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## CITY OF ROME IS IN THE HANDS OF REVOLUTIONISTS

Government Capitulates After Stubborn Battle in Which Cannon is Used to Batter Down Buildings

PUMPA, (AP) — The committee of national defense proclaimed the final overthrow of the provisional government under President Zanella and the constituent assembly today. The government capitulated after fierce fighting.

The committee, upon assuming power, asked the Italian government to send a representative to administer the government of the city until quiet is restored.

Rome dispatches last night declared that President Zanella and his followers had fled to the hills near Piuma, after losing a position transferring the authority to the national committee of defense. The capitulation followed an attack on the government palace by fascists, who fired 20 cannon shots into the buildings.

Another account gives the Zanella forces at six dead with two fatalities in addition to many wounded in the ranks of the assassins. The comparative smallness of the casualties is explained by the fact that although rifles, hand grenades and machine guns were freely used, both sides fought from under cover.

STANDY BROS. OF SEVEN BROS.

The capitulation of Zanella occurred after a siege of seven hours. From the headquarters of the fascist committee, the Zanella forces were ordered to surrender and impose upon Zanella as the chief conditions of his surrender the dismantling of the police and the immediate resignation of himself and the other members of his government. The crowd outside received the news of Zanella's capitulation, and the Zanella forces fled to the hills near Piuma.

Messages from Piuma received shortly after noon today stated that Zanella and Minister of the Interior Bianchi of the former Piuma administration, were under protection of the Italian authorities and would leave soon for Rome.

Representations were made to Premier Facci and other of the ministers at a conference today that the situation at Piuma was untenable, owing to lack of food supplies because of the disturbed conditions. It was argued that there was an immediate and energetic intervention by the Italian government as an indispensable measure to avoid greater trouble.

## NEW PARTY MAY TAKE CONTROL

Resignation of Lloyd George, British Premier, is Apparently Plainly Forecast

LONDON, (AP) — What was regarded in political circles here as seemingly a plain intimation of the early resignation of Premier Lloyd George was an endeavor to form a new national centrist party out of the moderate conservatives and coalition liberals, was given by Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for the colonies, in his address at Loughborough this afternoon.

This party, as Mr. Churchill described it in the reports of his speech received here, would be "liberal, progressive and pacific in its outlook, at home and abroad, and realistic also in its aims and maintain the traditions of the state and the power and unity of the empire."

## EMPLOYMENT INCREASING

Detroit Picking Up Rapidly According to Figures as Men Now at Work

DETROIT, (AP) — The number of workers employed in the chief industries here has almost doubled since March 1, 1921, according to a report made public today by the Employers' association. An increase of 8664 workers was shown for February as compared with January.

The total employed by the 79 associations was given as 121,763, as against 62,878 a year ago. These plants normally employ 200,000 workers.

## EX-CROWN PRINCE BOOM-ED FOR PRESIDENCY



Kaiser Wilhelm II, former German Emperor.

THE FORMER German Crown Prince, returning now at the island of Wilhelmshaven, is being boomed for the presidency of the German Republic, declares reports from that country. The erstwhile imperial heir commanded a German division during the World War. He is not expected to make public announcement that he "has it in the ring," but it is believed he will heartily respond if his backers can give sufficient impetus to his "boom."

## Hold-up Privileges Cheerfully Usurped by Los Angeles Fair

Fair Sex Invades Another Field of Activity Heretofore Held Largely by Men

LOS ANGELES, Cal., (AP) — W. T. Taylor at a public dance hall early today requested the pleasure of escorting two comely girls home and they consented. Several blocks away, at a dark corner, one of the girls softly said:

"Stick 'em up honey and hold 'em high," punctuating her remarks with a pistol. The other girl eagerly removed \$35 from Taylor's pockets and they bade him a good night.

McKewin P. A. Dugger, not far from the dance hall, told a Titan hired woman who relieved him of \$19 in cash, \$250 in postal savings certificates and \$12 in checks while menacing him with a revolver.

## Radio Set Used in General Effort to Apprehend Thieves

LOUISVILLE, Ky., (AP) — The radio telephone was employed early today to broadcast descriptions of four robbers who last night killed and gagged James T. Clark, his wife and two negro servants and escaped with diamonds valued at \$10,000 and approximately \$350 cash. The robbers bound their victims with cords taken from expensive pictures which they tore from the walls.

Miss Josephine Gauthney of Birmingham, Ala., who was visiting the Clark, saved her valuables by hiding in a closet while the robbers ransacked the place.

## FLEISCHMANN COMPANY ACCUSED OF FORGERY

Supplies of Industrial Alcohol in All Plants to be Seized by the Government

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Prohibition officials in New York and ten other cities where branch agencies of the Fleischmann Vine company are located, were preparing today to execute the orders of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes to seize all supplies of industrial alcohol in the plants. The orders were issued last night following the revelation of this company's industrial alcohol permits.

As ground for this action, which the prohibition commissioner said he regarded as "one of the biggest things done by the prohibition bureau," Mr. Haynes in a statement charged the company with "diversion of non-beverage alcohol for beverage purposes" and among other things with disposing of non-beverage alcohol on forged permits and without permits to purchase.

## LOSS OF LIFE IN COLLISION IS UNCERTAIN

At Least Thirteen Persons Known to Have Perished when Automobile Bus is Hit by Fast Train

CLEVELAND, O., (AP) — The death of George E. McGee, today brought the toll from the collision between a New York Central passenger train and an automobile bus at Painesville last night up to 14. Five persons are seriously injured, three of whom are expected to die. A coroner's inquest will be held at Painesville this afternoon. City officials of Painesville and officials of the New York Central railroad started investigation this morning.

Thirteen bodies had been accounted for, but there were reports that at least one other person had been killed. Of the thirteen, seven of them were women.

Three of the dead were found on the locomotive flywheel when the train, in charge of Engineer Fernandez of Buffalo and Conductor Gerst was brought from its ordinary hour pace to a halt about three blocks from the scene of the collision.

Most of those killed had left a dance hall in Painesville, less than half an hour before the crash, while several others had attended a lodge meeting. SEVERAL BODIES BADLY BURNED.

An explosion of the gasoline tank of the machine set fire to the debris and several bodies were badly burned.

The bus which was operated between Painesville and Painesville was making its last trip for the night. A. W. Barnes, coupling watchman, declared he flagged the driver. A declaration by Chester Parry, manager of the bus line, that a large oil tank obstructed Driver Adams' view of the watchman's lantern and the approaching train, was discounted by Carl Sullivan, one of the injured.

"I saw the train before we reached the tracks," Sullivan said. "We had stopped to take on two passengers just south of the railroad, or we would have been across."

"People near me screamed as the engine came on. I saw the driver reach down and pull some thing. I don't know whether it specked up or slowed us down. I thought we had cleared the track. Then it hit us."

The train was composed of 20 express coaches. It was made up here to go to Buffalo and does not stop at Painesville.

RENEW WHISTLE— THEN SAW CAR.

"I blew the whistle just as we reached the limits of the town," Engineer Fernandez declared. "An instant later I saw the automobile on the track immediately ahead of me. The space before we struck it was so brief I could not even know whether the automobile was standing or in motion."

"As I threw on the brakes I felt the collision and fragments of the wreck flew past the engine cab. I am sure we stopped as quickly as possible."

The story of Fireman Mike Cornell, also of Buffalo, coincided with that of the engineer.

THINKS BUS DRIVER WANTED A RACE.

D. R. MacBain, assistant general manager of the New York Central this morning gave out a statement regarding the collision in which he said the disaster evidently resulted through the bus driver trying to beat the train.

Mr. MacBain's statement, in part, follows: "This crossing is protected by a watchman who was on duty at the time of the accident and who endeavored to stop the bus and warn the driver of the imminent danger by swinging a red lantern. We have no reason to believe that the bus driver wanted to beat the train which resulted in the disaster that followed."

TAKES OATH OF OFFICE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., (AP) — Dr. Hubert Work took the oath of office today as postmaster general, succeeding Will H. Hays who had been a member of the cabinet for one year to the day.

IDAHO WEATHER.

Tonight and Sunday rain; warmer tonight southeast portion, fresh southerly winds.

## Mystery Surrounds Shooting of Three Brooklyn Residents

Each Man Sent to Hospital with Bullet in His Body, Yet None Heard Shot which Resulted in Wound—Police Puzzled; Incidents May or May Not Be Connected

NEW YORK, (AP) — The police were puzzled today by a series of mysterious shootings in Brooklyn in which three men, unknown to each other, had been killed. All the shootings occurred in the same general neighborhood within an hour.

Robert Sabundy, a passenger on a Lexington avenue elevated train was struck by a bullet in the leg. He heard no shot.

While the police were questioning nearby residents James Garry, who was walking along Cumberland street, was hit in the side by a bullet. He, too, heard no shot.

Soon afterward, Thomas Campbell, who was walking on Nostrand avenue, was shot in the right shoulder. He likewise, said he heard no shot. All were sent to hospitals. Their wounds are not serious.

## DIVERSIFIED FARMING OFFERS ONLY WAY OUT OF SITUATION

Both Urban and Rural Population of Middle West Hard Hit Throughout Past Year and No Single Line of Activity Exempted from General Depression—Co-operation and Protective Tariff Uppermost in Public Mind

## Snow and Rain Are Main Features of Weather for Week

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys generally clear, but unsettled and probably local rains or snows about Tuesday, warmer at the beginning of the week; colder after Tuesday.

Southern Rocky Mountain and plateau regions: Unsettled and rains or snows first half; normal weather the second half.

Northern Rocky Mountain and plateau regions: Local snows at beginning of week; generally fair thereafter; colder first half; normal temperatures thereafter.

## LETTER CARRIES FULL CONFESSION

Connecticut Man Makes Bid for Notoriety that Writer Killed Taylor

LOS ANGELES, Cal., (AP) — Captain David A. Adams of the Los Angeles police department, announced today that he had received a letter from a man whose name he declined to disclose, stating that the writer had killed William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director, whose recent death has baffled investigators.

The letter, Captain Adams said, was written by an educated man, was from a city in Connecticut, the name of which he declined to disclose, and made circumstantial statements that fitted in precisely with facts developed by the police.

Captain Adams said he would not say definitely that the letter was a genuine confession, but he would say that the department put much credence in it, and was making a thorough and quick investigation.

LEAVING COUNTRY IMMEDIATELY.

The letter expressed regret that he could not collect the reward offered for the arrest of the slayer, but announced that the writer was leaving the country immediately. It gave a reason for an old feud as the motive for the shooting of Taylor, and was signed by a name that had not been connected with the previous investigation.

Captain Adams declined to give out any further details and said he would not show the letter at present.

## POLICE ASSISTANCE ASKED

Four Entertained that Murder and Suicides May Be Disclosed by Investigation

DETROIT, Mich., (AP) — At the request of Mrs. Barbara Deas, police early today began a search for her husband, Ray Deas and their three children, who disappeared last night after Deas is alleged to have threatened to "do away with the boys." Deas was last seen so far as the police could learn, walking hand in hand with the children toward the Detroit river. Near the water's edge at Orleans street, the officers reported they found the footprints of two small children and a man.

(By ROGER W. BABSON.)

WELLESLEY HILLS, Mass. (Special to The News).—Continuing the personal survey of conditions throughout the country, Roger W. Babson, economist, furnished the following exclusive statement to The Twin Falls News on conditions in the farming sections of the middle west.

