of fluffiness with its wonderful gradations of light and shadow, of foamy softness and mysterious hollows—and depth!

Years before I came West I had noticed many Eastern magazines with reproductions of Bisbee scenes in them and of course I was more than glad to see the prints in the original.

The mountains give character to some places, the ocean to others and lakes to others, but evidently, in Mr. Bisbee's judgment, the grim lava crags of the Snake River Canyon, with its mystical stream and rushing falls, are sufficient to forever stamp south central Idaho with scenic features all its own. And Mr. Bisbee has skillfully and faithfully and loyally portrayed them. At least as I looked at the hundreds of these beautiful views on display, it seemed I must show them all to you for it was so hard for me to decide which I wished most to send you.

Mr. Bisbee says his orders for views of southern Idaho scenery have been shipped to numbers of places on every continent and that he could, if he chose his route with a little care, circle the globe a number of times touching by the way the many countries that have been at some time or another on his mailing list.

For the Bisbee Studio is a real pioneer in the Twin Falls country. It has for a slogan "We were here almost as soon as the town was here" and, like a genuine pioneer, it began to do business in a tent when substantial buildings were rare and sidewalks were a luxury in Twin Falls.

There is so much I could tell you, Elizabeth, about the Twin Falls country but I must say Good-bye instead.

With lots of love,

Mary Lou Granger.

The Girl of the Golden West, Her Letter—Number 3.

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REORGANIZATION MADE OF BRIDGE COMMISSION

D. H. Stokesberry of Hillsdale District is Elected President and Twin Falls Recorder Secretary

Reorganization of the Hansen bridge commission made necessary by the election of new members of the Twin Falls county board of commissioners and of the Hillsdale highway district board of directors, composing the commission, was effected by a meeting here Thursday afternoon in the commissioners' room at the court house.

D. H. Stokesberry, chairman of the North Side delegation, was elected president of the commission, and C. C. Siggins, Twin Falls county recorder, was elected secretary.

The North Side delegation consisted of D. H. Stokesberry, Aug. Walters, A. F. Rogge and H. E. Gundelfinger. The commission was organized last year for the purpose of building the suspension span from rimrock to rimrock over Snake river canyon north of Hansen.

Deaths

Funeral for Mrs. J. B. LaMunyon. Funeral services for Mrs. Joseph L. LaMunyon, daughter of Mrs. Samuel Woodhead, Twin Falls, who died at her home in Grand Junction, Colorado, will be held here at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon next from Ascension Episcopal church.

VETERINARIANS OF SOUTH MEETING HERE

Graduates Assemble with View to Forming Permanent Organization—Banquet at Rogerson

Preliminary to the scheduled meeting today here of graduate veterinarians of southern Idaho for the purpose of forming an organization, a number of veterinarians assembled here Thursday afternoon for a meeting in the office of Dr. W. A. Sullivan, inspector in charge of the bureau of animal industry hog cholera control investigations in Idaho, and partook of a banquet in the evening at the Rogerson hotel.

The veterinarians in attendance included Dr. L. C. Henderson, Idaho Falls; Dr. H. C. Evers, Salt Lake; Dr. T. W. White, Malad City; Dr. J. H. Plank, Rupert; Dr. W. V. Swiger, Buhl; Dr. G. D. Bishop, Twin Falls; Dr. W. B. Decker, Twin Falls.

With Hosts and Hostesses

The Wednesday Bridge club met this week at the home of Mrs. G. F. Baker on North Main. Mrs. Ed Larned won the prize for high score.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued Thursday in Twin Falls to the following: Jacob W. Stump and Mary J. Jones, both of Twin Falls.

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POST WAR EDUCATION PROBLEMS SHOWN IN TWIN FALLS COUNTY

Needs of Local School System Set Forth in Report to Directors of Independent School District Number 1. Necessity of expansion is Apparent if Rising Generation is to Have the Benefit of Modern Educational Work.

One of the most comprehensive and thorough-going analyses of the educational needs of a community yet worked out is contained in the report by Hal G. Blue, head of Independent School District Number 1, and submitted to the school board of directors at a recent meeting of that body.

