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OMAHA MEAT PLANT FUEL FOR FLAMES

Firemen Bend Heroic Efforts to Prevent Spread of Blaze Consuming the Armour Establishment

OMAHA, Neb. Feb. 14 (AP)—After an 18-hour's fight in zero weather with the fire at the plant of Armour & Co., it was reported at 10:30 o'clock tonight that the flames were attacking the lard refineries, and threatening to spread to other buildings. The majority of Omaha's fire fighting forces is opposing the blaze.

The estimated loss was placed at 3 o'clock tonight at \$1,200,000. According to O. C. Willis, general manager of the plant, more than eight hundred men are thrown out of employment.

URGES PERMIT FOR NEW ROAD

Nez Perce Senator Sponsors Resolution for North and South Idaho Railway

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 14 (AP)—Formal action was taken tonight by a north and south Idaho railway is urged upon the interstate commerce commission and the Idaho public utility commission in a resolution by Senator Means, republican, of Nez Perce county, introduced today in the senate.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS OPPOSE TAX BILL

Gathering of Officials From All Parts of County Communicates Views to Legislators

Directors of school districts throughout Twin Falls county at a meeting here Wednesday called by Miss Charlotte Fennel, county superintendent, went in strong opposition to the bill pending in the state legislature providing for a state-wide two-mill school tax levy, and another measure requiring district trustees to collect school bonds. Views of the directors in this respect were incorporated in resolutions which were ordered sent to Senator W. F. Pike and J. M. Markel, member of the senate committee on education.

DAWSON MINE EXPLOSION TRACED TO DERAILMENT

Coroner's Jury Gives Views on Cause of Disaster that Cost Lives of 120 Workmen; 11 Bodies Still Unfound

DAWSON, N. M., Feb. 14 (AP)—Dawson of an outgoing motor 'trip' mine car, knocking down timbers to which the trolley feed line was attached, caused a quantity of dirt which was ignited by an electric arc, caused the disastrous explosion in mine number one here Thursday last, which cost the lives of 120 men, according to the verdict returned by the coroner's jury here this afternoon.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press)

The senate failed to reach a vote on the British debt funding bill but considerable progress was made in negotiations looking to a final vote.

President Harding, through executive order, restored the civil service rights of 27 employees dismissed nearly a year ago from the bureau of engraving and printing.

The census bureau reported that cotton manufacturing showed more activity during January than at any previous time, the number of active spindles exceeding 35,000 for the first time.

Senator Borah, Idaho, introduced a resolution which he said to be the sense of the senate that should be "outlawed" and proposing creation of a code of international law and an international court.

Chairman Lasker announced that the shipping board would recommend that the Hawaiian Islands be placed under the jurisdiction of the Philippines under the American coastwise navigation law, provided the board could guarantee an adequate service between the islands and American ports on all coasts.

Burger's Right to Speak for Klan is Denied by Wizard

Head of Organization Declares He Has Never Heard of Minister Posing as Spokesman

CHICAGO, Feb. 14 (AP)—Dr. H. W. Evans, imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, declared here today that he had never heard of Dr. Lew Burger of New York, who in a speech at Idaho Falls, Idaho, yesterday, said that he represented the Klan, that 38 members of congress belong to it and that the two bodies found in Lake La Foudre, near Bastrop, La., were placed there by medical students. Dr. Evans said that Burger was not a member of the Ku Klux Klan and that even if he had been, he would not have been privileged to make statements in writing membership.

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Examination Made in Cemetery Explodes Myth and the Armed Guard is Removed

NEW YORK, Feb. 14 (AP)—Fifty fully armed soldiers, high military officers and heads of various government departments today exploded the myth that Russian crown jewels worth \$1,000,000 were concealed in the grave of Semyon the Semenov in the Cypress Hills cemetery.

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PIKE SEES RELIEF BY AMENDMENT

Sponsor for Bill to Change Twin Falls County Classification Makes New Proposal

No important advantage is to be derived from changing the rating of Twin Falls county from the second class to the first class because of constitutional prohibition against payment by counties of the first class of claims other than claims other than quarterly, and the "only relief would be in submitting a constitutional amendment" permitting monthly payment of claims, according to word received Wednesday by The News from Senator W. F. Pike, sponsor of a bill providing for change in the county's classification.