"There is no use disguising the fact that conditions are pretty bad out there. The expected fall rise in business was apparent in all sections of the country except in these western states bordered by the Mississippi on the east and the Rocky mountains on the west. Throughout 1920 the farmers' crop was good, but the prices were higher, prices but, as statistics clearly indicated, would be the case, prices declined throughout the year. Hence the farmers' reached the end of the year with practically obligations and no funds. All classes of farmers were hit but I find those depending primarily on the sale of their crops worst off. Of all the states in this belt, I find Iowa most depressed and Minnesota the worst off.

Those engaged in stock raising or more properly speaking in the feeding of stock have the greatest monetary loss. Many a farmer I have met, who has lost his stock, has been feeding it 12 months and cannot today get for his fat cattle what he paid a year ago. Others have cattle which they purchased 18 months or two years ago and these of course are in a much worse fix. The same applies to sheep and hogs. Hence the banks in the belt and all sheep sections are in a weak condition, although I believe 95 per cent of them will come through all right.

INTEREST KEEN IN NEW TARIFF.

I find a great interest in this section for heavy protective tariffs, especially on heavy, hides and other products entering into the industry. The farmers are pretty stricken, grasping at straws here and there for temporary help. They are the real bolshavists today and are actually favoring some of the unorthodox doctrines that Russia has already tried and found to be useless. Only greater efficiency and wider markets will help the farmer in the long run. Higher tariffs tend only to reduce efficiency and narrow our markets. Besides, the farmer will never get a tariff on his raw materials without giving the manufacturers a tariff on manufactured products and the double tariff will do him no better off.

Generally speaking, the wheel growers of the northwest are not complaining like the corn and cotton growers. Minnesota's I find to be the most optimistic city of the western states. The banks of Minnesota are in a pretty good condition and the farmers of these states are doing a fair business. Perhaps it may be said that Minnesota has turned the corner; but this is not true of any other state in this belt. 1922 is destined to be a bad year for this section.

This means that the western states will be a little drier in 1922, even although they thought about nothing during 1921. The purchasing power of the farmer has been cut from 50 per cent to 75 per cent. Moreover, his hopes rest not in higher prices but in reducing his operating expenses. Manufacturers and merchants are in a bad way. The farmer in these states during 1922 must feature "amazing price reductions." Farmers will not be attracted by the quality of the goods. Price will be the only consideration. Labor saving devices and other necessities may be sold but very few plans.

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## PROJECT PLANS HOLD ATTENTION OF TWIN FALLS

Committee Wrestles with Question as to District's Policy in Relation to American Falls Reservoir

Without arriving at a decision, the committee designated to formulate proposals for a policy to be followed by the Twin Falls district in reference to the American Falls project finance plan, recessed at noon today after having been in session since 9:30 a. m. in the chamber of commerce offices here. The session was resumed at 1 o'clock.

Organization of the committee was effected with election of Ivan G. Lincoln, flax, president of the Twin Falls Canal company, as chairman, and Carl J. Miller, Castalia, state representative, as secretary.

Whether the Twin Falls Canal company shall repudiate its contract with the federal reclamation service and so contribute to sealing the doom of the American Falls reservoir project, or whether it shall place itself in position to finance its defaulted payments on contract and so help to insure the immediate completion of this gigantic reclamation project, was the question presented here Friday at two largely attended meetings of officials, farmers and business men of the county, most of whom were canal company stockholders.

The questioners were B. E. Stout, mayor, attorney for the reclamation service in Idaho; Harry Dibble, project manager for the American Falls project; and Miss M. L. Evans of American Falls, who lately has returned from Washington where he appeared before federal officials in the interests of the American Falls project.

STAY ANSWER TO COMMITTEE.

The solution of the problem was left by the committee to a committee of heretofore formed and composed of directors of the canal company, county commissioners, members of the Idaho Reclamation association advisory committee, and the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce board of directors and reclamation bureau. The evening meeting followed a similar course and added to the personnel of this committee the names of Herschel Bonner, Dull; West, Dull; and J. A. Cron, Twin Falls.

This committee was to meet at 9:30 o'clock this morning in the chamber of commerce offices to prepare its report for submission to a public meeting which it was to arrange for in the immediate future.

TWIN FALLS SITUATION.

Salient features of the American Falls project plans in relation to the Twin Falls district, as given by the visiting speakers were:

The Twin Falls Canal company, along with some 40 other canal companies and irrigated districts of the Snake River valley, has defaulted payments on its contract with the reclamation service for water from the American Falls reservoir.

In consequence of this default, Secretary of the Interior A. B. Fall and reclamation service officials are unable and unwilling to proceed with construction of the American Falls project. They are, however, wholly in sympathy with the project, and as soon as there is tangible evidence of the purpose of the contracting interests in Idaho to make good their agreements, they will push development of the project.

The Twin Falls Canal company entered into contract for storing water of 100,000 more feet of water from American Falls reservoir after its stockholders at an annual meeting following the dry season of 1919, by unanimous vote authorized such purchase.

WANTS PROOF

Economic depression of the past two years has been used as reason for postponing payments under the contract. Federal officials in the present time, however, are insistent upon manifestation of purpose on the part of the contracting interests to go through with their agreement.

Raising of funds by assessment of bond holders of the project, which has been evolved a plan for formation of a single irrigation district to include the lands of all of the contracting concerns, which might cause the project to be abandoned.

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# SCOPE OF CLUB WORK INCREASES

County Leader's Report Shows  
Extent and Practical Value  
of Activities

Out of 1211 boys and girls who have enrolled as members of vocational clubs in Twin Falls county during the three years period ending November 30 last, according to a report made public today by A. L. O'Reilly, county club leader, 1086 have completed the projects for which they enrolled.

Investments of club members during that period aggregate \$37,152.05; the present value of their property is \$125,570.35, and their combined profits for the three years work is \$95,398.30.

Investments include purchase of livestock, pure seed, feed, expenses in connection with growing, harvesting and marketing crops, and purchase of material for canning, cooking and sewing projects.

## Practical Value Strengthened

In addition to the financial returns, which Mr. O'Reilly says in his report, are the most important returns, the three years work shows that there were 647 of the 1086 boys and girls trained to give public demonstrations in better ways of doing practical things. There were 353 demonstrations given by trained teams in the county, state and northwest.

The report also shows that during the three years the county club agent gave 417 public demonstrations in various lines of the work, prepared and delivered 7894 pamphlets regarding the work, discussed the work in 568 homes, spent 75 per cent of his time in the field and 25 per cent in the office.

The record shows that during the three years the club boys and girls raised to maturity 729 purebred registered Duroc Jersey pigs and they own at the present time, including young pigs, 229 registered Durocs.

They secured and raised 41 head of registered cattle of the Jersey and Shorthorn breeds and own at the present time, including calves, 123 head of registered stock.

They raised 1711 bushels of corn, 4074 bags of sugar beets, 47602 bushels of potatoes, 1412 bushels of certified wheat, and 978 chickens. The girls canned 26100 quarts of fruit, vegetables, etc., baked 8743 loaves of bread, 71,420 biscuits, and 20,752 miscellaneous such as cakes, pies, etc. They made 602 work aprons, 214 wash dresses, 168 hand towels, 167 princess slips, 87 kimono, 85 smocks, 95 skirts, draped 292 stockings, patched 185 garments and made 760 articles of wearing apparel not listed above.

During the three years they received in cash prizes from their exhibits at fairs \$6750. The bulk of this money was won in competition with the club members and the swine breeders of the northwest.

## LEAD IDAHO AND NORTHWEST.

In state and national competition, the club members of Idaho and the northwest have always gone down to defeat when they placed their exhibits against those of the Twin Falls county boys and girls, and in many cases the best breeders of the northwest have acknowledged defeat by the Twin Falls county club boys.

During the three years the following honors have been won by Twin Falls county club members.

Idaho state championship for two years.

First place in the United States last year. (No report as yet for this year, but their record is better than it was last year.)

Northwest championship in canning

demonstration work, sheep judging, swine judging.

State championship in bread baking, three, canning, sewing, corn, wheat, sheep, dairy cattle, potato judging, judging canned products and judging baked products. (Space forbids entering in detail all of the places won on exhibits during the three years.)

The records show that the budgets as allowed by the county commissioners for this work for the three years was \$6983.

# STRANGE WILL VITAL FACTOR

Plan to Turn Mammoth Cave  
Into National Park May Be  
Set at Naught

LOUISVILLE, Ky., (AP)—Unless the government acts soon a will, with a strange request, may prevent the purchase of Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, as a national park. This was pointed out by Stephen T. Mather, director of national parks, in a report recently issued. A move for the purchase of the cave as a national park is now under way and has been urged upon congress for action.

"The \$600 acre sought for the park purposes at the entrance to Mammoth Cave," says Mr. Mather's report, are in private hands under the terms of a famous will which dictated that the land must be held in trust until such time as the death of the last of the named heirs occurs, when it is to be sold at public auction in its entirety.

## TIME LIMIT IS NEARLY OUT.

"Because of the advanced age of the two surviving heirs, it may be expected that it will not be long before the world famous cavern will be sold under the hammer, and unless some means are found to take it over nationally at that time either through congressional appropriation or through donation of some public-spirited individual or organization, the cave will be lost for all time as a national park possibility and will continue to be privately controlled."

"I trust congress will make an exception in its evident policy not to utilize public funds in the acquisition of park areas by purchase of the great Mammoth cave of Kentucky."

## Beginning of Manual Training.

The earliest official recognition of manual training was given in Finland, where Uno Cygnaeus organized a plan for such work in primary schools in 1838, and where such instruction was made compulsory for certain pupils in 1858. Sweden soon after recognized the importance of such training and gave an impetus to the movement.

## Florida's Remarkable Spring.

Silver spring, Florida, one of the great springs in the world, fills a basin 200 feet wide and 50 feet deep. The water, which is extremely transparent, issues from several orifices at the bottom of the basin at the rate of several hundred million gallons a day.

## Bad News for Highbrows.

"Men with extra-large heads," says one of the doctors, "are likely to have brains that function poorly, owing to the excess water inside the skull." Now let the man who wears a 7 1/2 hat come to blush when the clerk asks: "What size, please?"

# SALE OF PAPER MAY MEAN DUEL

Transfer of Ownership of Influential Paris Daily Leads to Bid to Fight

PARIS, (AP)—All Paris is awaiting the outcome of an effort by Louis La Tzarus, retiring editor in chief of the Figaro, to obtain satisfaction from its new editors for their initial editorial, at which he took offense.

M. La Tzarus first challenged Alfred Capus, but the latter, who is 64 years, told M. La Tzarus' seconds he had long ceased to be even amused by such challenges and that, anyway, it was customary that the younger man should be challenged when two were jointly involved, referring to Marquis Robert de Fiers, aged 50, who was the second. Later, when the marquis heard of the incident, he promptly sent his seconds to M. La Tzarus, who has not yet replied, so far as is known. Both M. Capus and the Marquis de Fiers are members of the French academy, and the former is well known as a dramatist.

The Figaro, an influential morning newspaper, was taken over on February 28 by M. Coty, a perfume manufacturer, and a group of associates. When the purchase was first announced, M. La Tzarus attacked the new proprietor in bitter terms, and described him as a radical socialist belonging to the "party of which Galloux was formerly the acknowledged chief." At the same time Edouard Calmette, son of the former director, Gaston Calmette, who was shot dead by Mademoiselle Galloux, announced his resignation as general secretary of the Figaro.