(Continued from Thursday's Daily)

Junior High School

Now, in my judgment, there is just the way in which this issue may be met. It is in the construction of a building particularly designed for our adolescent boys and girls; that is, the erection of a junior high school or an intermediate school (either name is satisfactory). The first step in considering this problem involves the matter of location. In erecting a junior high school building in a community of this size it is essential to consider the advantages involved in proximity to the main high school building. Proximity would permit of the use of the same school library. It would make possible the interchanging of facilities which is a policy involving the matter of economy and the matter of educational efficiency. It would permit of the concentration of the various educational activities involving school life from the beginning of adolescence to the period of college entrance.

Location of Building

The question of locating this proposed building is relatively simple. In my mind, no better place can be secured than that part of present high school campus lying between the high school building and Second street north. This space is ample for the erection of a beautiful and imposing building. The railroad on Second street north has been permanently eliminated. It no longer exists as a menace, and an obstacle to the construction of a building at this place. The people of this community have passed a railroad to pass down this street. The location of the beautiful Presbyterian church lends argument to the plan of erecting a building fronting on Second street north. Other arguments lie in the fact that on Second street north we found the Episcopal and Baptist churches, the Y. M. C. A., the Court House, the new city office building, and the Masonic temple. It is not in any sense a back street. The erection of a building on this site would not in any way disturb the main front of the present building and campus. Just as imposing a front can be provided for Second street. There will be no marbling of the beautiful architectural plan and setting of the present High school. The present building and the proposed building can be so conjoined as to present an imposing structure with two attractive fronts. The following is a list of arguable reasons for the erection of this type of building on the present High school campus.

Reasons for Location

- 1. It would eliminate the cost of a school site on which to erect the proposed building. This item is not inconsiderable.
 - 2. It would make unnecessary the construction of a gymnasium and an auditorium, physically essential to a Junior High School. The matter of economy is very obvious here.
 - 3. Heating experts have stated that the High school heating and ventilating plant is adequate for heating and ventilating an additional building adjacent to the High school. As you know, the present heating is equipped with two boilers, both of which are rarely used conjointly.
 - 4. It would permit the interchange of facilities, bring adolescent pupils into the association of men teachers, and create a correlation of organization interests and needs.
 - 5. It would eliminate the line of division which now definitely separates the upper grammar grades from the High school and produce instead a type of cohesiveness that will smooth out serious pupil difficulties from the seventh grade to the senior year.
 - 6. It would bring all two groups into such unified activities as the band, orchestra, glee clubs, military drill, various school clubs, etc.
 - 7. It would permit the expansion and broadening of the High school vocational departments as discussed elsewhere in this paper. The present structure is not of such size as to permit this.
 - 8. It would make unnecessary the equipping of junior high school laboratories. Present laboratories could be used.
- My conclusion is that the erection of a Junior High school building in an intermediate school building is the only step that will provide the effective solution of our two problems; namely (a) caring for school enrollment increases of the near future and (b) reorganizing and vitalizing the work of the upper grammar grades and of the High School vocational departments.

The Economic Status of Teachers

The greatest post-war problem confronting the nations of the world is that involved in bringing about an satisfactory and equitable adjustment of the wage scale as it applies to every

case wherein labor is employed or service is purchased. The wise and effective solution of this single problem will do more than any other one thing to bring peace and balance to the present seriously disturbed economic conditions following in the wake of the great war. America is slowly feeling her way in her solution of the perplexing matter. This problem has not found its way into the industrial organizations alone. Neither is it concerned particularly with the ordinary field of labor, the range of the institution of public education. It is mightily concerned with the extraordinary level of service, the range of the salaried public service. The great forward under-way movement now getting under way in the field of public education has as one of its definite and concrete problems that of raising the salary level of the public school teacher. Teachers' salaries have been kept at a low level, but constantly increasing costs of living, as a great group of workers, the teachers of the nation did not receive war-time considerations in matters of salaries commensurate with the adjustments given to practically every other group of workers.

