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FRENCH TROOPS ARE ACTIVE AS CONFAB NEARS

Maneuvers Indicative of Drastic Measures are Reported in Occupied Zone of Germany from Frankfurt

SIMONS SOUNDS WARNING AGAINST POLITICAL COUP

LONDON, (AP)—Reports from Frankfurt that the French troops in the occupied zone of Germany are displaying great activity, such as is always the case when drastic measures are contemplated, are contained in Amsterdam dispatches to the Exchange Telegraph today.

REPORT SAYS GERMANY WILL OFFER 100,000,000 MARKS

PARIS, (AP)—Germany will offer the supreme allied council a proposition to pay 100,000,000 marks in reparations when the allies and Germans meet at London next week, says the Berlin correspondent of the Journal, who declares he received his information from a "parliamentary source."

This payment would be made in 30 installments of four million marks each, either in cash or goods, according to conditions decided upon at the conference.

SIMONS SOUNDS WARNING AGAINST POLITICAL COUP

BERLIN, (AP)—Dr. Walter Simons, German foreign minister, today warned "political adventurers" against attempting a coup d'etat, the possibility of which in connection with the anti-German conference in London next week has been discussed. He declared the government was conscious of its authority and would promptly crush any outbreak.

Dr. Simons declared experts were unable to find their reason for the many would be unable to meet the Paris reparations terms but that the government was hopeful of arriving at a settlement which would be more suitable to the needs of the entire than the Paris proposals.

COUNCIL TAKES UP DISARMAMENT

Resolutions of Geneva Assembly Come Before Private Session at Paris.

PARIS, (AP)—The resolutions of the Geneva assembly of the league of nations regarding disarmament were taken up by the council of the league at today's session here. Particular attention was given the assembly's recommendation that the powers limit their armament budgets for the next two years to amounts not exceeding those expended last year.

The council's session today was a private one, but was not surrounded with the same degree of secrecy as yesterday's session, when the French and British governments were under consideration. Further consideration of the American recommendation that the powers limit their armament budgets for the next two years to amounts not exceeding those expended last year.

DRAW PRISON TERMS FOR DEFAUDING SERVICE MEN

Two Former Claim Examiners of Bureau Were Charged With Defauling

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)—Four-year sentences were imposed today in the district supreme court on William F. Salisbury, Jr. of Buffalo and David W. Griswold of Southold, N. Y., for two former claim examiners of the War Relocation Bureau, who pleaded guilty to having defrauded several hundred war veterans out of several thousand dollars. They were indicted on eleven counts of having obtained money for advancement of claims before the bureau, and pleaded guilty on two counts, receiving the maximum sentence.

POSTOFFICE APPROPRIATION BILL GOES TO WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Agreeing to all house amendments, the senate completed today passage of the annual post office appropriation bill and sent it to the president. It carries approximately \$570,000,000.

The senate agreed to the house allotment of \$250,000 for transportation mail service. This is \$250,000 less than the sum first suggested.

French Workmen Defy Lockout and Raise Red Flag

Trouble Develops when Wages are Cut and Employers Say Men Let Down Efforts

PARIS, (AP)—The red flag was raised today over the big electric works under construction at Gennevilliers, just north of Paris, by workmen who refused to quit their place in spite of a lockout declared by the company. A large force of police and a small detachment of troops were called out to maintain order.

The company had reduced wages and the workmen, it was claimed by the employers had let down their efforts. Therefore the lockout was decided upon.

Hungary Takes Steps to Prevent Walkouts

VIENNA, (AP)—Military precautions to prevent a general strike on Saturday have been taken by the Hungarian government in Budapest.

Admiral Horthy, head of the government, has declared that he will not tolerate a strike for one hour, and will escort workmen to and from work if necessary.

The workmen, who threaten a strike have asked for a wage increase of 100 per cent.

Poland Runs Trains Under Military Law

WARSAW, (AP)—The railroads in the Warsaw district are being operated under martial law, following a strike of mechanics for higher wages and better food. Russian army prisoners of war are being used as strike breakers by the Polish army in operating the lines.

Premier Witkiewicz announced Thursday that the cabinet had decided to declare martial law because of "foreign influences" were fomenting disturbances. Notices were posted threatening death penalties to persons interfering.

ANTI-NONPARTISANS OF DAKOTA INVOKE RECALL

Movement is Launched by Organization to Displace Several State Officers of Jobs

FARGO, N. D. (AP)—Anti-Nonpartisans of North Dakota will initiate a recall election aimed at "several state officers" tomorrow morning, through their longhairs here today. The recall movement was not announced.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRE

LOS ANGELES, Cal. (AP)—A Korean, even though he has served in the United States army, is not eligible for American citizenship, according to a decision of Judge B. F. Sheldon, filed today in the United States district court. The decision was in the case of En Ek Lee.