# RUSSIA IS INVESTIGATING WIRELESS POSSIBILITIES

One Station Now in Process of Erection Will Have Wide Range of Service

MOSCOW, (AP)—Soviet Russia will soon have a wireless station capable of trans-Atlantic service, says H. Niko-laieff, assistant commissar for posts and telegraphs.

The station is in progress of erection at Bopovsk, near Moscow and is expected to be one of the most powerful in the world. Its towers will be more than 600 feet high, which is 300 feet higher than the famous German wireless station at Nauzen. The new Russian station will have a strength of 500 kilowatts.

Nikolaieff adds that soviet Russia has made great progress in wireless communication in the last four years and cites as evidence of it the fact that the station at Moscow is able to hold telephone conversations with another at Chita, Siberia, 3000 miles distant. Russia now has 38 sending stations and 290 receiving stations.

New wireless stations will be erected within the next few months at Tsak-kent, Kharkov and Novo-Nikolaevsk as well as at the radial points of the Siberian water basin and along the Arctic sea coast where nine stations were installed in 1921.

For Sale or Exchange—New and second-hand farm implements. See us if you have any farm implements you do not need. Idaho Hdw. & Imp. Co., in case of blunders when the clerk asks: "What size, please?"

# AUTOMOBILE PRICES ARE UNDER PRE-WAR FIGURE

Industry Commended Upon Its Willingness of Manufacturers to Take Losses

Considering the large number of important improvements that have been made, the latest sharp reductions in the prices of Dodge Brothers motor cars actually bring them down below the pre-war level, according to Magel Bros., the local dealer. To substantiate his contention he pointed first to the car and then to three closely typewritten pages on which some of these improvements were listed.

"The automotive industry deserves a lot of credit for the way it is going after the price question," said R. F. Magel. "I am not referring to Dodge Brothers alone, even though I believe they have done more than their share but to the industry as a whole. If manufacturers and retailers in all other lines had taken a similar attitude the public would have been disabused of the profiteering idea long ago and buying would have been back on a normal basis much sooner. I know the public appreciates this, from the way automobiles are selling."

"I ran across an editorial the other day which expressed my opinion exactly. It was in the Denver Times. I am quite sure that your readers will agree with what it says if you publish it."

Following is the portion of the editorial to which Mr. Magel referred: "The automobile industry has adopted heroic methods of restoring business and has cut prices until they are little short of incredible. In justice to one of the half dozen leading industries of the nation it should receive credit for this policy. In many instances it is said to have brought the cost of the 1922 car down to the price level of 1914, which is more than can be said for the vast majority of industries."

"The fact is particularly upsetting to the average man already owing a car because, every chop in the price of a new model of the make, he drives means a straight, proportionate, incalculable reduction in the value of his rub. And there, naturally, is the rub. It is a strange thing that the owner is willing for the factory to cut the daylight out of its price schedule, but still cherishes an idea that the value of the car he owns is unaffected when he wants to dispose of it or trade it in. Another instance of 'Let-George-do-it'."

"We believe the retail automobiles

business would be greatly speeded up if the car-owning public, which talks about the high cost of living and the 'profiteering' of merchants, would disabuse its mind of its own unwarranted notions regarding the value of used cars, accept its loss, trade in the old buses at their actual value today and start with a clean slate and not even a regret for the past. There is no known method of sustaining the price of used cars while the prices of new ones are being slashed and the sooner the car owner realizes it the quicker business will pick up."

## BONUS MONEY ELIMINATED

SHANGHAI, (AP)—"Key money," an institution peculiar to Shanghai, and one of the added burdens for the man seeking a dwelling place in this ora of high rents has come under official disapproval and is condemned in a recent ruling of the 'Mixed Court of Shanghai."

Key money, so-called, simply is a

bonus exacted from tenants on taking of houses they rent and commonly in Shanghai amounts to three, or four times the amount of the monthly rental for a house.

"We do not consider that new tenants should be required to pay more than other tenants of similar classes of houses," says the Mixed Court ruling, "and we will give no official recognition to the practice of taking key money of which we strongly disapprove."

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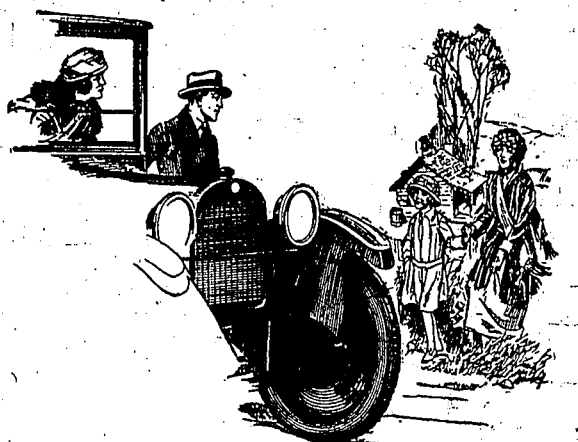
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# THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS

## SCOTCH PICTURE COMING

"The Bonnie Brier Bush" Declared One of Prettiest Picture. Plays Staged

One need not be a Scot to enjoy "The Bonnie Brier Bush," the latest Paramount picture produced in England which will be staged at Manager Madison's theater, next Monday. The story based on Ian MacLaren's famous novel, "Deirdre the Bonnie Brier Bush," is one of universal appeal and

At The Idaho Monday and Tuesday.



Donald Crisp in Paramount Picture "The Bonnie Brier Bush"

representatives of every civilized nation will find it sweet and wholesome. Donald Crisp, the producer, plays the important role of the stern, rigid elder of the "kirk" whose sternness all but provokes a tragedy in his own home. Mary Glynn, popular with American motion picture fans, has the part of Flora, his daughter. The cast is one of unusual excellence and includes among others Alec Fraser, Jack East, Jerrold Robertson, Mrs. Haydon Coffin, Humbert Wright, Dorothy Fane, Langhorne Burton and other screen artists. The principal scenes were photographed in Scotland and are most beautiful. The production is made of and many of the situations are dramatic and sympathetic.

## REGULAR CAVALRY SHOWN

Two Troops Employed to Properly Depict Desert Scenes in the Film

When you look at "The Fox," the Harry Carey picture coming to the Orpheum theater, you are not merely seeing a screen production—you are holding scenes from real life. Among the most interesting of those scenes are those in which cavalry is seen in action on the desert.

These troops of cavalry are not moving picture troops composed of a mob of extra men, but a part of the Twentieth regular United States cavalry from the presidio at Monterey.

The almost unprecedented order sending troops into the field to participate in the making of a moving picture was obtained by Irving G. Thalberg, director general at Universal City, through Major General Miller, commanding general of the Ninth Corps area, who authorized Colonel John M. Jenkins, commanding at the Monterey presidio, to detach the troops for the purpose of going into the field to make pictures with Harry Carey.

When Harry Carey wrote "The Fox" he incorporated heroic actions for the regulars with the idea of giving international prominence to the efficiency of American troops under all circumstances.

Not influenced by the Moon.

The bureau of astronomical industry says there is no foundation in fact for the superstition that the various phases of the moon has anything to do with the proper time to set hen's eggs.

Sarah Bernhardt, whose appearance in "Queen Elizabeth" ten years ago was the signal for leading actors to enter films.

A NATION-WIDE celebration of the tenth anniversary of the youngest of the arts—the motion picture—will be held in March, when more than 10,000 theaters will unite in observing the decade's progress in picture production.

Although nearly twenty years old as a mechanical device, motion pictures as a dramatic entertainment actually had their artistic birth ten years ago when Adolph Zukor persuaded Sarah Bernhardt to star in a multiple-reel feature picture called "Queen Elizabeth."

The story of the development of feature pictures as they are known today reads almost like a fairy tale. In 1912 the flickering films, as they had become known, were fast losing their favor with the public. Adolph Zukor, now president of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, was an exhibitor of pictures then. He saw the fading lines at his box office and realized that something had to be done to revive the dying interest in motion pictures. He begged the men who were producing pictures to make bigger and better films. They laughed at him.

So Mr. Zukor entered the production field himself. He realized that pictures should have recognized stars in the casts and tell a dramatic story. The cheap, tawdry, dull, "chase pictures" and the two-reel thrillers were obviously not what the public wanted. He interviewed well-known Broadway theatrical stars. They would not go into motion pictures, he told Mr. Zukor, because it would mean their reputation in appearance as a cheap vehicle, as a motion picture. Accordingly, he went to the top of the profession and persuaded Sarah Bernhardt to lend her great

## Nation-wide Birthday Party Marks Advance Since Bernhardt Made First Feature Picture.



Scene from picture of today, Cecil M. DeMille's Paramount Picture, "Fool's Paradise," showing lavishness of present-day productions.

art to pictures. The first picture was "Queen Elizabeth." It marked the beginning of the modern film play—the renaissance of the film industry.

Other features of similar length and starring such people as James K. Hackett, Mrs. Fiske, Mary Pickford, James O'Neill and Lily Langtry followed. Their appearance attracted other producers of similar ideas into the field. Among them was Jesse L. Lasky, who interested Cecil B. DeMille, at that time a successful young stage producer, and others in the organization of the Jesse L. Lasky Film Company. Having decided to produce a small amount of capital, they purchased the film rights to "The Squaw Man" and with DeMille and Fox in the stellar role they produced the picture in California.

The Lasky studio, Paramount's huge west coast production center today, was built around the crude little building where "The Squaw Man" was filmed. The present plant affords more than twenty-five times as much floor space, covering two city blocks in Hollywood, while the nearby Lasky Ranch of 1,200 acres gives a wide variety of scenery for exterior backgrounds. The success of the Lasky-DeMille picture was the signal for the entrance of other producers into the feature picture field. Independent producers sprang up in all parts of the country. The motion picture then attracted many stage stars, who hitherto had scorned the silent drama.

With the rapid development of the motion picture toward its present artistic form the old favorites—Hackett, Mrs. Fiske and O'Neill—passed from public view in the films and gave place to their place. Then came Marguerite Clark, Marie Doro, Blanche Sweet, Charlie Chaplin and others to be followed by the present-day constellation including Gloria Swanson, Wallace Reid, Agnes Ayres,

Thomas Meighan, Betty Compson, Rodolph Valentino, Dorothy Dalton, Elaine Ferguson, Jack Holt, Bebe Daniels, Will Rogers, Wanda Hawley, Lila Lee, Lois Wilson and Constance Binney.

The technical development in motion pictures has been rapid in the last ten years. There is no longer the flat, dull lighting of the earlier pictures and the crude camera work. Perfect photography characterizes most of the modern films. Along with this advancement came increased efficiency in directing and better acting for the screen until today many photoplays rival in dramatic ability shown some of the best stage productions.

So content with the rapid advancement of the cinema art in the last ten years producers are still striving for further improvement in motion pictures. The tendency today, just as it was ten years ago, is toward bigger and better pictures.

Above—Scene from "Queen Elizabeth," first feature picture, produced ten years ago this March, with Sarah Bernhardt as star.

Below—Adolph Zukor, president of Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, who made pictures what they are today.