This vital national problem has its typical application well defined and deeply rooted in our local educational outlook. It would be both unwise and illogical to plan and put forward a program of educational expansion and advancement that takes no cognizance of the economic status of our teachers. In fact, a sympathetic recognition and understanding of this single matter is a necessary prerequisite to the work of launching a progressive scheme of educational development. The efficient teacher is going to find herself in great demand within the next few years. The need for her services is now rising to a level higher than she has ever known. It is in the whole educational condition of any program of public school reorganization. Boards of education and public school administrators plan and inaugurate programs of educational advancement. It is the ultimate worker the teacher—who makes possible the effective operation of the program.

Twin Falls has a number of able and efficient workers in her public schools—teachers, principals and supervisors—who would be distinct credits to any system of schools in the nation. Those workers have proved their worth to us. We understand our needs and our wants. We are ready to do anything to secure the satisfactory solution to our problems. The new era finds our need of these teachers greater than we have ever felt it. Our problem is pressing and immediate. Our effective and dependable workers must be kept on a satisfactory footing.

A teacher will go to the place which gives the best consideration to her economic needs. There is nothing unnatural in this procedure. She will likewise remain in the place that gives a more just consideration to her needs. It is natural not to shape matters so that she may remain in a place that is unnatural to her. To give up the tried and look to the untried involved a veiled principle of extravagance.

Idaho has not enough native teachers to supply her needs. Every year, Twin Falls look beyond Idaho for teachers. It is highly essential that we secure the best. Since we are forced to go into the open market and meet the competition offered by scores of other systems, it is highly important that we be strengthened in the matter of salary levels. This we owe to our community—as our boys and girls.

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received Master's degrees. All are teachers of wide and successful experience. The average calendar month salary of these teachers is approximately \$100. It ranges from \$85 to \$112.50. It is clear that this level of salary should be reevaluated upon matters of cost of extensive training, wide experience, educational and social demands, and high costs of living are considered. It might be added here for the sake of comparison and thought that the average calendar month salary of the janitors employed in our schools is \$97. It ranges from \$85 to \$115. Not one of the forty-five teachers in the elementary grades of our schools receives as much as the lowest paid janitor. Of our twenty-one high school teachers with their extensive training and wide experience, not one receives as much as the head janitor of the building in which they work. At the time of the outbreak of the great war, the average calendar month salary of the elementary grade teachers was \$67.75. Today the average calendar month salary of the elementary grade teachers is \$79, an increase of 16.8 per cent. Today the average calendar month salary of the elementary school janitors is \$79, an increase of 16.8 per cent. Today the average calendar month salary of the elementary school janitors is \$79, an increase of 16.8 per cent. Today the average calendar month salary of the elementary school janitors is \$79, an increase of 16.8 per cent.

The Twin Falls school district is wealthy. The assessed valuation of its property is more than \$7,000,000. It covers a rich agricultural district. Its citizens are progressive, prosperous and thrifty. During the great war, the people of the district invested more than \$1,000,000 in government bonds and war stamps. They donated outright a trifle less than \$80,000 to promote the work of war agencies. It is clear that income tax payers, budgets which seek to meet the economic needs of our citizens would not react as a serious financial burden on the people of the district. It is equally clear that a people who rallied so loyally and unstintingly to the war work of the nation would give whole-hearted and sympathetic support to a policy that would meet and satisfy the economic needs of our teachers.

After some years of devoted and efficient service in our schools, it should be possible for elementary grade teachers to attain a salary level of \$100 per calendar month. On the same conditions and under the same conditions, high school teachers should be able to teach a salary level of \$135 per calendar month. With these levels in operation, the board of education would feel justified in requiring teachers to spend stipulated periods in advance study in higher institutions. Elementary grade principals and special supervisors would meet the training and experience requirements of high school teachers should be permitted to attain the high school level of salary on similar conditions of time and type of service.

even a step further than this because the school must not only be responsible for the education of all the children but it must see to it that no child or adult, has not had the opportunity to do so for the line of educational development as he desires. Our program for our school must be extended so as to provide instruction for persons of all ages and both sexes and this instruction must be insisted upon. Our thought should be the removal of all illiteracy and the opportunity for the maximum development of all individual stand spoken English could neither read nor write. All of this should make us realize now the necessity for a system of education which will eliminate this condition and which will require of everyone who is to become a citizen of the United States not only the ability to speak, read and write English, but also an understanding of our institutions and our national ideals. Anything short of this invites disaster and endangers democracy.