NEW YORK, (AP)—Enrico Caruso, songster and pianist, it is said, of an ancient ancestor named Carus, felt like "a king" when he awoke today, the forty-eighth anniversary of his birth. The famous singer is much improved after the critical stage of his illness and physicians have relaxed their constant vigil at his bedside.

BERLIN, Germany, (AP)—Several newspaper editors in this city have been challenged to duels by Dr. Rhede, an attack on the staff of the press association, who during a recent campaign speech accused the press of "betraying the fatherland." He is accusing provoked sharp denunciation from the National Press league and his challenges were the result.

CHICAGO, Ill. (AP)—Passenger ship in Pullman cars must be protected from theft of their property, according to a decision handed down by Judge J. W. McWhorter. The court's ruling, in effect, was: "As a passenger would have no opportunity to watch his baggage when asleep, it follows that it is the duty of the Pullman company to maintain a reasonable watch over his property while he is occupying a berth."

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—The town of Rogersville, near here, has laid claim to the gastroscopic chamber of the state. Herbert S. Gilbert, 16, recently came out of a water by eating at one repeat 37 soft boiled eggs. Just to prove the theory of intestinal talia, Gilbert, Sr., then ate 30 pounds of honey at two meals. Inspired by the eating prowess of his neighbors, Harrison Chittenden conquered new fields by consuming 18 cans of potato ham without stopping.

IDAHO FALLS, Ida. (AP)—A masked bandit, formerly a school teacher at Palouse, Ida., held up and robbed the passenger cabin, Delta Laurits, on the Snake boat at Victor, near here, of \$184, while the latter was in the bank alone, according to word just received here. Laurits, when ordered into the vault slipped a gun into the door, making it impossible to close the door and open the vault. He then fled, leaving the money, and fled, leaving the money. The bandit failed shortly after being caught and his condition became so serious he was removed to Salt Lake where he is in a hospital to be examined for his sanity.

DISABLED SERVICE MEN DEMAND COMPENSATION

Organization is Announced of 100,000 Men who Drilled, Fought and were Wounded Together

WASHINGTON, (AP)—One hundred thousand of those who drilled together in France and fought together in battle today began a campaign today that they had banded together in the National Disabled Soldiers league to obtain recognition by the government of their claims for compensation.

The league, which was organized some time ago by disabled service men and women today began its campaign in Washington headquarters. Captain George H. Gilles of Maine, president, stated that upon application they would take up the claims of any disabled men, regardless of his membership in the league.

FENVIAS GIVE CROWN FORCES STIFF BATTLE

Military Renewes Struggle after Fifty Auxiliary Police are Forced to Withdraw by 300 Men in Ambush

ATTACKERS OPEN FIRE FROM COVER OF ROCKS

MACROOM, Ireland, (AP)—Fifty auxiliary police, traveling in lorries, were ambushed between this village and Bellewinstown this morning by 300 men. The ambushing party opened fire from the cover of rocks along the road killing one policeman and wounding six. The battle lasted two hours at the end of which the military withdrew, leaving the attacking party still in possession of the place.

Handfuls of reserves were then called up by the military from neighboring barracks, and the attack was renewed, with the assistance of battle airplanes. In the first assault the major command the crown forces was killed and seven of his men were wounded, one mortally. The casualties of the ambushing party were not known. The crown forces were unable to recover some of their wounded when they withdrew.

CREAMERY IS BURNED IN REPRISAL FOR SHOOTING

HELFAST, (AP)—A creamery in In County Antrim, and a cow-house in Mount Charles, County Donegal, have been burned as a reprisal for the shooting of a constable from Antrim.

KANSAS MINERS ON STRIKE

Three Mines Affected by Walkouts Resulting in Local Confrontations

PITTSBURGH, Kan., (AP)—More than 200 Kansas coal miners are on strike today. Three mines are affected, local confrontations are being reported at the strike of two which began two or three days ago and the third of which went into effect this morning.

SENATORS UNABLE TO AGREE ON BONUS BILL

WASHINGTON, (AP)—The senate finance committee was unable to reach an agreement today on the bonus bill and postponed further consideration until tomorrow.

Indorses Soldiers' Relief

The house late yesterday passed with almost unanimous vote, 350 to 25, appropriating \$100,000 for the relief of former service men and women and their families for the purpose of carrying out the principle adopted at this point. The measure was received yesterday from the senate and effort then was made to pass it under suspension of the rules. The speaker yesterday said that it must be referred to the appropriations committee, which upon approval reported it not for passage.

Approves District Court

House bill No. 182 providing for creation of a federal judicial district to comprise Twin Falls, Cassia, Lincoln and Jerome counties, also was passed yesterday by the house by a vote of 290 to 20. The bill was introduced by Mr. Clegg of Idaho. It was passed by the house on an early date.