DOUBLE CROSS PRIME FACTOR IN WIERD TALE

Former Employee of Detective Agencies who Accuses Them of Encouraging Radicalism, Admits Lying to Them

CHICAGO, Feb. 14 (AP)—Albert Balnow, alias Albert Balnow, confessed spy and agent provocateur, admitted today under cross examination by G. L. Smith, assistant attorney general of Michigan, that many of his reports while an agent of the Burns and Thiel detective agencies were false.

Balnow, in a deposition being taken by Frank P. Walsh, attorney for 22 alleged communists facing trial in Michigan, had pictured the communist and communist-labor parties and the I. W. O. organization as being virtually controlled by the detective agencies and operated as a side line for extracting money from banking and business agencies.

He charged that he and other agents provocateur of the two detective agencies organized labor unions and radical organizations and directed their activities in order that the detectives might arrest deluded radicals who followed their lead.

His admission that many of his reports were lies came when Attorney Smith questioned him about a report he sent from Milwaukee detailing an alleged meeting with one "Lechevetsky," supposed to be a dangerous representative of the soviet government.

Collects for Services.
The examination developed he had furnished the report to John J. Garrity, then chief of police of Chicago, and the Thiel agency, and collected salary and expenses from both.

The Milwaukee report, which the witness admitted was false, concerned the Wall street bomb explosion. On direct examination, he testified that Michael Flannigan, vice president of the Thiel agency, told him the day after the explosion on September 16, 1920, to go to the Stig hotel at Milwaukee and register under the name of "A. B. Rosenberg," and that he was to be acting as a radical named "Lechevetsky," a soviet representative in this country, and that Lechevetsky had told him that some 30 Russian leaders had recently held two meetings and planned various bomb explosions, assassinations and armed revolts.

Flannigan, he swore, told him to mail a copy of the report to Chief of Police Garrity.

Flannigan also gave him a list of alleged communist party members, he said, and told him to mail it to Garrity, who would have it photographed and then mail it on to Isaac E. Ferguson of the Workers' defense committee, so that Ferguson's office could be raided and the list would be found there as evidence to be used in convicting him.

On cross examination, Mr. Smith produced a copy of the report, taken from the Burns files and Balnow admitted selling it to Burns some time later, although the report had never been returned to show it was written and mailed from Milwaukee to the Burns office on September 29, 1920.

Sends in Rubles.
Balnow admitted that the report, as read by Mr. Smith, was essentially the same as he had made to Chief Garrity. The report stated that the fictitious Lechevetsky carried 25,000 rubles and that three hundred rubles obtained from him were enclosed. Balnow insisted Flannigan gave him the rubles for the purpose. The report said the supposed Lechevetsky had been an active anarchist in Russia 14 years ago, throwing bombs at the czar, and had been exiled to the Perovsk, Brest, Valoska, 400 miles from Krasnoesok, Siberia.

Balnow admitted on cross examination that all those details were a figment of his own imagination, written, he insisted, to comply with Flannigan's orders.

Detectives in Disguise.
Today's story by Balnow was as weird as that he told yesterday and Monday. He pictured Allan G. Meyers of the Burns agency as proposing to send him to Russia to kill Lenin and Trotsky by putting poison to be obtained from the Burns agency in Poland in their drinking water. He swore that Arthur Fletcher, secretary here of the communist party, was on the pay of both the police department and the Thiel agency and kept his records as

WIFE WEEPS AS SHE TELLS OF SHOOTING



Mrs. Lucille Kavanaugh

MRS. LUCILLE KAVANAUGH, of Chicago, weighing less than 100 pounds, photographed in court as she told of the shooting of her husband, Patrick Kavanaugh, wealthy treasurer of the National club of Athletics. She gave as her reason that she believed he was paying attention to another woman.

secretary in the police station vault. He declared Roscoe T. Simms, negro organizer of the American Federation of Labor; Leon Green, one of the organizers of the Seattle strike, and other well known labor and radical leaders were really detectives in disguise.

A diversion was created during the hearing when Leon Green appeared and heard he was ordered out after he had threatened assault Balnow on the witness stand.

Silly Hilarity.
The Hilarity that traces that were better than those that are has probably pervaded all ages.—Horace Greeley.

Antiquity of Rugs.
Carpets are still in use in some of the palaces of Persia which are said to have been constantly used since the end of the Sixteenth century.

Odd Irish Seller.
There is a custom superstition in Ireland that a broken wheel point is the precursor of a domestic jar.