Our plan for reorganizing the school work of this community should involve extension work that will permit of the organization of evening schools. These evening schools would be organized under a department of extension schools or extension service as a part of the regular work of the high school. Programs of study would be planned by the principal of the High school who would have direct charge of the schools. The extension service would be organized particularly to give every person a chance to get more education. It would be open to any one living in the community. Boys and girls who were forced to leave school because of economic pressure would take advantage of the extension service to continue their schooling. The department of extension service will also involve the organization of special rooms for retarded or backward children with the purpose in view to giving such children a type of work more adapted to their needs and interests. The rooms would be organized within the system and would be an integral part of the entire organization. The purpose of the service would be two-fold: (a) to bring educational opportunities to every person and thus raise the educational level of the community and (b) to carry out the nation's program of Americanizing our foreign element. Twin Falls has reached such size that it would seem wise to test the matter of extension service.

Summary of Recommendations

The following is a summary of the matters that are embodied in the post-war program of educational reorganization and advancement:

1. The construction of a school building on the present High school campus at the rear of the present building and fronting Second street north. This building should be constructed in units so that construction would proceed as enrollment requirements demanded, care being taken to have the building harmonize with the present high school building in size and architectural lines.
2. The organization of the seventh, eighth and ninth grades into a Junior High school or an Intermediate school.

to meet this issue, steps should be taken looking to the organization of a department of health and physical education. The health and physical work should be combined under a responsible head. The work in athletics, military drill, physical training and recreation activities should be directed from this proposed department. Competent instructors should be secured to further the work. The work in health education involving medical education and dental treatment should likewise be directed from this department. This work is so closely interwoven that otherwise it cannot be well organized and directed. The work of close direction with respect to a plan of skilled individual make the matter of responsibility resting upon the school authorities. And, too, such work left to the uncertainty of gratuitous services gets nowhere.

Extension Service

I feel that I must emphasize the fact that any program of plan of reorganization which you may inaugurate must be founded on the principle that the public schools exist for all the children of all the people regardless of race, color, economic conditions or grade of mental ability. In fact, we must go

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3. The reorganization of the High school departments of manual training, household economics, agriculture and commerce to permit of greater expansion and differentiation.

4. The readjustment of the salary levels of teachers, elementary grade principals and special supervisors so that the economic needs of these workers may be met.

5. The organization of a department of physical and health education to include medical correction, dental treatment, individual supervision by a competent school nurse, recreation activities, athletics, military drill and physical training.

6. The organization of high school extension work to be embodied particularly in evening schools that shall further the nation's work of the Americanization of foreigners and the removal of illiteracy.

I ask that you give thoughtful consideration to the recommendations herein contained.

Very respectfully submitted,

HAL G. BLUE.

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UNHAPPY HUSBAND GIVES MANY CAUSES OF GRIEF

Buhl Man in Naval Service Objects to Wife's Correspondence, Coothing and Penchant for Spending
Because he alleges that his wife, Beretta Nelson, to whom he was married in Buhl in November, 1914, was cruel in that she continually an affectionate and loving correspondence with other men after their marriage, because she was "untidy and slovenly" as a house-keeper compelling him to take his meals on various occasions at a restaurant, and because after his enlistment in May, 1918, in the navy, she ran up bills at the grocery store in his name although she was receiving his allotment of \$40 per month, Leslie G. Nelson of Buhl, through his attorney, J. W. Taylor, is asking for a decree of divorce in a petition filed Thursday in district court.