School Bill Progresses

House bill No. 121 designed to afford relief to independent school districts in financial straits was today on the calendar for first reading and was scheduled to come up for final action on Monday next.

ORDERS DESTRUCTION OF FOOD SERVED TO TROOPS

Missouri State Official Declares Some of Government Food Canned Unfit for Consumption

ST. LOUIS, Mo., (AP)—Dr. E. L. Harshbarger, state food and drug inspector, today announced that some of the government canned goods which have been retailed in many places here, have been found unfit for consumption. He has been ordered to destroy some of the goods destroyed.

Dr. Harshbarger explained his office has received numerous complaints as to the quality of the goods and that following an investigation by his inspectors, four local merchants were summoned to his office.

The merchants agreed to destroy the goods and 440 cases of Liza brand, 35 cases of our boys and 100 cases of brand will be dumped in the Mississippi river. Mr. Harshbarger said.

FARMERS STUDY PROBLEM OF LIVESTOCK MARKETING

Committee Organized to Regulate the Flow of Meat Producing Animals Begins Deliberations

CHICAGO, (AP)—The Farmers' Livestock Marketing committee, organized to regulate the flow of meat-producing animals to the markets, today began a study of the problems confronting them.

Whether co-operative livestock exchanges are economically sound is a question that will be given first consideration by the sub-committee on co-operative marketing.

The members include C. H. Gustafson, Minneapolis, Neb.; E. H. Cunningham, Ames, Iowa; and C. E. Collins of Kila, Kansas, Colo.

IDAHO WEATHER

Twilight and Saturday fair.

IDAHO HOUSE PASSES PROHIBITORY MEASURE IS NOW INDORSED BY BOTH BRANCHES OF LEGISLATURE AND GOES TO GOVERNOR

SOLDIERS' RELIEF BILL APPROVED; JUDICIAL DISTRICT CUT IN SENATE

Utah Legislature Asked to Extend Fight on Tobacco

BOISE, Idaho (Special to The News)—The Idaho house of representatives by vote of 33 to 10, today passed an anti-bill No. 124, known as the "anti-cigarette bill." The vote on the bill was taken after a motion by Walter of Washington, for indefinite postponement had been defeated by vote of 30 to 21. The bill now goes to the governor.

Speaker Tates Floor.

Debate on the motion for indefinite postponement continued for more than an hour and nearly half of the membership of the house. Most of the speakers favored the bill. Opposition to the measure was based on the claim that it constituted an unwarranted invasion of personal liberty and on the ground that as a prohibition measure it was weak in that it prohibited only the sale of cigarettes in Idaho and not the shipment into the state of cigarettes purchased outside its boundaries.

During the debate Speaker Johnston (Republican) moved the house to adjourn, to charge from the floor that representatives of the American Tobacco company had been lobbying against the bill.

Indicates Incongruity.

Andrews of Ada, a "Vill" was veteran indicated incongruity in the fight on cigarettes as contrasted with the military service of the soldiers.

Mrs. Irwin of Twin Falls, said that she would be guided in voting her vote by the majority of the legislature. Voters of Twin Falls gave it as his opinion that the bill was a good one.

Miller of Twin Falls, the substitute, took the floor to present the bill received from the senate.

The senate today passed house bill No. 124, carrying an appropriation of \$150,000 for construction of embankments to confine the Snake river within its channels in Madison and Jefferson counties.

It was stated, however, that final action on this matter probably would be withheld for the present.

Plan Publicity Drive

While the council was meeting, of public notification and copies of the declaration of principles adopted at Wednesday's conference were being sent out from the federation headquarters to all labor organizations throughout the country. Plans were being made for the immediate launching of a nation-wide publicity campaign to gain public support for the declaration of labor.

General Union Hold Out

Representatives of the United Mine Workers of America, the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers and the Seamen's union, it was learned today, spoke against the measure. Names of representatives of the mine workers and seamen's union did not appear on the list of signers of the telegram.

Michael Tighe, president of the Amalgamated, is understood to have suggested that the measure be so worded that it would not be construed as opposing James J. Davis, of Pittsburgh, tentatively selected as secretary of labor.

MINE WORKERS TO CENTER FIGHT IN WEST VIRGINIA

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Plans are under way by the United Mine Workers of America to concentrate its efforts on the fight in West Virginia and to carry it to a finish. John L. Lewis, president of the organization said today at the conclusion of conferences with leaders of the various district organizations.

It was said on the basis of a canvass of the district organizations that the coal industry was widespread.