Then it was a question of getting one star in a picture; today it is a matter of all-star casts and in this tendency Paramount Pictures, the outgrowth of the old Famous Players and Lasky organizations, have taken the lead as usual. The crowning all-star cast of the last season was the twelve-star ensemble for "The Affairs of Anatol." Cecil B. DeMille, the producer of "The Squaw Man," was the producer of this picture.

The increase of motion picture theaters has kept pace with the development of the films. Ten years ago there were only a few small movie theaters. Today there are more than 18,000, many of them magnificent structures and more than 10,000,000 people attend the movies every day now.

## NEWS NOTES OF THE MOVIES

Interesting Comment on Men, Women and Shows with Personal Comment on Lives of Leading Figures of Stage and Film

Bobby Vernon is now Bobby Vernon. His real name was Silvio de Jarding, but now he has been granted permission by the superior court to legally adopt his profession comment. Mrs. Bobby will be known as Angel Vernon.

Mary Pickford Fairbanks is about to accept directorial responsibilities. Jack Pickford is soon to begin work on the screen version of "The Tallor-Mohe Man" with Mary behind the megaphone.

Marguerite Marsh, sister of Mae Marsh, is playing opposite Dustin Farnum in his forthcoming productions. It is being directed by Bernard Brangy, who is, incidentally, husband to Shirley Mason.

Wally Reid's latest picture is "Across the Continent." As might be judged from the title it is another of the favored racing car stories. Mary MacLean is the leading lady, who acts as a mechanician for Wally.

There has been a great deal of controversy over the spelling of the popular Valentino's first name. It was first spelled Rudolph, then Rodolf and now they declare it is Rodolph and will remain this way, combining the American and Italian spelling.

Larry Cemon becomes more and more important in the Vitaphone organization. Now a separate and complete studio is being constructed for Larry on the Hollywood lot where he can carry on his comedy capers without interference or interruption.

Jackie Coogan now has his own gang. Scores of youngsters have roles in his latest picture, "Lost and Found," and

Jackie insists upon calling them "My Gang."

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## Happenings of a Day In Sports

### BILLIARD GAMES RESUMED WESTON FIVE HAVE CLASS FILER DEFEATS LOCAL BOYS

Donnelly Defeats Grant in Evening Play Thoroughly Moving Himself Into Class A

CLASS B			
	Won.	Lost.	Avs.
Logan	1	0	1.000
Donnelly	5	1	.833
Taher	4	2	.667
Murray	3	2	.600
Grant	4	3	.577
DeLong	2	5	.286
Thomas	1	6	.143
Woods	0	6	.000

Play has been resumed at Macaulay's 182 billiard billiard tournament, and yesterday three games were played. The evening game between Donnelly and Grant brought out the fact that Donnelly is the dark horse of the tournament. "Boob" played fast enough last night to move into the Class A division, and easily defeated Grant by the score of 100 to 48. This game went out in 58 innings, which is a record so far in the Class B section. "Boob" rolled them around for a run of 6, while Grant talked to them long enough to collect 6 in a row.

The two games in the afternoon were postponed games, with Taher winning DeLong, 100 to 95. Eighty-eight innings were used to complete this game. Carl put up a game fight, and it looked for a while as though he was going to win out, as it took the judge ten innings to make his last five billiards. Taher made a run of 8, while DeLong collected 5.

Lewis defeated Logan by the score of 100 to 51. This game went 60 innings. There are three open games that will be played yet, with the winner still in doubt. Murray and Woods and Murray and Taher still have a rebound game to play off of, while Donnelly and Logan have a postponed game that will be played this evening at 9 o'clock.

### LEWIS STAGES COME-BACK

Strangler Again Champion of World Through His Defeat of Stanislaus Zhyzsko

WICHITA, Kan., (AP)—Ed (Strangler) Lewis of San Jose, Cal., was again heavily defeated champion wrestler of the world today, having defeated Stanislaus Zhyzsko here last night by taking the last two 67-three falls. Zhyzsko has held the title, which he won from Lewis originally, for nearly a year.

Last night's match was Zhyzsko's from the beginning until just before the second fall, the Pole being able to evade Lewis' holds by means of his side roll. Zhyzsko won the first fall in 41 minutes 30 seconds, with a bar arm hold and full body rollers. After the first fall, Lewis took the second fall with a headlock. The third was soon over, Lewis winning with another headlock in three minutes.

Jack Herman, Zhyzsko's manager said today that last night was the second time the Pole had been defeated in less than 3000 matches, the first time being in a contest with Frank Gotch, a former champion in Chicago in 1910. He said that his man can throw Lewis and that he would post \$5000 at any time for a return encounter.

### HOLDOUT STORY DISAPPEARED

CHICAGO, (AP)—Everett Yargan, second string center of the Chicago Americans, set at rest talk of his being a holdout when he showed up for practice at the Sox training camp in Seguin, Texas, today, according to word received here. He signed a new contract yesterday. Yargan accompanied the first squad which left Chicago but went to his home in Iowa on the eve of the departure of the club because of the death of a relative.

Edward Lafferty, an outfielder from Pawhuska, Okla., was another arrival while several others, including Harry Hooper, Johnny Mead, Ernie Johnson, and Edgie Mulligan, were expected to report today.

### MORE PLAYERS ARRIVE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., (AP)—Seven more players arrived at the local Americans training camp yesterday, according to a report sent here from Mobile, Ala. The newcomers are: Bill Jacobson, Walter Guther, Gene Robertson, Clark Sherran, Frank Ellerbe, Marty McManus and Claude Noel, a recruit. Inclement weather forced the players to idleness for the second consecutive day. With the arrival of mild weather, the scheduled today for two workouts at their training camp in Orange, Texas, a report from the camp stated. Forty players were on the field yesterday, the first time since Monday.

### TO DEFEND TITLE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., (AP)—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, who regained the heavyweight wrestling championship last night at Wichita, Kan., in his match with Stanislaus Zhyzsko will wrestle Joe Petrows here March 9 in defense of the title, it was announced today.

Elimination Games for Final Honors at Pocatello Among Fastest Ever Seen

**GAMES CANCELED.**  
POCATELLO, Idaho (Special to The News).—With three Driggs basketball players threatened with pneumonia, the entire team has been ordered home by a physician. No games will be played tonight, and as Nampa has been defeated twice already, Oakley and Weston will represent southern Idaho at Moscow next week. This decision was reached after a meeting of the coaches this forenoon.

**POCATELLO, (Special to The News).**—The opening game of the finals to determine the right of two teams to go to Moscow to play in the finals for the state championship started here yesterday afternoon at the Idaho Tech gymnasium.

The first game between Nampa and Driggs resulted in a victory for the Driggs, with a score of 29 to 14. Driggs played rings around their opponents. For the Nampa squad, Compton and Houttetter did the starring.

The second game of the afternoon resulted in Weston beating Oakley by a score of 35 to 11. Weston has perhaps the best high school team ever assembled in the state and Gassman, guard is by far the state's best all around player. The team work of the Weston five was too much for the Oakleys, although they were in the game every minute. Oakley seemed to be working under a strain playing on a huge floor, and missed a great many baskets. Hunter, forward, and Hardy, guard, played the stellar game for the Oakley team.

The opening game of the evening, brought out the Oakley team again against Nampa, and Oakley was that game by the score of 21 to 18. It was exciting from start to finish, and a winner was not decided upon, until the last two minutes of play.

The last game of the evening between Weston and Driggs played beyond a doubt that Weston is the class of this section. They defeated Driggs by the score of 39 to 18. This game was the fastest ever seen in this city, and the score doesn't start to tell how close the game really was. For the Driggs five, Weston and Blackston did the starring. This evening's games will have Nampa and Weston in the opener, while Driggs and Oakley will fight it out for the right to be the second team to represent this section in the state finals at Moscow next Friday and Saturday.

### MUST DEVELOP TEAMS

LONDON, (AP)—Oxford's athletic advantage over Cambridge due to the participation of Rhodes scholars has again come up for discussion in university circles.

It is the Rhodes scholars who have played a part in the history of the one exception—an American. This team scored 27 times (a world's record) without reply from Cambridge.

One writer states that in his opinion unless something is done to level up the teams, these inter "varsity" contests will continue to be a yearly event and a rebuff of all interest.

### "BARBINO" SIGNS UP

NEW YORK, (AP)—The Yankees reported from their training headquarters in New Orleans today that Pletcher Samuels had agreed to terms, and that everything would be easy if word would only come from Hot Springs that Shugger Ruth had affixed a scrawling "Barbino!" to a contract. Manager Huggins still was busy with the Yankees squad, and expects to have a full complement of regulars in camp by Monday.

### ATHLETES ON GROUND

URBANA, Ill., (AP)—More than 400 athletes from two scores of the leading institutions of the country completed final preparations today for the fifth annual Illinois relay carnival, scheduled for tonight in the Illinois armory. A portion of the lengthy entry lists reveals the names of leaders in every branch of track sports, world's record holders and Olympic stars.

### GAME IS CANCELED

CLEVELAND, O., (AP)—Today's exhibition game with the Dallas team has been canceled by the Cleveland Indians because of the bad condition of Marine field as a result of rain and cold weather, according to advices received from Dallas, where the Indians are training.

### WINS NEWSPAPER DEBITION

DETROIT, (AP)—Frankie Mason, former flyweight boxing champion, won the newspaper debition in a round bout here last night with Jimmy Kats of Cleveland. The first rounds were tame affairs and the referee called for more action. Mason was given a shade in the remaining rounds.

### VETERAN DEFEATED

DAVENPORT, Ia., (AP)—Fighting before 4000 fans here last night, Morris Schiffor, Omaha welterweight, won a decisive victory over the veteran, Johnny Griffiths of Akron in the ten-round main bout of a show put on by the local American Legion post.

Eighth Grade Players Put Up Splendid Exhibition in Fast and Active Game

For the second time this season the eight graders took the local elite grade hoopers to a cleaning. They were a hard fought game yesterday afternoon at the high school gym.

The game itself although showing a score of 29 in favor of the visitors was a dandy to watch, and Miss Casey's gang gave a good account of themselves. The locals were handicapped through the illness of Howard Berg.

Richmond, the Piles forward, who caused such havoc at Filer the last time these two teams met, again started with a total of 14 points. Richmond is the class of the Piles.

Tate, their other forward, played a nice game, collecting three field goals and a foul during the game. Coan at center was responsible for four field goals.

For the locals, Louis Grigley, the seventh grade demon, again demonstrated the fact that the coach used good judgment in putting him on the eighth grade team. Louis came through with three field goals that were winners.

Russell Potter was not at his best tonight in a slight illness, and only managed to throw three foul shots.

Next Friday the eighth grade game from Dahl will play the locals in the high school gym, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Summary			
	field	foul	goals
Piles	10	3	14
Richmond, fg	3	2	7
Tate, ft	4	1	7
Coan, c	4	0	1
Brennan, fg	0	0	1
Ticknor, fg	0	0	0
Totals	13	3	29

Technical Fouls: Tate.

Substitutes: Moore for Richmond.

Field foul goals goals pts.

Boh, ft 0 | 0 | 0 |

McMaster, ft 0 | 0 | 0 |

Grigley, c 0 | 0 | 1 |

Potter, fg 0 | 3 | 3 |

Jarman, fg 0 | 0 | 1 |

Totals 3 | 3 | 3 |

Technical Fouls: None.

Referee: Nafziger.

### DIVERSIFIED FARMING

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photographs or luxuries of any kind will be shipped into these states during the current year.