Writing Without Punctuation.
Chinese do not need punctuation or any other mark. It is doubtful from the foreign point of view whether a language is possible that has done away with punctuation. The fact is, however, that punctuation is no longer necessary for Chinese. The characters, besides performing a function of their own, make use of that also of the period, comma, hyphen, interrogation, exclamation mark, etc.

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Died from wounds—Pvt. Ernest H. Thornton, Thornton.
Wounded degree undetermined, previously reported missing in action—Pvt. Leandro Deluca, Rathburn.

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Died of Wounds
Sgt. Paul E. Parker, Seattle, Wash. Corp. Charles F. Cheson, Sacramento, Cal.

Pvt. Dan W. Root, Seattle, Wash. Pvt. Henry A. Taylor, Silverton, Wash. Pvt. Edward F. Weschek, Orange, Cal. Pvt. Walter S. Hubbins, Ferrisville, Wash.

Pvt. Wendel W. Hoffman, Powers, Ore. Pvt. Charles E. Huthinson, Roebuck, Ore.
Pvt. George H. Meyer, Vancouver, Wash.

Died from Accident and Other Causes
Cook Clarence P. Conway, Hill, Mont. Pvt. Brayton P. Mitchell, Paisland, Colo.

Wounded Slightly
Lieut. Oliver V. Parvish, Denver, Colo. Sgt. Bert O. Broyles, Woodburn, Ore. Sgt. Joseph Euterlin, Ft. Mackenzie, Wyo.

Sgt. Caryl Walker, Healdsburg, Cal. Corp. Lloyd McCallough, Selby, Mont. Pvt. William W. Wheeler, Richmond, Ore. Pvt. Todd O. Wilson, Patuxent, Cal. Pvt. George T. Cox, Bialto, Cal.

Pvt. Substantian Fancelli, San Jose, Cal. Pvt. John L. Fouche, Everett, Wash. Pvt. Henry Higginville, Santa Cruz, Cal. Pvt. James A. McLaughlin, Phoenix, Ariz.

Pvt. Adney L. Martin, Missoula, Mont. Pvt. Arthur T. Miller, Sacramento, Cal. Pvt. Oscar J. Mee, San Francisco, Cal. Wounded Slightly in Action, Previously Reported Killed in Action.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Killed in Action
Mech. Millard A. Splane, Cedro, Wyo. Sgt. Harry W. Boon, Seattle, Wash. Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action.

Pvt. Dominick Filippello, Anndoli, Cal. Pvt. Albert Matson, Oregon City, Ore. Pvt. Joseph W. Millburn, Rock Springs, Wyo.

Pvt. Rollin A. Wright, Hornbrook, Cal. Corp. Joseph C. Pockman, Seattle, Wash.
Pvt. Joe McCard, Newell, Ala. Wounded in Action (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Corp. Arthur E. Roy, Hoglester, Cal. Pvt. Clyde E. Houston, Preston, Mont. Pvt. Leo W. Rudolph, Chester, Mont. Pvt. Murray C. Starr, Mt. Vernon, Wash.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Corp. Arthur W. Botting, Oakland, Cal.

SECTION TWO

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces: Killed in action 52, died of disease 89, wounded severely 81, wounded degree undetermined 53, missing in action 18, total 208.

IDAHO CASUALTIES
Died of Disease—Pvt. Leonard E. Whitmore, Ashton.
Wounded Slightly Severely—Pvt. Orson H. Mower, Rupert.

Wounded Degree Undetermined, Previously Reported Missing in Action—Pvt. William Otis Weaver, Solaberry.

Killed in Action
Pvt. Clyde E. Houston, Preston, Mont. Pvt. Leo W. Rudolph, Chester, Cal. Pvt. Geo. E. Young, Santa Monica, Cal. Pvt. Adolph O. Zaise, Denver, Colo.

Died of Disease
Corp. Carl Haas, Red Lodge, Mont. Corp. Harry V. Boone, Los Angeles, Cal.

Pvt. Iris L. Adams, Prescott, Wash. Pvt. Brigito L. Tollbush, Tyrone, N. M.