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HARDING CALLS FOR REPEAL OF NAVAL PROGRAM

President-elect Tells Senate Republican Leaders He Desires Adequate Appropriation for Nation's Seapower

STATEMENT LENDS AID TO FIGHT FOR INCREASE

WASHINGTON, (AP)—President-elect Harding sent word today to senate republican leaders that he desired adequate appropriations for the navy and favored continuing the present building program without material reduction.

With this definite statement of what was regarded as the new administration's naval policy by the republican leaders declared they would insist upon the senate to increase over the house totals in the naval appropriations bill, even at the risk of defeating the bill at this session.

Mr. Harding's views were given in reference to legislation regarding the reduced appropriations for the navy. The president-elect replied that he was in complete sympathy with the action of the senate in this regard yesterday in increasing the house total.

Silent on Disarmament.

The president-elect, it was said, did not make any reference to disarmament or to Senator Borah's disarming proposal. Some senate leaders said, however, they felt assured that he would favor disarmament, providing a general agreement could be obtained and that consequently, prospects, for adoption of Senator Borah's disarmament resolution had improved.

Leaders expressed doubt whether the house would yield to the senate in increase proposed in the bill and said that it might be that the bill would not be passed before March 4.

New Dry Law Schemes

A new plan for enforcement of prohibition is being discussed by senate republican leaders as a prospective policy of the Harding administration. It contemplates abolishing the present dry enforcement machinery of the federal and justice departments and centralization of full responsibility and authority under the attorney general.

Whether the plan would be discussed contemplates retention of a federal prohibition commissioner apparently has not been definitely decided. It is understood, however, that all state prohibition enforcement agents would be disposed with and the prohibition enforcement work left to the department of justice, through state district attorneys and their local or municipal assistants.

DAUGHTERY IS SILENT

COLUMBUS, O. (AP)—Harry M. Daugherty, who is to be attorney general in the Harding cabinet, today refused to make any statement in connection with the federal prohibition enforcement machinery.

Although admitting that some reason for the talk over among republican leaders, he said he would not publicly comment on possible congressional action. He merely reported that he had not decided upon any definite plan.

GERMAN PLANES BANNED AFTER SIX FATALITIES

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Accidents resulting in the loss of six lives have caused the justice department to discontinue the operation of the metal munitions purchased abroad, John A. Jordin, of the air mail service, said today before the senate committee on commerce.

Three of the eight planes have been burned while in operation. The committee inquired particularly into the burning of one of the planes at La Crosse, Wis. Feb. 10, in which three men lost their lives. Mr. Jordin said an investigation had not disclosed the cause.

The eight planes were shipped to the United States from Denmark, and were destroyed either in Germany or Holland, the committee was told.

The hearing was marked by frequent clashes between Chairman Stenerson and Mr. Jordin, as to responsibility for the accidents. Mr. Jordin testified the postoffice department was doing its utmost to safeguard the lives of aviators.

Senate Votes \$500,000 to Move Corn for Chinese Sufferers

WASHINGTON, (AP)—One-half a million dollars was voted today by the senate to defray costs of moving across the Pacific grain donated by American farmers for the famine sufferers of China.

Senator Kenyon, republican, Iowa, in offering the bill, said official reports indicated that the famine in China was reaching starvation and that the daily death toll was 7,000.

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God, his way is perfect; the word of the
Lord is tried; he is a buckler to all
them that trust in him.—3 Samuel
22: 31.

REMEMBER THE OBJECT

Organization of the Twin Falls Tax-
payers' League is an accomplished fact.
It was formed last night at a meeting
of citizens whose interest in public af-
fairs prompted them to take this step
with the announced view of doing some-
thing to bring about a betterment in
conditions.

The league must be accepted for what
it is. Its initial line of action was
adopted and the directors of its course
were named at last night's assembly.
Citizens who had no part in the pro-
ceedings of last night have no just
grounds for complaint if that line of ac-
tion, and those directors do not meet
with their entire approval.

Responsibility for action that may be
taken by the new organization rests
alone upon those who have taken the
initiative in its inception and more es-
pecially upon those who have been
placed in direct control of its activities.
But the results of these activities,
whether beneficial or otherwise, can
reflect each and every Twin Falls citi-
zen, whether or not a member of the
organization.

It is manifestly to the interest of
Twin Falls that accomplishment be
reached of the announced purposes of
the organization—"to assist the offi-
cials of the city, school and highway
districts to make proper tax levies, con-
serve revenues and encourage prompt
completion of all needed improve-
ments."

The Taxpayers' League exists as an
instrument to the attainment of this
end. Whether or not it will be success-
ful does not depend alone upon its mem-
bership and directors but upon the
attitude taken toward it by those out-
side its personnel.

So long as the League shows close to
the line of its announced purpose, it
will deserve and ought to have the ac-
tive support of every Twin Falls citi-
zen. Its deviation from this course
should be the signal for its immediate
organization to the hands of misbegotten
organizers.