### FARMERS' AVERAGE PROFITS SMALL

Statistics have strongly indicated that even during average years very few farmers have made money operating their farms. I mean that if farmers were obliged to keep books the average manufacturer and charge up wages for themselves and family and interest on their investment, most farms would show a loss on average years. The farmer has really made his money through the natural increase in the value of his land. The farmer is technically a great speculator. He speculates not only in his products but in his real estate holdings. There are few more speculators in Nebraska than in New York.

Farmers complain about the watered stock of the industrial corporations of the east, but there is far more water in their farms than in the average industrial corporation of New England, New York or Pennsylvania. However, there won't be much speculating in farm lands during 1922. The tendency will be constantly downward. Farm land prices are bound to go through a period of readjustment and the lands of the western states are suffering the most. The greatest decline will come in farms which are rented. The real farmer who both owns and operates has nothing to fear from a temporary decline in values. Like the seasoned manufacturer, who has weathered many depressions by not expanding during the preceding periods of prosperity, the honest dirt farmer has nothing to fear.

### DIVERSIFIED FARMING ANSWERS QUESTION

What is the hope for this section is the question which everybody asks. The answer is that old and familiar one "diversified farming." Once in a while I find a prosperous farmer even

during this trip. Upon inquiry I learn that he almost always is a general all-around farmer and does not rely upon any one or two crops. One farmer in particular who seemed happy had raised a large amount of potatoes, while another, was specializing in cabbage, cauliflower, and other market garden products. The dairy farmers are also in a fairly good condition. Unlike the raiser of grains they have a constant income from week to week and can adjust their operating expenses to the price which they receive from their products.

The most optimistic sign is the interest which farmers are showing in the co-operative movement. Recent legislation passed by congress permitting farmers to unite for purchasing and selling without obtaining a license to combine, to this section. Of course there is nothing wrong in combining whether it be by manufacturers, merchants, farmers or wage workers. Difficultly with the present legislation is not that the farmers are being permitted to combine, but that the law does not give the same privilege to all interests with a heavy bias for its abuse.

### LARGER CITIES SHOW UP BADLY.

Naturally the cities in these western states are not showing up very well. Sioux City, Ia., (72,000 population) is only 60 per cent of normal. Wichita, Kan., with the same population is 83 per cent of normal. Duluth, Minn., (100,000 population), Davenport, Ia., (77,000 population), Omaha, Neb., (100,000 population) and Peoria, Ill., (77,000 population) are running from 75 to 85 per cent of normal. The best city is Minneapolis, Minn., 95 per cent of normal, followed closely by St. Louis which is 94 per cent of normal, Kansas City, Mo., and Omaha, Neb., are running about 85 per cent.

From these figures it is evident that it is the worst which is causing the low average figures on the Babsonchart. The index of the Babsonchart shows no change from last week. The recent improvement seems to be building very slowly, but general activity at 13 per cent below normal. Increased building activity may be expected as the season progresses.

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## TODAY'S MARKETS

### WHEAT MARKET UNCERTAIN

Slump in Early Hours of Trading Gives Place to General Fluctuation Later

CHICAGO, (AP)—Wheat slumped in the early trading on the Chicago board of trade today. The opening was 14 to 3-8 lower in sympathy with Liverpool prices, may bring \$1.45 to 1.45 1/2, July \$1.25 to 1.22 1/4 and September \$1.15.

Strong competition between gold and silver prices was one of the features of the opening. At \$1.43 for May one local house that sold on yesterday's bulge, bought in repeating tactics of cover in the week. Decided pressure was noted on bulges and sentiment was generally bullish. Another local house bought July and sold May, narrowing the difference to around 21 1/2.

A break in corn was blamed for the weakness in wheat. Many step loss orders were caught and helped accentuate the movement. At the end of the hour May was \$1.41 1/4 and July \$1.20.

Liquidation, and step loss orders found corn almost without support and decline were rapid on a nervous market. First price were 3-8 to 1-2 lower with May 60 1-8 to 60 1-4, July 60 5-8 to 60 3-4 and September 70 5-8.

At the inside figures there was a decline of 2 3/4 to 3-8 from yesterday's finish. A rally of about a cent followed but the market continued nervous.

The market fluctuated throughout the rest of the session but some buying developed on reports that bulge were being removed on export sales and that Japan had taken 400,000 bushels over.

Final prices were \$1.42 to 1.42 1/8 for May, \$1.20 1-8 to 1.20 1-4 for July and \$1.12 3-4 for September.

Ons were affected by the same persistent long selling as corn. First prices were unchanged to 1-4 lower with May 41 5-8 to 41 3-4 and July 43 3-8 to 43 1-2. Declines of 3-4 to 1-2 were registered before support came.

No qualified rally developed. It was reported that the heavy sell came from eastern interests and the trade regarded it as long grain. The close was 63 1-8 to 63 1-4 for May, 63 3-4 to 66 for July and 68 1-4 to 68 3-8 for September.

In provisions there was established a

new high for the season at the start but the market then turned weak. Offerings were scattered but support was light and trade featureless.

### Cash Grain and Provisions

CHICAGO, (AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 red \$1.32 1/2; No. 1 hard \$1.30. Corn No. 2 mixed 38 to 39 3/4; No. 2 yellow 35 1-2 to 36.

Oats No. 2 white 40 to 42; No. 3 white 37 1-4 to 38.

Rye no sales.

Barley 65 to 71.

Flour—No. 1 hard 95 to 7.

Clayton seed \$15 to 25.

Pork nominal.

Lard \$11.75.

Ribs 31 to 32.50.

### Flour

MINNEAPOLIS, (AP)—Flour—Un-

changed; Bran 25.

### Potatoes

CHICAGO, (AP)—Potatoes—Weak; total U. S. shipments 652 cars; Wisconsin Round-Whites, sacked \$1.70 to 1.80 cwt; bulk \$1.80 to 1.95; Minnesota sacked \$1.65 to 1.75 cwt; Idaho Russets, sacked \$1.65 to 1.75 cwt; Idaho Russets, sacked \$2.20 cwt.

### Butter and Eggs

CHICAGO, (AP)—Butter—Lower; creamery extras 30 1-2 to 36 3/4; first 32 to 36; seconds 29 to 31; standards 33 3-4.

Eggs—Lower; receipts 197,573 cases; first 25 1-4 to 25 3/4; ordinary firsts 24 to 25; secondaries 22 to 23 1-2.

Poultry—Alive; unchanged.

### Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., (AP)—Cattle—

Steady; receipts 100.

Hogs—Steady; receipts 958.

Sheep—Steady; receipts 5.

### Omaha Livestock

OMAHA, (AP)—Hogs—Receipts 6,500; steady to strong with yesterday's average; bulk \$10.00 to 10.85; top \$10.90.

Cattle—Receipts 850; compared with week ago; best steers about 25 higher; steers 25 to 30 higher; calves about 25 higher; veals 75c to \$1 higher; stockers and feeders 15 to 25c higher.

Sheep—Receipts 350; compared with week ago; lambs and yearlings 20 to 25c lower; sheep strong to 25c higher; feeding and shearing lambs 25 to 50c lower.

### Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 500; compared with week ago; beef steers mostly 15c higher with spots on good kinds up to 40c and extreme top 50c; butchers' grades about 10c lower; calves 25 to 40c higher; lower grades, canners and cutters 10 to 15c higher; bulls steady; good to choice stockers and feeders steady; common kinds dull; veal calves sharply lower; mostly \$1 off.

Hogs—Receipts 6,900; uneven; mostly steady with Friday's average; shipers bought about 3,000; holdover light; top \$11.35; bulk \$11 to 11.25; pigs slow.

Sheep—Receipts 500; compared with week ago; fat ewes and yearlings 25 to 30c higher; sheep about 25c lower; shearing lambs steady.

### New York Stocks

NEW YORK, (AP)—Automobile shares and their specialties were the center of an active selling movement during today's short stock market session, the reaction extending to oils and equities.

Stockholders: Iowa 3 points, Chandler and United States Rubber to 1 1/2, Mexican Petroleum, Pierce Oil, Pure Oil, American Locomotive, Baldwin Locomotive, Republic Iron, American Hide and Leather preferred, American Sugar, International Paper and United Fruit also falling 1 to 1 1/2 points. Junior rails, especially Missouri Pacific common and preferred, and Kansas City Southern were depressed but Ann Arbor common made three points. All of the local utilities, as well as Laclede Gas and Jewel Tea preferred were strong. The closing was heavy. Sales approximated 400,000 shares.

Selected issues particularly those under pool control, were firm to strong at the opening of today's stock market, but elsewhere the customary weak and realizing movement was in evidence.

Gains of 1 to 1 1/2 points were made by National Lead, International Nickel preferred, and Laclede Gas and Copper were inclined to add to yesterday's advances. Reactionary features included Studebaker and United Fruit, which declined one point and several of the Junior rails and steels. The market became more unsettled within the first half hour with selling of Standard.

### Liberty Bonds

NEW YORK, (AP)—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1/2's \$97 1/4; first 4's \$97.50; second 4's \$97 1/4; first 4 1/4's \$97.40; second 4 1/4's \$97.20; third 4 1/4's \$97.20; fourth 4 1/4's \$97.40; Victory 3 3/4's \$100.05; Victory 4 3/4's \$100.28.

### Clearings for Week

NEW YORK, (AP)—The actual condition of clearing bank balances and trust companies for the week shows a deficit of \$125,000 below legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$55,255.50.

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# PROJECT PLANS HOLD ATTENTION OF TWIN FALLS

(Continued from Page One)

bonds to meet contract payments. This district would be restricted in its activities to the financing and building of the American Falls project. It would not interfere at all with present function of the canal company.

Twin Falls Canal company stockholders would constitute about two-fifths of the voting power of the proposed district. Formation of the district and issuance of its bonds would require two-thirds vote. Ready sale of the district's bonds is indicated for the reason that its bonds would be exempt from tax, and would command sale at interest rates not to exceed six per cent.

## ONLY STOCKHOLDERS WOULD VOTE

Only stockholders under the Twin Falls Canal company system in this county would be directly concerned in the formation of the district or the issuance of its bonds. Stockholders of the American Falls project, however, are dependent upon construction of the American Falls reservoir for fulfillment of their plans for reclaiming more than 75,000 acres of land situated largely in Twin Falls county.

Hereafter Friday emphasized beneficial effects which they said would result to south Idaho through building of the American Falls reservoir. New markets would be opened for produce; trade would be revived and general prosperity would result.

Arthur J. Swin, chairman of the chamber of commerce reclamation bureau, presiding at the evening session, predicted that development consequent upon construction of the reservoir would make construction of the railway outlet to the south certain beyond a doubt.

On the other hand, it was pointed out that decision to abandon the project would be a constructive one. The state would be relieved of contract and the credit of the state and its industries would be further impaired. Mr. Fleener and Senator Evans said frankly that Idaho at the present time is suffering from the loss of unemployment money. The state is in a financial straits, furthermore, by Mr. Dibble and others, further reclamation and development of arid lands in the Snake River valley is impossible without construction of the American Falls reservoir.

J. R. Henderson, engineer for the Murrough irrigation district told the evening meeting, that this district's reclamation plans probably would be abandoned unless the reservoir were built. He expressed confidence that no such eventually would materialize. Preponderance of sentiment expressed at both afternoon and evening meetings was in favor of completing the project.