Pvt. David L. Dean, Evanston, Wyo. Pvt. James Hill, Fallon, Nev. Pvt. Henry G. Hill, Denver, Colo. Pvt. John R. McCarthy, San Francisco, Cal.

Pvt. Lloyd J. McEntaffer, Ft. Morgan, Colo.

Pvt. Henry Morken, Bay Point, Cal. Pvt. William Vandusen, Salt Lake, Utah.
Pvt. Clifford B. Washburn, Grass Runge, Mont.
Wounded Severely
Pvt. Merrill M. Lewis, Forterville, Cal. Pvt. Hiram M. Bagg, Richmond, Cal. Wounded (Degree Undetermined) Corp. Walter Brown, Woodland, Cal. Pvt. Edw. P. Fitzgerald, Seattle, Wash. Pvt. March H. Macumber, Glavio, N. M.
Missing in Action
Mech. Riley U. Wright, Clovis, Wash. Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action.
Fronz Joseph James Stever, Durkin, Mont. Pvt. Fred E. Patel, Colbridge, Colo. Pvt. Edward P. Purves, Langdon, N. M. Pvt. Lawrence O. Smith, Baker, Ore. Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action.
Pvt. Frances E. Hauser, Pasadena, Cal. Pvt. John M. Thomas, Silverton, Ore.

FILED NEWS NOTES

(Special to The News)
FILED—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Maurer and daughter Lornie left Wednesday morning for points in Oklahoma. Mrs. Willard Baum and little daughter returned from Butte, Montana, on Tuesday where they spent several weeks-visitng Mr. Baum. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Owens, Miss Mary Doroos and Anabel Murray of Rock Creek were in Filer Monday. J. A. Johnson and Joe Mallory were Twin Falls shoppers Monday.
Lawrence Bremer returned from Camp Lewis Monday. Mrs. Bremer has been stationed at Seattle for some time, recently being sent to Camp Lewis. He comes here to join his bride who was Miss Sarah Grambell.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gambrel were Twin Falls shoppers on Monday. Harry Robinson received his discharge at Camp Lewis and returned home Monday.
Dale Chipman, who has been in active service overseas, returned to his home here Sunday.
Mrs. Ernest Gardiner spent Sunday in Buhl with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shauer are recovering from an attack of influenza. Mrs. Lena Zitz returned to her home at Twin Falls Wednesday.

BERGEE NEWS NOTES

(Special to The News)
BERGEE—Wayne Wyzal, who has been sick with typhoid for the past two months, is still confined to his bed.
Sunday school was resumed here on Monday with 23 present. Everyone is cordially invited to attend next Sunday. As there is no more influenza here there will be little danger.
H. Crookham has bought a Dodge car and Charles Abramson a Maxwell.
Mrs. H. B. and Mrs. E. W. Langner were business callers in Twin Falls on Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Piggie were Twin Falls visitors Saturday.
P. A. Parrott is plastering his house. He expects to have it ready for occupancy the first of next month.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lincoln, from near Filer visited F. W. Berger's Sunday.
J. M. Pierce last a two-year old colt Monday.
Mrs. John Rioo underwent a surgical operation at a Twin Falls hospital last week.

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NOTICE!
To all owners and drivers of motor vehicles:
You are hereby notified that all 1918 licenses have expired and the 1919 licenses are now due and payable at the office of the county assessor. Please call and make application for same. GEO. D. WILCOX, County Assessor.

DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS



Evidently, things were a little too convenient

SUGAR GROWERS VOTE IN FAVOR OF FLAT RATE

Meeting Held Here Under Auspices of State Farm Bureau Expresses Confidence in Integrity of Utah Investigation

TURN DOWN MOTION TO POSTPONE ACCEPTANCE

General Manager Fred G. Taylor of Amalgamated Company Talks Plainly on Costs of Manufacture and Prospects

A meeting of about 100 sugar beet growers assembled Thursday afternoon in the America theatre here under the auspices of the state farm bureau, at which J. W. Jones of Salt Lake, department of agriculture sugar plant investigator; Fred G. Taylor, general manager for the Amalgamated Sugar company; Mark Austin, general agriculturist for the Utah-Idaho sugar company, and others, adopted a resolution requesting the Idaho state farm bureau to enforce the action of the Utah state farm bureau, in accepting, after thorough investigation, the flat rate price of \$10 per ton to be paid for beets this year.