WHERE LIES ARE WEAKE

"Continuing war between the two
branches of the State Legislature,
which originated," ostensibly at least,
in differences of opinion with respect
to the relative desirability of the di-
rect primary and convention systems
in political procedure, is in itself a
most damning indictment against any
system which weakens responsibility of
political parties and militates against
unity of purpose on the part of their
members.

Both branches of the Legislature are
controlled overwhelmingly by members
who are elected as Republicans. There
is reason to believe that the people
elected Republicans in control the Leg-
islature as an endorsement of the po-
licies for which the Republican party
was believed to stand, rather than as
a choice among the individual candi-

dates standing on their own personal
merits and qualifications.

At least the people who voted for Re-
publican candidates for the Legislature
had a right to expect unity of action on
the part of Republican legislators in
conformity with principles of the Re-
publican platform.

The situation now existing in Idaho
indicates the futility of that expectation
and the cause is not hard to find.
Candidates for the State Legislature
were not chosen under the convention
system, which some of the members are
now attacking, but in direct primary
elections in the several counties. They
were entered in the race for election be-
fore the state platform of the Republi-
can party was adopted at the recent
state convention. Consequently the dis-
position to disregard party ties, or at
least to place an individual interpreta-

tion upon party pledges, is not a man-
ifestation to be wondered at.

Justification of the direct primary
system, as well as the justification of
the convention system in the selection
of candidates for public office, depends
upon its results measured in terms of
benefit to the commonwealth.

It must be admitted that abundant
evidence of dissension among State leg-
islators supposedly of similar views
with respect to questions of public pol-
icy, does not strengthen the case for the
primary election.

TIME FOR WORLD HALT IN WAR

The nations of Europe have prac-
tically paralyzed themselves by war,
and a number of them would be ad-
judged bankrupt if they were pressed
to pay only the interest on their war
debts. America is sure that Europe
should get out of the war business, but
what about the United States?

According to statistics compiled by
Dr. E. B. Ross, chief physicist of the
United States Bureau of Standards, 92.8
per cent of all the money that will be
spent by the United States government
during the coming fiscal year will be
for war, past or prospective, and the
remainder is spent for the public wel-
fare, for public works and for national
administration.

Only the immense wealth and natu-
ral resources of the United States pre-
vent this country from being in the
same condition as a number of nations
of Europe. Even now this government
is hard put to decide on methods of
taxation that will help to overcome the
large deficits that will be created next
year.

Interest on the debts of the world
war alone will cost the United States
government \$1,000,000,000 a year for
some years, and \$250,000,000 will be
collected each year for a redemption
fund. The government must pay many
millions of dollars to pay for disabled
veterans of the world war, just as it
is paying \$10,000,000 annually to veter-
ans of other wars and their widows.

If the European nations keep up
their armaments, they will founder on
the rocks of national bankruptcy. Ger-
many and France even now have a hard
struggle to keep afloat financially, and
Great Britain is only a little better off,
despite her greater resources.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The millions and dyspepsia are com-
mon affections and appeal to our sym-
pathies. Many such, however, have
been completely restored to health by
the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. These
tablets strengthen the stomach, invig-
orate the liver and improve the diges-
tion. They also cause a gentle move-
ment of the bowels. When you have
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For cream of milk and
flavored with vanilla is a favorite
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as elastic and cushiony and gives about
the same service as a new one.

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FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
IN TWIN FALLS.

Taken at random from The News This Date
in Year 1906

The State Bank of Buhl has been in-
corporated with a paid up capital stock
of \$25,000 and will be ready for busi-
ness when the town site opens on April
10. The incorporators are: S. R. Mil-
ler, J. B. Perrier, H. R. Cost, A. J.
Miller and E. A. Miller. It has been
practically decided to defer the open-
ing of the Buhl townsite until April
10. The condition of the road between
Twin Falls and Buhl has been such
that freight could be moved only with
great difficulty. The big hotel, which
was ready for placement last week but
will take some time to get the furni-
ture in place. There is every indica-
tion of a big rush at the opening and
the company desires to take care of
the crowd.

The local Knights of Pythias are
preparing for a grand parade which
promises great strength. There are a
large number of Knights of Pythias in
Twin Falls and they have been at work
for some time preparing for the par-
ade. Three petitions for a dispensation
have been started. They are in the
hands of C. E. Cole, A. N. Sprague
and J. B. Perrier. The parade will meet
in McCormick & Co.'s bank on Tuesday
evening, February 27, at 8 o'clock.

The sewing circle met with Mrs.
Hahn on Thursday afternoon and need-
less to say the members forgot the
snowstorm without in the enjoyment
of the hospitality within.