WALLACE SEES NEW UNITY IN MEAT INDUSTRY

Secretary of Agriculture Points Out Necessity for Co-operation Between the Stockmen, Packers and Dealers

CHICAGO, Feb. 14 (AP)—The livestock and meat business continues one great industry dependent for success upon the efficient functioning of production, transportation facilities, stock yards and stockyard agencies, the packers, wholesalers, retailers and consumers, Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, declared in an address here last night.

"Suspicion, greed, unfair practices, or any act on the part of any of these agencies or groups that will put any other at a disadvantage, is an offense against all," he declared, adding that there seems more complete cooperation between the groups now than at any time in the past. Secretary Wallace spoke under the auspices of the University of Chicago and the Institute of American Meat Packers.

Credit Outlook Brighter.
A better system of credit for live stock producers is badly needed and prospects for it seem favorable at present, Secretary Wallace said. Terms of credit adjusted to the normal turnover periods of livestock production would tend to stabilize marketing and production, he said.

Secretary Wallace expressed opposition to a widely fluctuating market. Violent price fluctuations, he said, pave the way to discord and disorganization of the industry. In recent years, he said, there has been a tendency toward stabilizing the flow of stock to market and this has stabilized profits to some extent. It blamed the glut and shortages in the market with corresponding price fluctuations for what he termed "the disatisfied state of mind of producers in times past. Producers' cooperating marketing agencies, he said, may find it possible to influence the flow to market by keeping fully informed of the amount of stock being fed by all members and the time when it will be ready for market.

Pays Tribute to Breeders.
He paid high tribute to breeders of improved livestock. The work of the breeder is not yet done, he said, adding that as pressure for food becomes more urgent, the best breeding of grain to stock will diminish and the producers will face the task of turning out an equally high grade of stock of food not

so well adapted to human consumption. Ideal conditions, so far as the packers is concerned, involve three factors, he said. The supply of livestock should be large enough to permit utilization of the packing plant and equipment; the supply, while varying with seasonal demand, should be distributed through the working days as evenly as possible; and the character of the stock should be such as to meet the needs and desires of the consuming public.

One of those requirements is being fully met at present, he added.

Livestock growing has changed from a sort of frontier agriculture to a highly specialized industry, he said.

SUGAR FUTURES MARKET COLLAPSES AFTER RISE

Sensational Break Follows Equally Spectacular Advance When Commerce Department Explains Report

NEW YORK, Feb. 14 (AP)—The sugar futures market collapsed today as a feeling of resentment prevailed against the opinion recently reported to have been expressed by Washington officials, which, it was believed, were largely responsible for the upward movement in prices.

The spot market, reflecting the weakness in futures, dropped about a cent per pound and offerings at 4-3-4 cents for Cuba's cost and freight, against 5-7-10 cents yesterday, found buyers this is the day when sales of 25,000 bags occurred at that figure for February-March shipment.

Refiners were still withdrawn from the market and throughout Wall street a feeling of resentment prevailed against the opinion recently reported to have been expressed by Washington officials, which, it was believed, were largely responsible for the upward movement in prices.

The probable size of a Cuban crop continued conflicting, but conservative opinion leaned to a crop about as large as that of last year, and a supply sufficient to meet all needs although with a reduced carry-over at the end of the season.

Commerce Dept. Report.
The break followed an announcement of the department of commerce that its recent estimate of production and consumption had been erroneously construed as indicating a shortage of the 1923 crop. Prices of stock and bonds of sugar companies declined in sympathy. The rapidity of the re-

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Fountain Pens Not Used.
Fountain pens were used as far back as 1600, and reference to them is found in an advertisement in 1788. A patent was granted in 1800, to Joseph Bramah, the inventor of the Bramah lock and hydraulic press.

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SESSION GIVES CONSIDERATION TO IRRIGATION

Proposed Legislation of Importance to Watered Areas of State Claims Innings During Week in Legislature

BOISE, Feb. 14.—(Special to The News.)—Irrigation is one of the most important to watered areas of the Idaho legislature during the past week and among the flood of house bills which have come in for introduction are to be found several which stand out as corrective of existing statutes.

Allowing the term of office of water masters to extend to two years and providing for a recall by two-thirds vote, the senate passed with little difficulty this important measure, while the Gills bill which extends the time for sale of electric power by irrigation districts to 35 years so they may more easily finance themselves by voting bond for the purpose, a measure which will have a more ready market, was also passed by the senate and is now in the hands of the governor.