Gives Intent of Action

A. H. Bosley of Idaho Falls, author of the resolution, explained that it was the intent of the measure to secure an expression on the part of the Idaho organization of confidence in the integrity and thoroughness of the investigation of the sugar situation from the standpoint of the beet growers made by the Utah farm bureau. The Idaho state farm bureau, which was formed last year at Idaho Falls, and which is made up of the presidents of the several county farm bureau organizations, has as yet made no provision for an investigation into the sugar situation for the growers as was made by the Utah organization.

Postponement Turned Down

An amendment to the resolution, offered by W. D. Harris of Burley, was voted down. It proposed postponement of expression favoring \$10 price for 30 days while Idaho growers should investigate the sugar business, to determine what was a fair share of the profits to be received by the beet growers. Discussions following the introduction of his amendment Harris proposed moving the period of postponement from 60 to 45 and then to 30 days.

General Manager Taylor protested

against the proposed postponement, on the grounds that it would prove embarrassing to the Sugar company which was preparing to begin making contracts for growing beets within a few days, and for the further reason that delay in the making of their plans for their crops the coming year would be inconvenient and expensive to the farmers.

Talks on By-Product Value

Preliminary to the discussion as to the price of sugar beets, J. W. Jones discussed soil fertility in its relation to the sugar beet industry, advancing the argument that the farmer could not afford to neglect to crops entering into the rotation of livestock, and that the use of beet by-products in augmenting the rotation of livestock made increased production of livestock, increased soil fertility and greater profits from the farm. Considerable interest was manifested in this subject and discussion was proceeding along his line when a motion made by William Henschel of Rupert, to confine the discussion to the subject of price of beets was put and adopted.

Discourages Lengthy Discussion

Harris and Henschel undertook to direct into the meeting a discussion of proposed contract for growing beets supplied by the International Beet Growers' association. W. F. Albert, president of the state farm bureau, as presiding officer, discouraged such a discussion, declaring that the contract was long and intricate and lack of time prevented its consideration. Harris and Henschel were the only persons in attendance who voted for the amended motion providing for a postponement of extension favoring the \$10 flat price.

Welcomes Investigation

General Manager Taylor said that the Amalgamated Sugar company would welcome any responsible committee that might be named and would extend every assistance to it in its work of ascertaining the costs of making sugar and the profits derived from the investigation. In the event such an investigation were determined upon, it should result that the flat rate was unfair to the grower, he promised the Amalgamated company would negotiate with the growers and accept any reasonable alteration in the contract.

Disclaims Camouflage

When a committee was learned as to these days regarding the subject of its investigation, he said, as it held in 45 days, and in respect to the sensational tendencies in the sugar business, he said, anyone was at liberty to select his choice of expert opinion as to the probable price of sugar

JANUARY CLEARANCE

In the Ready-to-Wear Department

We are exceptionally fortunate this year in cleaning up our stock of Winter Merchandise. Our stock is in splendid condition but it is our policy never to carry over any garments from one season to the next; therefore, the few remaining garments must be sold. To do this quickly, we are offering all coats, suits and dresses at marvelous reductions. *Come in and get our prices.*

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Nothing is more stylish than a rich set of furs to complete your costume. Perhaps you can find a set just to your fancy among our furs on sale.

Smart Dresses

You will surely enjoy looking over the splendid dresses of silk and wool that are on sale. Everyone is stylish, well made and attractive in every way. And the best part of all is that you may now buy a stunning gown at a very liberal discount.

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next September which ranged from \$7 to \$15 per hundredweight.

Disclaiming any wish to camouflage the subject, General Manager Taylor gave figures on the costs of producing sugar as taken from the records of his company over a period of years, together with a statement as to his estimate of the probable profits to be derived by the sugar beet industry this year.