Mrs. C. E. Booth entertained in hon-
or of her sister, Miss Bollen on Thurs-
day evening. Several young people
were present and had a glorious time.
One of the humorous games was that
in which the guests were shown illus-
trations used in advertising well known
articles, and asked to name the arti-
cles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fuller have ar-
rived from Gray Eagle, Minn., and are
the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M.
Hill. Their son-in-law and daughter,
Miss Hazel Fuller, another daughter,
accompanied them. Mr. Fuller was en-
gaged in the mercantile business in
Gray Eagle but has sold out of the busi-
ness and decided to cast his fortune
in Twin Falls.

Mrs. J. V. Baker entertained her
friends on Monday, Tuesday and
Wednesday afternoons. She divided
the reception in three sections becom-
ing her new home was not complete and
she could not entertain them all at
once.

The Baptist ladies and their friends
will meet with Mrs. Hutchinson on
Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The
subject for the purpose of organ-
izing a ladies' guild.

Miss Mary Brooks of Pearl Creek
N. Y. is the guest of her uncle and
nephew, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Sprague,
at the hotel Fortine.

ENGINEERS IN CONVENTION

Methods of Making Public Works Done
for General Welfare to be
Discussed

CHICAGO, (AP)—Civil, mechanical,
electrical and other professional engi-
neers from all the country assembled
here today for the first national engi-
neering conference on public informa-
tion held by the American Association
of Engineers.
Methods of acquainting the public
with work done by the engineers to
benefit the public will be discussed.
H. E. Philie of the Amer. En-
gineering experiment station was on
the program for a paper on "Teaching En-
gineering." *Journalism—By Jane Smith
College.* He said that American
engineers had developed a distinct
style of writing and that the same was
to have their news published was to
write it in this style.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE.

I, will sell at public sale on February
25, at 8 o'clock p. m. at my place of
business, 133 Third avenue east, Twin
Falls, Idaho, one Ford touring car,
1917 model, engine No. 154010.
This is said to be the property of the In-
dian of Twin Falls, Idaho, and will
be sold to cover the bill of goods account-
ing same by reason of labor and
repairs.

WILLIAM HOUSMAN.



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MURTAUGH

MURTAUGH, Idaho — Lorenna Ber-
terly left Saturday for Twin Falls
where she has a position in the Booth
military department.

Mrs. D. M. May and Mrs. G. A. Dil-
lon spent Friday in Twin Falls.
Mrs. L. W. Hawkins and son, Jack,
returned Sunday from Burley where
they have spent several days with rela-
tives.

B. F. Jala and P. L. Johnson at-
tended the polo grounds meeting at
Twin Falls three days last week.
Dr. C. Rich of Burley spent the first
of the week here examining applicants
for chicken pox.

One of the latest dancing parties
of the season was given at Lodge hall
Wednesday evening by W. O. W. camp,
No. 345. A basket supper was enjoyed
about 40 couples were present.

Mrs. J. W. Walker of Twin Falls is
spending the week in Murtaugh at her
old home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fisher entertain-
ed at dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Nelson and daughter, Len-
na.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bell and sons,
Joseph and Robert, spent Tuesday at
the home of the Rev. and Mrs. T. N.
Manning at Hamden.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Strong were called
to Twin Falls last week by the death
of their only son and daughter, Len-
na.

B. E. Gregg was a business visitor
at Twin Falls Saturday.

Dr. H. W. Leete of Twin Falls was
called to Murtaugh Sunday by the se-
rious illness of William Bailey.
Heber Nelson left Monday evening for
Aereo to spend several days at the
J. Carlson home.

Mrs. D. O. Boyd who has been quite
ill is able to be out.

Mrs. E. J. Fisher spent Tuesday and
Wednesday at Kimberly and Twin
Falls.

Mr. Walter Taylor visited friends
at Burley Tuesday.

Pupils enjoyed a vacation Tuesday
as school closed in memory of Wash-
ington's birthday and daughter, Len-
na.

Mr. Ed R. True visited relatives in
Twin Falls Friday and Saturday.
Geoff Paul Walker, 6-month-old son
of Mrs. E. F. Walker who has been
quite sick has much improved.

Monday evening, February 21, the
pupils of the seventh and eighth grades
and high school presented the "School
on Ice."

The play was one of the best
ever given here by the pupils, each
showing his part well. The musical
numbers and dances were well re-
ceived and thoroughly enjoyed. Violin
solo by Miss Dorothy Chinn, vocal
solo by Miss Thelma Giverson and
songs by the young ladies' chorus
were received several times. The stu-
dents played to a good house, the
proceeds are for the benefit of the
sickle association.