Permits Districts' Sales.

New measures include a point resolution to amend the constitution to permit only property holders to vote in drainage district elections; a bill to permit irrigation districts to sell property after a two-thirds vote is required; a measure to make a two percent penalty and interest at ten percent on delinquent assessments; a bill to exempt from district county financing the past two sessions and which was championed by senator Witty in the fifteenth and sixteenth sessions.

SWEDEN USES TRACTORS IN TRANSPORTING MAIL

Motor Truck and Trailer Using Ski Runners and Tractor Bands is Designed to Negotiate Snow

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 12, (AP)—A strange sight in Northern Sweden is a sort of traveling post office, consisting of a motor truck and trailer, mounted partly on ski runners and partly on tractor bands, and designed to negotiate the snow drifts in the country roads. The Postal Department, after making preliminary tests, has just put this new vehicle into service, and, if it proves successful, it bids fair to revolutionize the winter carrying traffic of the Northland.

The new omnibus differs from the usual passenger conveyance chiefly in the adaptability of the chassis. Thus for the ordinary smooth road the weight of the car is supported by four ordinary wheels, of which two are directly behind and between the rear wheels, while the other four are arranged on either side of the bus so as to track with the rear wheels. For still rougher going these side wheels run on tractor bands, resembling those used on tanks during the war. And when snow would make the roads otherwise impassable, ski runners are installed under the front wheels.

Besides handling mails and express packages, this bus can also accommodate 16 passengers. Most of the heavy mail is carried on the trailer. The car is electric-lighted and electric-heated, and it is considered remarkable that the electric power required comes from a 30 horse-power engine. The general director of the Swedish postal department, Julius Jublin, who is responsible for the innovation, reports that the old system of transportation by means of horses had become entirely too expensive.

AMSTERDAM

AMSTERDAM—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Barget received a telegram Thursday telling of the death of Mrs. Barget's sister, Miss Rose Otterbein, which occurred in Columbus, Miss. Otterbein spent some time here at the Barget home, leaving here last fall on account of failing health.

Cloude Earl of Twin Falls was a visitor at the Tolman home on Friday. Mrs. Mina D. Hman spent part of the week at the John Launing home.

Henry Tolman and Arthur Truman attended the musical society at Hallator on Monday evening.

W. R. Skinner spent Friday at the county seat.

Beryl Kunkel and the Misses Jeta Kunkel and Lila Skinner motored to the county seat on Saturday.

A. E. Caldwell returned from Portland, Ore., on Friday, where he is tentatively to the sale of three carloads of logs.

Mrs. A. Tolman attended a quilting tea at the Palmer home in Hollister on Friday.

E. C. Nieman and son, Elmer of Piler, spent Tuesday in Amsterdam.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Dean and Mrs. Billy were in Twin Falls guests at the Charles Fremont home.

Mr. A. Tolman was a guest at the Tolman home on Tuesday.

Keep Something Back
And Tom says a man who always tells the truth is to be admired unless he is to tell all the truth he knows. Washington Evening Star

May Hold Hammer Slay As Hostage



Mrs. Catherine Uribe

According to a sensational story current along the Texas border, Mrs. Catherine Uribe, a former American actress and now wife of Herbert Uribe, a Mexican, holds Mrs. Clara Phillips, escaped Los Angeles hammer murderer, as a hostage in the state of Chihuahua.

Mrs. Uribe's husband and his brother, Fernando, are under arrest in Los Angeles on the charge of being implicated in automobile thefts, and it is alleged Mrs. Uribe has offered to produce Mrs. Phillips if the men are set at liberty.

Rainmakers Cause Showers by Attack From Airplanes

Experimenters Use Electrically Charged Grains of Sand to Cause Clouds to Unload Their Moisture

DAYTON, O., Feb. 13, (AP)—Rainfall has been caused and clouds have been made to disappear in a series of experiments which are being conducted here at McCook Field, according to an announcement made today by the experimenters, Prof. Wilder D. Bancroft of Cornell University, and L. Francis Warren. The successful experiments were made with the co-operation of the army air service.