Ivan G. Lincoln, president, and W. F. Alworth, director, of the Twin Falls canal company, indicated desire to be guided by the wish of the stockholders. J. A. Crom, former canal company director, and Joe Day, spoke enthusiastically in favor of the proposed plan for financing the undertaking. Criticism of the proposal was expressed at the afternoon session only by D. J. Koenig, Hansen, and Luke V. Bonner. Buhl. At the evening session, Herschel Bonner insisted upon assurance that the proposal involved desirable investment from the farmers' standpoint, and that the water right purchased would not be subject to reduction.

C. E. Wright, president of the chamber of commerce, called both meetings to order. He turned the chair, at the afternoon session, over to S. S. Wright, secretary of the chamber of commerce, and called upon Mr. Swin to preside over the discussion of the reclamation project at the evening meeting.

## GIVES GOVERNMENT'S POSITION

In reference to the position of federal officials as to the American Falls project, Senator Evans said that Secretary Hall "played right over the table."

He told us, Senator Evans said, that the government was unwilling on its own responsibility to loan 70,000 acres of land at American Falls to obtain storage water for its development of 100,000 acres on the Minidoka extension, and that the government itself had no use for the water except for the Minidoka project.

The existing situation in its relation to the town of American Falls is decidedly unsatisfactory, Senator Evans said, and property values there have declined materially as a result of reclamation service activities looking toward building of the reservoir.

## SITUATION CALLS FOR DECISION.

"In justice to the people of my home town," he declared, "we should conclude either to build the reservoir or to let go. Idaho has been painted black. We cannot afford to drop the project and have the government move. That would injure us more than the value of the reservoir. It would indicate to outsiders that irrigation in Idaho is not a success. The Snake River valley lost more in 1919 than the value of the reservoir, and seasons of water

shortage occur every four or five years. Furthermore, the American Falls reservoir is the key to all future development in the Snake River valley."

Mr. Blumentrayer traced the history of the reclamation service plans looking toward development of a reservoir culminating in the American Falls project, and from a legal standpoint explained the irrigation district plan for financing the enterprise.

Mr. Dibble outlined engineering features of the project, declaring that the reservoir would be 11 times larger than the Arrowrock project and one of the largest in the world. It would reclaim new lands equivalent in extent to the Minidoka and Twin Falls North and South Side projects, combined, besides furnishing additional water supplies to established projects covering more than 100,000 acres, and would usher in an immediate revival of commercial activity.

The reservoir would be built to one-half its maximum capacity of 3,000,000 acre feet. If the proposed plan for financing the undertaking were carried out, Mr. Dibble said, this, he said, would reduce the cost to the contracting parties to about \$3 an acre foot and make the lands to the Twin Falls project under its contract, about \$3 an acre.

## POINTS TO ARROWROCK'S SUCCESS

Alluding to the reference to the Arrowrock dam, Mr. Fleener said that the Arrowrock project had increased the value of land tributary to it manyfold, and that it had resulted in establishment of diversified and intensified farming methods so that "downstream Idaho is one of the most prosperous agricultural sections in the northwest." He pleaded for attestation by the T. Falls district in the proposed plan for financing the undertaking, both as a measure to its own protection against water shortage and to strengthen the morale of south Idaho generally.

# LABOR LEADERS ARE NOT GUILTY

Former Officials of Chicago  
Buildings Trades Council  
Exonerated

CHICAGO, (AP) — Simon O'Donnell, formerly president of the Chicago Buildings Trades council and three other labor leaders charged with graft, extortion and conspiracy, in connection with an alleged building trust here, today were found not guilty by a jury.

The three leaders O'Donnell were: Michael Astor, business agent of the Machinery Men's union; William Schacht, member of the Carpenters' district council; and Albert Green, business agent of the Painters' union.

The trial of the labor chiefs grew out of the invitations of the Dailey legislative committee which began its work shortly after the Lockwood committee in New York had exposed an alleged building trust there.

According to testimony given before this committee, various labor leaders had obstructed building by calling strikes or virtually every building erected in the city and forcing the owners to pay heavy "fines" before the work could be resumed.

A fifth labor leader indicted in the case of "Doc" Curran never was apprehended.

# POLICE SEEKING FOR ACCOMPLICE

Federal Authorities Still Looking for Man Believed Connected in Drug Case

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Federal authorities today continued their search for an unidentified man believed to have been the confederate of Norrison Brown, in jail here in default of \$25,000 bail as a result of the discovery in his room in a local hotel of morphine and opium worth approximately \$10,000 to illicit drug vendors.

Brown, who said he was from Havana, Cuba, was apprehended Thursday after a federal officer had taken a quantity of drugs from him. It was testified at his hearing yesterday. Officials said they believed Brown to be an assumed name and that indications were he had operated in California before coming to Florida.

## WILSON LANDS: BIG JOB

Twin Falls Accountants to Audit Accounts of State University

Contract for auditing the accounts of the University of Idaho, for six years period, has been awarded to the Edwin A. Wilson company of Twin Falls, according to word received here today. The engagement is regarded as one of the most important in this particular field of work at the disposal of accountants operating in Idaho. This is the first time the work has ever been awarded to an Idaho firm.

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# STRAIGHTEN OUT MUSCLE SHOALS

National Commission May Be Formed to Help Unravel Situation

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP) — Creation of a national commission empowered by congress to straighten out the government tangles as to existing contracts with respect to the projects at Muscle Shoals, Ala., and to enter into negotiations for sale or lease of the properties, was advocated today in a statement issued by Chairman Kahn of the house military committee, which has before it the three offers received by the government to date for the plants.

The commission would consist of the secretaries of war, agriculture and treasury and its first object would be to insure production of nitrates for war purposes as well as the production of fertilizers for the nation's agricultural needs.

# FILER FIRE DEPARTMENT UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

G. O. Davis Appointed Chief Under Terms of Action Taken by Board

FILED, Idaho — Following the order of the village board that an ordinance be passed establishing a fire department with compensation features, the volunteer fire department elected G. O. Davis, chief of the fire department.

The department may have from 10 to 15 members and arrangements will be made for the employment of an engineer with sleeping quarters in the fire station, who will keep the engine in good condition.

At a recent meeting of the village board an ordinance was passed establishing a new wage scale to become effective at once: Common labor, \$3 per day; teams, \$3 per day; man and team, \$5 per day.

John DeKlotz left Thursday evening for Long Beach, Cal., when he was called by the sudden death of his step-mother. She will remain for several months with her father.

On Wednesday afternoon the File Women's club held its regular session in the Masonic hall with a large attendance present. The club devotes one program each year to its home state, and Wednesday being Idaho day, the following program was given after which refreshments appropriate to March and St. Patrick's day were served by the hostesses.

State Institutions, Mrs. Charles McFarley, State Institutions, Mrs. H. E. McMillan, Idaho's Resources, Mrs. Charles Fox, Miss Stafford, leader of the Campfire Girls of Twin Falls, was a guest of the club and gave a most instructive talk on the work. Miss Stafford will return Monday and assist in organizing additional Campfire circles in Filer.

## CITY PARALYZED BY STRIKE

Labor Trouble in Mexican Capital Leads to Condition Highly Disquieting

MEXICO CITY, (AP) — The streets of the city were in darkness last night, striking employees of the Mexican Light and Power company having, it is reported, cut the line furnishing the city with power. The residences and stores, however, were lighted except in isolated districts where switch boxes had been torn out.

The police forces patrolling the streets were reinforced by numerous soldiers, but reports indicate that the thieves and robbers plied a profitable trade in the darkness. The greatest concern to the inhabitants this morning was that the water supply would be shut off entirely, as strikers were reported to have forced the pumping stations in canal operations last night and the only supply is being drawn from reservoirs and tanks within the city limits.

## Good Pearls Used as Medicine.

There is the low class of sea-peoples there is a constant demand among Oriental physicians and apothecaries, who grind them into a powder and administer it to patients as a cure for many ills.

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# Engineers Expect Season of Water Shortage in 1923

Canal Company Manager Gives Experts' Opinion of Snake River's Habits

The Snake River valley is likely to experience a season of water shortage in 1923, J. C. Wheeler, manager of the Twin Falls Canal company, told a meeting of about 100 officials, farmers and business men of the county convened here Friday evening to consider plans for the American Falls reservoir.

This probability, Mr. Wheeler said, has been agreed upon by engineers of the state, and is expected of "because the Snake river has a habit of going to pieces every four or five years."

Mr. Wheeler declined to express an opinion as to the desirability of the canal company proceeding with its contract for water from the American Falls reservoir. Like the applicant for a position as school teacher who was willing to teach that the world was round or flat according to the preference of the patrons, he said, he would undertake to run the canal system with or without additional storage water, as the stockholders might determine.

# Social Notes

Edited by Mrs. E. B. Williams Telephone 200.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Easley entertained at dinner Friday evening in the private dining-room at the Hotel Rogers, which had been handsomely decorated for the occasion in the emblems and colors symbolized of St. Patrick's day. A profusion of spring flowers to cut glass vases adorned the table, and crystal centerpieces holding green tapers, with green nut cups, and shamrock place cards carried out the color scheme. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Asher B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Read, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Larned, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Peavey, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan G. Heap. After dinner the party motored to the Parish hall, where the third of a series of subscription dances was enjoyed.

Mrs. M. R. Nelson was hostess this week to the Thursday Kensington club at her home on Fourth avenue north.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Star Social club will meet Monday, March 6, at the home of Mrs. M. Gates, 333 Third avenue north, with Miss Catherine Gates, Mrs. Ernest Gates, Mrs. E. R. Dooley and Mrs. A. Brown as hostesses.

# BEHRMAN'S STORE MAKES TREMENDOUS SPECIAL PURCHASE OF 10,000 YARDS OF MANUFACTURERS' MILL ENDS AND SURPLUS STOCKS

All Merchandise Has Arrived and Goes on Sale Tuesday Morning at 10 o'clock

F. J. Behrman, owner of Behrman's Lower Priced Department Store, announces today the special purchase of 10,000 yards of Mill Ends Wash Fabrics and Simple Merchandise made by his New York buyer, Mr. J. P. Templeman, 1140 Broadway, New York. Mr. Behrman says his New York buyer representing many large department stores all over the country, bought the entire mill end output of several large mills and divided them among the different stores he represents; in this way giving us the price advantage by making one gigantic purchase for all his stores.

Mill ends consist of dress gingham, percale, devonshire cloth, suitings, cheviots, napper material, organizes, and many other wanted materials. There will also be included women's and children's hosiery, bungalow aprons, children's bloomers, towels, corsets, silk hosiery.

A special display will be made in windows over Sunday and Monday. It promises to be one of the biggest sales of this kind ever held in Twin Falls.



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## MISS VIDY

By ANNABELLE CARTER

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To say that Miss Individually Lapham was queer is a mild statement. Perhaps the name with which her father blessed the child of his old age had something to do with it. Perhaps the fact that he personally supervised her education in the big brick house on the corner was at fault. Perhaps the accident of his dying and leaving her at seventeen mistress of that house and a good many thousands of dollars added the finishing touch.

Vidy, for thus the name had been shortened, was quite alone in her glory. Her mother was amiable, polite, lady person—vino, when she found herself a widow with three half-grown children, married Old Man Lapham for a home and a little kindness—died when Individually was five.