Her Bulking Room.
Are you aware that "my lady" re-
fers to her bodice for the purpose of
sufficing? The word "bodice" is de-
rived from the French "boudoir" to
put on to be silky, at that its real
meaning is "to dress in which to silk-
ness."

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advancing age. We all know the ad-
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Your hair is your charm. It makes or
mars the face. When it fades, turns
gray, and looks straggled, just a few ap-
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Don't stay gray! Look young! Bilk.

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doesn't burn or discolor the skin.
Lumber up! Don't suffer! Get a
small trial bottle from any drug store
and after using it just once, you'll
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WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT-SOME BOAT AINT IT-?

OH SHE TRAVELS ALRIGHT-BUT I THINK THAT FRONT SEAT IS PRETTY DARN UNCOMFORTABLE IT TIRES MY BACK-

THIS SEAT AINT VERY COMFORTABLE NOW THAT I NOTICE IT-GOSH THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING WRONG WITH EVERYTHING-

BOB THOMPSON

O. S. L. DENIES CHARGES MADE BY CIVIC BODY

Chamber of Commerce Demand for Improvements Declared Unwarranted

Denying many of the allegations contained in the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce's complaint, filed with the public utilities commission, the Oregon Shortline Railroad company, defendant in the action, has filed an answer with the commission. Copy of this answer has been received here.

The chamber of commerce alleged in its bill against the railroad that the passenger station at Twin Falls is inadequate, inefficient and detrimental to safety, health, comfort and convenience of the public, lacks seating capacity and is not sufficiently roomy to accommodate passengers of the general public while waiting for the arrival of trains.

Demial Quota General

To this paragraph the company enters demial in general. Contradiction is also made of the allegation by plaintiff that the railroad of the Middlefork built line is inadequate or a menace to public safety, as alleged in the complaint, and also denies that the railroad is not sufficiently ballasted.

The company also denies the allegation that train service on the branch line through Twin Falls is inadequate, inefficient, unsafe, or that the number of passenger trains, or their time of arrival and departure do not afford adequate, efficient, safe and convenient transportation facilities to people living along the branch. The same demial is entered of the complaint that rolling stock is old, antiquated, unsatisfactory, inconvenient and inefficient.

The company questions the right of authority of the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce to bring these complaints before the public utilities commission of Idaho, and on that ground denies such allegations.

Officials of the local chamber of commerce declare they will make every effort to bring about an early hearing of the complaints contained in the action before the utilities commission.

SCHOOL'S MUSICAL AT THEATRE TONIGHT

"Garden of Shah" will be Given by High Pupils, Directed by Carlo Olitz

Tonight marks the peak of musical activities in the high school. In the Garden of the Shah, the high school production is ready for presentation. Work on this three-act operetta has been going on for several weeks and the work of the actors is in the professional class.

Special original scenery and costumes for the production have been made and everything is set for the night of the curtain. The efforts of the entire high school have been combined to make this production one of the best ever seen on the local stage.

The story is of two young American engineers, engaged to be married, who are sent to work in the Shah's gold mine, and incidentally fall in love with his daughter and her two friends. They leave the work of the mine and are ordered to jail. Here they escape this punishment and a happy ending is brought about as things that only the production will tell. The curtain descends promptly at 8:30.

Various scale for school plays and plays are now on exhibition in the trophy case in the main hall of the high school building for the approval of the students.

The senior girls club, the Blue and Gold, met last night at the home of Frances Smith. Refreshments were served and the chief event of the evening's entertainment.

LOCAL ATTORNEY NAMED REFEREE IN BANKRUPTCY

Guy L. Kinney Appointed by Federal Judge District Court at Shoshone, Wyo. Or. Chapman

Guy L. Kinney, attorney at law, was today notified by the appointment to the position of referee in bankruptcy for the Idaho district, at the hands of Federal Judge, District of Oregon, Or. Chapman, who has held the position for some years. He will assume the duties of office March 1. He is an old resident of this city, formerly a member of the law firm of Myers & Kinney, but of late years engaged in private alone.

NORTH RE-OPENS OFFICE FOR PRACTICE OF LAW

After a rest of 18 months from practice, Charles A. North, formerly a partner of Frank L. Rothman, has opened a law office in the south building on Main avenue north. Mr. North has the privilege of law to engage in real estate business with J. B. Keel. He is a graduate of the law school of Michigan university, and a member of the local and state bar associations.

TAXPAYERS ORGANIZE LEAGUE TO QUESTION ADMINISTRATIONS OF DISTRICT

Long Forensic Discussions of School, City and Highway Funds Disposals Results in Formation of Civic Association Designed to Have Supervisory Powers Over Departmental Functioning

With signatures to the plan, many of the taxpayers league was for the purpose of questioning the administration of the Twin Falls and district citizens last night. The meeting was conducted in a rooming house with C. D. Thomsen, mayor of Twin Falls, as the guest of honor. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. D. Thomsen, who has been called to hold special sessions in the office of last night's chairman tonight for organization.