"It will cost the company this year \$7.07, according to our estimates," Taylor said, "to produce sugar which we expect to sell at \$8.95 per hundredweight in conformity with the government plan of sugar distribution. Of this cost, \$5.22 will be expended for placing the beets required to make 100 pounds of sugar in our beet sheds, and \$2.75 is the estimated cost of extracting and refining," he said.

In comparison with these figures, he said that in 1914 it cost the company \$3.50 to produce sugar which it sold at \$4.11. The cost of extraction and refining that year, he said, was \$1.50.

About 15 per cent of the output of the beet sugar factories is consumed locally, Taylor said, the rest of it going to outside points.

Favors Content Basis

General Manager Taylor expressed the opinion that the saccharine content of the beet was the proper basis upon which the price paid for beets should be computed. In respect to the Idaho beet, however, the sugar companies have disregarded this plan in pursuance of the policy of requiring the growers in districts newly opened up to beet growing to assume a portion of the pioneering expenses to which the companies were put in the first instance.

General Figures on Losses

Laboratory tests were not safe guides in figuring the saccharine content of beets, he asserted, because they do not take into account the factors of shrink and presence of foreign matter adhering to the beet. Furthermore, he said, it is not possible for the factory to extract and refine all of the saccharine content of the beet sugar. An average recovery of 80 per cent, he said, was considered highly satisfactory under existing methods.

National Situation

In view of these considerations, he said, a beet with 15 per cent saccharine content probably would not yield actually more than 11.25 per cent sugar.

and dealers generally have allowed their stocks of sugar to become depleted, and the European demand for sugar is expected to be large.

Gives Personal View

In his own view of the situation, he said, was that it would have been to the advantage of the sugar companies this year to have made contracts on a profit sharing basis rather than on a flat rate basis. "We have exceeded the limits of conservative business policy in going to the extent of making a flat rate contract this year. From its standpoint of selfish business interests I would have preferred a profit-sharing plan, he declared.

NO GREAT ACT OF HEROISM REQUIRED

If some great act of heroism was necessary to protect a child from cruelty, no mother would hesitate to protect her offspring, but when it is only necessary to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and give it as soon as the first indication of croup appears, there are many who neglect it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is within the reach of all and is prompt and effectual.—Adv.

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FOR EFFICIENCY IN FARM HOMES

Speakers in Women's Section of Joint Conference Give Suggestions in Problem

The concluding illustrated lecture in a series of three by Rudolph Weaver, head of the department of architecture at the Washington state college, on the building of economical homes, making the kitchen efficient, and making exteriors and interiors of the home beautiful, delivered Thursday afternoon at a session of the women's section of the joint conference held in the Javelin theatre, was supplemented by addresses on "Efficiency for Living on the Farm," by J. C. Woolley, head of the department of agricultural engineering at the University of Idaho, and on "Electrical Conveniences in the Home," by Barry Dibble, project manager for the United States reclamation service on the Minidoka project.

For Permanent Agriculture

In summarizing the conclusions of his address, Mr. Woolley said, "When we have all these advantages, namely: running water, modern bath rooms, furnace heat, electric light, the automobile and good roads all the year, then will the Idaho farmer plan to retire on the farm."

"When we get our farms equipped in this way we will be advanced one step farther toward a permanent agriculture and the scare of the boys and girls leaving the farm will have been forgotten."

Mr. Weaver's lecture precipitated an animated discussion in which many of the women present took part, asking for suggestions in specific instances as to color schemes, arrangement of furniture, etc., and offering suggestions themselves.

"Utah's Own" Are Welcomed Home

OGDEN, Utah, Jan. 17.—Governor Simon Ramberg, his staff, and numerous railroad and civic officials were on hand this morning to welcome the 145th (Utah) field artillery commanded by Col. W. C. Webb.

The troop train passed through here enroute to Camp Logan, where the unit will be demobilized.

The governor's party arrived in a special car supplied by the Oregon Short Line officials.

Thousands were at the station to greet the troops.

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