Undoubtedly she was odd and had methods of her own which were nerve-racking to the uninitiated.

But for all this Miss Vidy was well beloved. It did not appear. She had friends—yes, and even lovers.

One day Individually settled her affairs. She wrote three rather menacing letters. One was to upbraid her father that she had made up her mind to subscribe the \$400 he craved for a new luncheon. Another was to inform the butcher that a question of meat on Sunday had been decided for her to trade elsewhere. And a third was to reject or accept Mr. Jones, who had made ardent love for her for six months. She liked Robert.

And in the order in which I named them did she write her letters.

It gratified me extremely to receive your request. If you will call to night we will settle details.

"Yours sincerely," "Individually Lapham."

A check for \$471 accompanied the next bill dox:

"Owing to antiquity—I am severing connections with your establishment. Enclosed find all you will ever get from me."

"I. F. Lapham."

The last was true, although it took an hour to pen:

"I can't be done."

It was the time of the young lady of step-brothers and step-sisters, their husbands, wives and children, and something was always the matter.

As Miss Vidy started for the center of the common—the big attic playground—she was rebuked, frantically, by her descended to the first floor via the banisters. Swearing as she went, she surveyed the neat dox critically.

In a trice the three envelopes were deftly transposed and Satan found he had himself to the coat line, where he proceeded to disguise himself.

Miss Vidy, breathing fast, but with placid brow, returned and seated and stamped her letters, and put them in the corner mailbox herself to insure that day's delivery.

Surprise was the order of the evening. A benevolent, broad-minded clergyman rubbed his bald head and stared in baffled amazement at a check for \$471.

"Dear my soul," he gasped: "six dollars and—Miss Vidy! Antiquity! I don't understand—but it's useless to try."

A greasy butcher in a dirty apron scratched his nose with a meat knife and tossed a four-word note to his assistant.

"See if you can make anything out of this, Jim. Miss Individually's gone clean nutty this round."

And three blocks from the big brick house a young man gasped in mingled surprise, relief and delight and with a wild whump tore but out of the door and down the street.

But the most astounded of all was Miss Vidy herself. Seated prim and proper at a table surrounded with "pale-green," she heard a most appalling roar from the footman. She informed that it was Mr. Jones to see her, she excused herself and proceeded, with dignity to the sitting room. Here she was scooped up by an enthusiastic pair of arms, told she was a darling, and that she was a beauty and that they would be married tomorrow morning.

to all of which Miss Vidy listened with wilder and more and quicker becoming.

Miss Vidy does not believe in betraying curiosity, but after two years of happily married life, she is still wondering how Bob came to interpret that note so differently from the way she intended it.

## DELIGHTS OF LIFE IN LONDON

Fog Frequently So Thick That the Strongest Artificial Light Cannot Pierce It.

The worst fog in 20 years was experienced in London when 100,000 tons of soot were suspended in the atmosphere in which 7,000,000 people attempted to live, work, and worst of all, to get about, a short time ago.

The possibility of reaching one's destination was ascertained only by the laws of probability and chance. Fire engines called by duty went through the pitch-black streets preceded by a man on foot with a lantern.

Buses added the lesson of the wagon train that crossed the Western plains during the gold rush and traveled in convoys of nine or ten, also led by a man on foot with a light.

The busy traffic centers were marked by from four to ten huge acetylene lamps which pierced the surrounding darkness for not more than fifteen feet.

Accidents were innumerable. Prince Henry attempted to motor from London to Whitehall for a hunting engagement, and after narrowly escaping two collisions, he decided to spend the night at a halfway house.

A freakish incident occurred when two women, lost within two squares of home, were directed by a blind veteran whose misfortune made him imperative to take in a district he knew by heart.

Almost an American Paper.

The Petit Parisien has the largest circulation of any paper in the world and it is printed on American presses and with paper made by American paper-making machines.

Several Americans employed on the paper.

Nigerian Products.

A Nigerian trade review shows that provisions used in making the finest hams, go mainly to the export market. Palm kernels from the south, especially Yorubaland, are exported from the shells by hand.

Before the war most of the kernels went to Germany, whence in consequence Great Britain had to import a large proportion of the oil required for making margarine.

The export of palm kernels is over 200,000 tons, while that of palm oil is over 100,000 tons. The oil supplies work for the American coast.

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A ninety-year-old bridegroom, from his shaky legs, walking arm-in-arm with his young bride, to Cincinnati, Ohio, with his twenty-six-year-old bride, as an example for other young married couples.

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FOR SALE—Five acre tract in Twin Falls; suitable for poultry farm. As told L. Swin, owner.

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FOR SALE—Home canned fruit, 641R.

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FOR SALE—100 sacks of Gem potatoes at price worth while. Inquire 244 Fourth ave. E.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—For cattle or good stock. Mammoth, Jersey, 1 year old, one jack 1 1/2 years old, one jack, 8 months old; this is all good stuff; what have you to trade? W. A. Har, Jerome, Idaho, or J. A. Barrett, Twin Falls.

FOR SALE—Night, horse, cow, and pigs. G. B. Sullivan, 4 mile west, 1 3/4 mile south of the SW corner. Filler.

FOR SALE—Power hay baler, 10x15 bale. Can be seen at Lawrence's Machine shop. W. L. Gullett.

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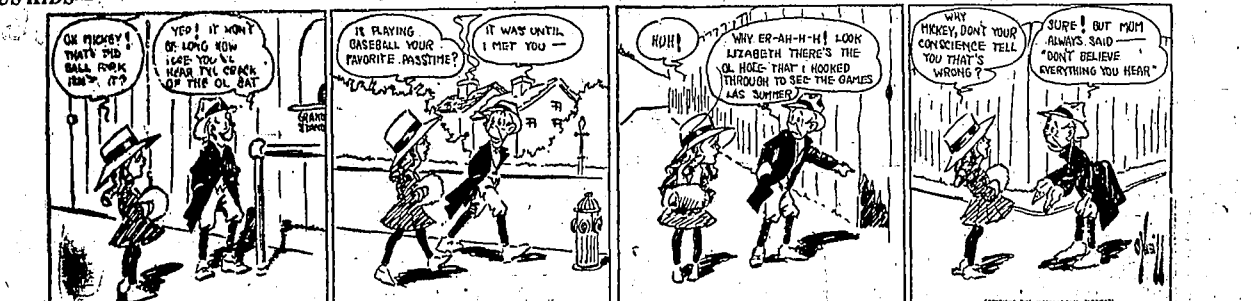
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# SUGGESTION TO CUT TAX GIVEN BY COMMITTEE

## Chamber of Commerce Investigators Make Public Specific Recommendations for Lowering Public Expense

Specific recommendations for retrenchment in costs of state, county, municipal, school district and highway district offices and activities, embodied in a report by the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce tax committee, were made public at a luncheon meeting here today evening at about 100 officials, farmers and business men of the county.

### PHASES OFFICIAL CO-OPERATION

The report was presented by M. J. Sweeney, who was introduced by C. E. Wright, president of the chamber of commerce, as the chairman of the tax committee the members of which, he said, worked "under protest" in a conscientious effort to suggest possible avenues for retrenchment in public administration. He referred to the committee's members as "under protest" in a conscientious effort to suggest possible avenues for retrenchment in public administration. He referred to the committee's members as "under protest" in a conscientious effort to suggest possible avenues for retrenchment in public administration.

### TEXT OF COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Here is the text of the tax committee's report: To the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, Twin Falls, Idaho: Gentlemen: Your committee appointed to investigate tax matters, with a view of ascertaining public officials who have control of tax levies, in the hope that public burdens may be reduced, respectfully state as follows:

At the time we were appointed, it was brought home to the property owners by the receipt of their tax notices, that they were higher than they have been heretofore, and it was demanded that something be done to afford relief. We have spent considerable time in obtaining information as to what becomes of money collected as taxes, for we fully realize that the only way to reduce taxes is to reduce expenditures. We have not only examined public records, but have held conferences with our county commissioners, the city council, our school board, and other officials. Our work was thus supplemented by obtaining, as far as possible, the views of representative citizens concerning a number of matters which enter into the tax problem. To that end there were sent out some five hundred questionnaires calling for the views of persons to whom they were sent, on specific items, and also for a general expression as to how conditions might be made better. We have gone carefully through the suggestions made by those who responded, and after giving the entire situation, make the following recommendations:

### STATE TAXES

It is evident that we could not without the expenditure of more time than was to be expected of us, go very deeply into the cost of running the government of the state, or into what way it could be reduced, but we are convinced that it is greater than it should be, and that by proper effort and the application of business principles it can be reduced. The amount called for from our county, in 1921, to defray the costs of state government, was \$182,221.00, being the greatest in the history of our county. Only recently an article appeared in the public press from an official source at Washington, in which it was stated that the costs of the government for the state of Idaho, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920, amounted to \$7,651,288, which was a per capita cost of \$79.94. The same article stated that in 1917 the per capita was \$70.00, and in 1914, \$54.42. It was also stated that the per capita cost for 1920 for expenses of general departments was \$89.07, or more than the entire costs for the year

1917. It is only proper to say that these figures are compiled by the state auditor, and that the fact is evident it is costing more to run our state government than we can afford to pay, and your committee is willing to go on record as saying that we should obtain the services with which we are favored at least.

### GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS

As general recommendations we also urge that clerks or other employees be chosen for their efficiency and for their ability to do the work in any place where their qualifications fit them, and that a system of management whereby assistants may be interchanged from one department to another as the work of the several departments may make such interchange feasible and necessary. This suggestion is prompted by knowledge that at times in certain departments the work is light, and not sufficient to keep employees engaged, while at the same time in other departments the work is heavy and extra help is called for and engaged. We particularly urge that this plan be adopted by our county and city.

### COUNTY MATTERS

In addition to the general recommendations above set forth, we call attention to some specific items. Among these is the county hospital, to support which we are called upon to meet an annual deficit. It has already cost the county an amount exceeding one hundred and thirty thousand dollars. For 1921 there was a deficit in excess of \$20,000. This added to interest on the investment shows a loss of fully thirty thousand dollars a year. What to do with it is a most serious problem, but it is evident that some plan must be adopted to cut off at least very materially reduce the amount called for by the hospital. Some of those who responded to the questionnaires say close it; others say lease it to the doctors, or to some organization or charitable institution, but it is not likely that such a lease could be made. Other recommendations are that it be donated to the state for some state hospital, preferably one of the educational nature. For the present year your committee advises that it be placed in charge of a capable business manager who will, as far as possible, conduct it on a business basis, to see if its cost cannot be greatly reduced. In any event, the hospital should be closed down from patients, which now aggregate over seven thousand dollars.

### COUNTY FAIR

This is another matter which calls for public funds annually. Last year the fair cost the county over seven thousand dollars. The county has been paying the secretary a monthly salary of \$175 throughout the entire year, and he has been receiving an additional allowance of \$25 for automobile service and expenses. Much of that salary has now been eliminated, but there will still be a need to make up the conditions remain as they have been. It has been generally recommended by a number of those who responded to our inquiries that the fair be at least temporarily abandoned, so far as public expense is concerned, and that unless those who are particularly interested in it take it over and manage it, it be given up entirely.