Those selected on the executive board were: C. L. Thomas, R. G. McKinley, O. C. Carter, E. N. Phipps, A. J. Potts, J. W. Brown, E. H. Van Cott, L. S. Hansen, C. D. Disbake and Floyd McLaughlin. The first named seven were selected by a nominating committee composed of R. N. Pittman, W. G. Wyckoff and J. W. Knappe. The other five were nominated from the floor of the meeting. The nominating committee was composed of R. N. Pittman, W. G. Wyckoff and J. W. Knappe. The other five were nominated from the floor of the meeting.

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PROJECT BOARD DRAWS LIST OF EXPENDITURES

Salmon Will Need \$34,930 for Year's Expenses—Reservoir Filling Rapidly

A budget drafted by the board of directors of the Salmon River Canal company shows a total of not less than \$34,930 will be required to cover the expenditures necessary for operation of the system during the year 1921. The budget was adopted at a meeting of the directors held in Hollister during the present week and decision was reached to fix a levy of \$1 per share or for each acre of water right.

The directors have reported a gratifying report of the water conditions and stage at the Salmon river. The gauge at the reservoir yesterday showed 18 feet above the dam level, indicating 23,500 acre feet of available storage.

The site so far this month is said to be more rapid than for any previous February. The gauge on February 1 marked 17. The gain to February 24 was 18 feet above the dam level. The gauge is said to mark higher than on any corresponding date since the dam was built, with the exception of the years 1913 and 1914, when water was carried over from preceding years.

Directors of the company consider the prospects most encouraging for an ample water supply, especially when the project land generally is now well sprung and in fine condition for spring work.

PHOTOGRAPHY DISPLAY ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Fisher Drug Company Window Attractively Arranged with Kodak Results

One of the best photographic displays ever shown here is up in the Fisher Drug company's window. There are a number of snapshots by W. E. Crabtree shown with the other paraphernalia necessary to photography.

The prints by Mr. Crabtree show some very good action scenes, some of which have been taken at Eastern Kodakery prizes. Enlargements of the best have been given a better idea of the detail of the print.

Mr. Crabtree's collection includes pictures from all over the country on various subjects though the best in the display are of the local scene. A number of teams taken while he was in college.

SCHOOL DISTRICT AUDIT COMPLETE IN FORTNIGHT

E. A. Wilson Reports Progress on Preparation of Finance Statement

Elwin A. Wilson, certified accountant, reports work of auditing school district books and accounts, started Wednesday, proceeding rapidly. A force of three experts has been employed in checking the tax accounts of the district. This work is about complete and the entire auditing force will now concentrate upon the books and records. Mr. Wilson expects the entire job to be completed in about three weeks.

Don't Forget Tonight!

"THE GARDEN OF THE SHAH" AT 8:30 P. M.

LAVERING THEATRE

Harbingers are Coming Fast as Time Proceeds

The weather man came with a warning of duplicating Wednesday's weather on Thursday. High on the former day was 62 yesterday it was 61. On both days the thermometer mark was 62, 20 above zero. Ample evidence is found on every hand of the return of winter. New feathered harbingers are reported daily, and on the sunny side of the courthouse driveway is beginning to break into bud.

Deaths

W. H. Scott, aged 65, died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Wescott, of Nampa. It is expected that funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in the Baptist church with the Rev. G. H. Young in charge. The body is at the Grossman mortuary chapel. Decedent is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. G. W. Wescott, of Nampa. A son, Arthur D. Scott, died some time ago from the effects of ailments contracted while serving in France. Decedent had been a resident of Twin Falls six years.

M. Gustie, 78 years of age and a bachelor, died at a local hospital today of cancer. The body is at the De Witt mortuary chapel awaiting completion of plans for funeral services.

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FUNERALS

Funeral services were conducted at 10 o'clock this morning in the De Witt chapel for Kenneth Williams, 11-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Williams, 257 Quincy avenue. Death occurred at the home on Thursday night from complications following tonsillitis. The services were conducted by the Rev. Charles W. Roth, pastor of the Baptist church. Burial was in Twin Falls cemetery in charge of J. E. DeWitt, undertaker.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon funeral services were held at the Baptist church for the Rev. G. H. Young officiating for Edna Lee Sweet, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sweet, living one-half mile north of the county hospital. Death occurred at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at a local hospital following an operation. J. E. DeWitt, undertaker had charge of committal, which was in Twin Falls cemetery.

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75 Cent Neck Ties	19 CENTS
\$80.00 Men's Quality Suits	\$37.75
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\$3.00 Child's Sneaker Shoes	98 CENTS

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