### LAW LIBRARY

Some two years ago a law library was purchased by the county and one of the large rooms in the court house was taken over for its use. The books and cards have cost \$5000 to date. Last year a librarian was employed at a salary of \$100 a month to keep it open, but her services have now been dispensed with. The entire costs now exceed \$6000, and there is a continuous expense for books to keep up to date. We urge the library to be a convenience to the courts and the members of the bar, we feel that it is a mistake to keep it and maintain it at public expense, and we urge that it be disposed of.

### OTHER COUNTY MATTERS

The county owns six automobiles, which are kept for the use of public officials, and we find that the traveling expenses of public officers exceed \$10,000 a year. We believe that automobiles owned by the county should not be used for the public service, but should not be used for private purposes, or for pleasure rides. We believe that too many junketing trips

have been made at the expense of the county, and advise that all trips except those absolutely necessary be stopped.

### FARM BUREAU, COUNTY AGENT, COUNTY CLUB LEADER, HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT

For these several activities the county paid in 1920 about \$4000. Some of them have already been eliminated and many, including a number of farmers who made replies to these questionnaires, advised that they all be dropped. It is thought, however, that they can be combined in one person, and if the list be investigated, and a proper person engaged, we are disposed to recommend that this be done; but if not, then we urge that they all be dispensed with until we can better afford to have them.

### MOTHERS' PENSIONS

Because of some matters that have been brought to our attention, which lead us to believe that certain persons are receiving pensions who are not entitled to them, we urge that those on the list be investigated, and that only those be retained to whom public help should be extended.

### HIGHWAY DISTRICT

We find that overhead expenses have been recently reduced by laying off a number of employees, and that the action of the directors in that regard. We urge the speedy completion of highways in accordance with the program heretofore outlined, and urge that it be done at the smallest possible cost, so that we can get the most benefit for the least money. In this connection we desire to call attention to the great cost of road building made necessary through the duplication of efforts, by the formation of small highway districts, and urge that our lawmakers give most earnest consideration to such change in our laws as will make it possible to eliminate such duplication entirely, and place the road building within the county under one control.

### SCHOOL DISTRICT

Taxes for school purposes form the largest part of our public burden. We find that by the reduction in the number of teachers, expenses this year will be considerably decreased. For this we commend the action of the board of trustees. We feel that the salaries paid teachers are too high, and recommend a reduction of at least 15 percent. Such decrease will still leave salaries higher than they were five years ago. A considerable expense is caused by the system of transporting pupils from outlying districts. This expense amounts to more than \$20,000 a year to transport about seven hundred pupils. The committee has recommended to the board that pupils residing within one and one-quarter miles of the schools which they attend be not given transportation at the expense of the public. This would eliminate about ten school wagons and practically save four-fifths of their expense. We also recommend that some plan be devised by which pupils from districts farther out be provided for without keeping up the equipment of wagons, for this equipment must soon be replaced if the present plan is continued. To these matters the school board is giving earnest consideration.

### CITY MATTERS

We believe that some of the salaries paid by the city are excessive, and have recommended that no compensation be paid to any person, either official or employee, to exceed two thousand dollars a year. We have further recommended that the compensation of policemen and firemen be lowered 20 percent.

### M. J. SWEENEY, W. T. LESLIE, L. T. WRIGHT, E. J. FINCH

### GORGE HOLDS FAST

DIXON, Ill., (AP)—Rock river gorge still held fast here today. The river had fallen 7 inches but a new gorge seven miles long had formed between Dix and Hillsdale below Sterling and was so tight that Sterling officials said dynamiting was useless. The river was rising at Sterling.

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# SALMON PROJECT ISSUE SETTLED OUT OF COURT

## Claimants for Water for Excluded Land Reach Agreement with Company

Settlement out of court of litigation instituted by Thomas Sanderson and H. Crookham to compel the Salmon River Canal company to deliver water to their lands, which were excluded from the Salmon River project by provisions of the Whitford report, was announced today by Murray Brookman, representative of the Peoples Savings and Trust company of Pittsburgh, trustee for the Salmon River project bondholders.

The settlement is regarded as an important advance in negotiation toward settlement of all questions pending between the investors and operating interests and the landholders of the original project.

Sanderson and Crookham are said to be the only landholders outside the segregated area who were in position to raise the questions raised by them in the litigation that has been settled.

Terms of the settlement were withheld at the request of both parties to the transaction.

The suit is pending on appeal from the state supreme court's decision to the federal circuit court of appeals. The state supreme court reversed the decision of Judge T. Bailey Leo in district court, ordering the canal company to deliver water to the complaining parties.

# ODD FELLOWS AT BUHL PREPARING FOR GUESTS

## Degree Team Competition for Minidoka-Twin Falls District to Close in Contest at West End City

Buhl lodge, I. O. O. F., has prepared to entertain at least 300 members of the order this evening when degree teams of the Odd Fellows lodge at Rupert, Burley, Payette, and the other teams will meet there for the fourth and final contest of the season to determine the championship of the Minidoka-Twin Falls district.

The Buhl lodge team tonight will confer "Initiation" degree; Twin Falls the first degree; Burley the second degree and Rupert the third degree of the order.

Prior contests of the series have been held at Rupert, Burley and Twin Falls. The winner of the series is to be presented with a handsome engraved loving cup, which is to become the permanent possession of the winner for three successive seasons.

# TWIN FALLS MAN CHOSEN TO CAPTAIN TRACK TEAM

## Philip King is Elected Leader of the Freshman Track Men at University of Idaho

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO, Moscow, (Special)—Philip King of Twin Falls will captain freshman track men this spring, according to results of an election held at a meeting of candidates for both varsity and first-year track squads. King made an excellent showing in the intercollegiate meets at the university last year and much is expected from him this spring.

Although the iron-clad training rules do not go into effect until April 1, Coach Harsch has formulated a set of rules which are aimed to protect the health of his men.

At present 40 men are out for varsity and 25 for freshman track. The first-year track prospects are much better than when indoor work was started some time ago. The varsity lacks meat for field events, particularly the pole vault and high jump.

# RUPERT IRRIGATORS TO PLAY LEGION TEAM HERE

## Interest Among Fans Centers in Coming Contest When Former Service Men Will Seek Revenge

The Rupert Irrigators basketball team will come here for a return game against the Twin Falls post American Legion team, in the high school gymnasium Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The Twin Falls Vandey were defeated in the initial encounter between the two teams at Rupert two weeks ago, when they were away from home in contest. It is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to cheer the former service men on toward fulfillment of their purpose.

# Snowfall Covers Twin Falls Area in Morning Hours

Snowfall this morning in the Twin Falls district was equivalent to four one-hundredths of an inch of precipitation, according to records of the government weather observer here. The snow was disappearing rapidly as temperatures ascended. Temperatures here yesterday were decidedly higher than for several days past. The mercury reached 34 degrees above zero for high yesterday, and stood at 22 above for low last night.

Rain tonight and Sunday is the official forecast, with promise of warmer weather tonight in the southeast portions of the state, accompanied by southerly winds.

# JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL'S HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED

## Names of Pupils Standing the Highest in Scholarship are Given

The following list of pupils who during the second semester have attained highest scholarship ratings in their respective classes was today announced at the junior high school:

8A CLASS—Hla Peairs 94, Dahl Rockswold 94, Jerome Krivanek 93, Clinton Evans 92, Lloyd Holmquist 91, Raymond Tucker 92, Edna Koeb 91, Evelyn Bolster 91, Gladys Griffith 91, Ralph Bush 93, Ruth Porter 90, Helen Perrine 90, Lawrence Trosdale 90, Vera Sackett 90, Ralph Smith 90, Elaine Mann 90, Elizabeth Miller 90, La Verne Carlson 90.

8B CLASS—Many Provost 94, Betty Wilson 94, Barbara Noble 93, Beth Bowen 93, Jane Maxwell 93, Patricia Wilson 93, Nellie Galloway 91, Marjorie Woods 91, Doris Graves 91, Evelyn Shocher 90, Leone Ward 90, Byron Perry 90, Billie Davis 90, Lloya Sullivan 90, Frances Dayton 90.

7A CLASS—Albert Keefe 94, Dorothy Dickelacker 94, Elizabeth McCain 93, Elma Hollar 93, Lucille Gentry 93, Margaret Johnson 92, Elizabeth Caldwell 92, Charlotte Taylor 92, Byron Jensen 92, Gordon O'Reilly 92, Lawrence 92, Frances Polhemus 91, Ruth Van Gilder 91, Dean McCallan 91, Eugene Monroe 91, Marian Baird 91, Elva Smith 91, Marjorie Wynn 91, Edwin Selzer 90, Mildred Mahonen 90, Bush Wyland 90, Walter O'Brien 90, Yerna Fredrickson 90, Irene Hurst 90, John Wuster 90, Kenneth White 90.

7B CLASS—Ruth Caldwell 93, Julia Hilder 91, Elma Bowberry 91, Edith Johnson 90, Gladys Flak 90, Fred Rasmussen 90, Robert Alworth 90.

# TWIN FALLS DEBATORS VICTORS OVER ALBION

## Successfully Defend Contentions on Panama Canal Tax Question in Dual Forum

Twin Falls high school won its debate against Albion high school's team here Friday evening. The Panama canal toll question was debated by representatives of the two schools here and at Albion the same evening.

Decision of the judges here was 2 to 1 for Twin Falls.

Albion's team in the debate here was composed of Carl Gray and Douglas Phillips. They were opposed by Dudley Selzer and Morgan Hackman.

Albion's debaters were accompanied by T. W. Levy, a member of the Albion high school faculty.

The judges of the debate here were Frank L. Stephan, S. L. Hodgins and A. J. O'Reilly.

Twin Falls' team in the debate at Albion was composed of John Owen and John Noh.

### DES MOINES FOR G. O. R.

DES MOINES, Ia., (AP)—The Grand Army of the Republic and its four auxiliaries will gather in Des Moines during the last week of September for their annual encampment. It was decided at a conference with National Commander in Chief L. B. Pilcher of Brooklyn, N. Y., here today, September 24, that the opening day of the encampment.

# Local Brevities

## Stricken by "Flu"—Mrs. Glenn Jenkins is reported quite ill with the "flu."

## Return to Spokane—Miss Alma Beall departed this morning for Spokane where she will resume her duties in the public schools.

## Visits in Twin Falls—Miss Esther Schatz of American Falls is spending a few days with her brother John Schatz and family.

## Back from California—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeWitt returned Friday after several weeks' absence on a trip to Southern California.

## Sentenced and Paroled—A. P. Ferguson, in district court today was sentenced to serve a term of from one to 14 years in the state prison and then paroled by order of the court, when he pleaded guilty to charge of embezzlement of an automobile upon which he was arrested some weeks ago at American Falls. The car was taken by Ferguson from Buhl.

## Waits for Sentence—William Holstad declined to waive the statutory hold for imposing a sentence when he was arraigned and pleaded guilty in district court here today to charge of illegal possession of liquor. He will be sentenced next Wednesday. Holstad was arrested Sunday when officials seized a still and home-made whiskey on a farm near Buhl.

# EXTENT OF LOSS UNKNOWN

## Destruction of City Hall by Fire May Result in Serious Setback

MONTREAL, Que., (AP)—City officials today awaited the cooling off of the embers of the fire which last night destroyed the city hall, that they might open the big safe in the services department and ascertain if signed decrees, worth \$5,000,000 and other valuable public documents, had been damaged in the conflagration. Six firemen were injured.

The building, erected in 1878 at a cost of \$700,000, is a total loss.

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