Results of the experiments were described as "absolutely uncanny" by observers at the army air field. In brief, the clouds were made to disappear and precipitate their moisture by the dropping of electrically charged grains of sand upon them from airplanes. Prof. Bancroft and Mr. Warren claim that the process will be of great value in the commercial world, as fogs over cities, harbors and flying fields can be made to disappear, thereby insuring safety to travel and transportation. They do not claim that in every instance rain or precipitation can be produced, as they say all the clouds do not contain sufficient moisture. Some of the experiments demonstrated that while slight precipitation was caused, this precipitation was evaporated before it reached the earth.

In payment for its co-operation during the tests, the army air service has given the free use of the process, for which patents are pending, for the removal of mists and fogs over its flying fields. The experiments have been in progress at McCook field here for the last year and a half, and will be continued at Stouardville, W. Va., on the Washington-Tolman air route, and possibly at Washington, where fog conditions are more frequent and better than at Dayton.

In making the announcement of his successful experiments, Mr. Warren said that elaborate scientific researches have shown that a particle of negatively charged moisture carrying an electric charge has a tendency to grow in size, even under conditions so adverse to enlargement as to cause uncharged drops to evaporate, the theory being that the electric charge diminishes the surface tension of the drops and thus facilitates further condensation and coalescence.

Gets Quick Results
In the experiments, a La Perre plane,

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having disposed of my ranch, will sell at Public Auction at my ranch, two miles north of Hansen on the highway, or eight miles east of Twin Falls on Addison Avenue

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22
Sale starts at 11 o'clock A. M. Lunch on grounds by Mr. Harris.
This sale includes a lot of fine REGISTERED DUBOY JERSEY BLOOD BOWS AND SPRING GILTS, ALL BRED.

A number of fall gilts and stock hogs, two hours, two milk cows, several good young horses, and a lot of farm machinery, 75 sacks of good Natchez Corn and several tons of real good hay.

Owner, Wm. C. Mangold

sizes that will fall by gravity slowly through the varying winds and be widely dispersed will be employed for artificial rain-making. One or more tons of minute dust particles as fine as flour that will combine with and carrying trillions of particles per cubic centimeter that, when scattered, will cover enormous areas, will be carried by a plane flying 70 or 80 miles per hour and liberated as a catalytic agent, at the rate of about 25 to 35 pounds per minute.

Changes Static Force

Mr. Warren explained that scientists claim that with free electrons in a mass of air, each electron attaches itself to a certain number of molecules and so forms a gas ion, upon which moisture condenses, thereby making a cloud particle. Should the velocity of the electrons be very great he said they will combine with the artificially charged particles (as it has been noted that their fall strongly electrifies surrounding air) this will produce a so-called trigger action forcing the electrical charge in the cloud to change from a static to a kinetic state, that will rapidly spread or flash over the whole clouded area, from the spraying of only a few pounds of dust over a small part of a highly charged storm movement, and force precipitation when the wet bulb conditions are favorable, over the dry sections where it is required, in place of falling as a snow shower over oceans or large bodies of water where it is not required.

It was found in the experiments that wherever the charged particles of sand, in sufficient quantity, were released at the top of a cloud and the cloud was of opposite charge to the sand, a large hole, in a fraction of a minute, was made through the entire cloud from top to bottom.

No large scale attempts were made, Mr. Warren said, at artificial rain-making with nimbus, cumulo nimbus or other heavy rain clouds as the experiments were solely directed at the removal of mists and fogs covering areas extensive enough to justify the Army Air Service in installing the process over one of its foggy flying fields. He said that all heavy rain clouds are highly electrified and it was not deemed safe to deal with them with high voltages until measures were taken to guard against possible accidents to the pilots and planes.

Combats Fog

At its Mountaineer, West Va., field the Army Air Service proposes to employ a captive balloon, containing an electric equipment and anchored by cable to a truck. The balloon and equipment will keep the field and surrounding regions free from fog, and also serve as a beacon night and day during misty or foggy weather. At night the balloon will be illuminated, so that it may be seen by fliers, and the location of the open and free landing space determined.

Why Druggists Recommend Swamp-Root

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do. Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. Write nothing but sure and mention this paper—ad.

What is useless to you may be valuable to others—advertise it in the classified columns.

BEEF ACREAGE INCREASES

Holly Sugar Corporation to Operate Two Factories Instead of One as Result of Failure with Spuds

MONTROSE, Colo., Feb. 14 (AP)—Increased acreage devoted to beet growing will necessitate the operation this year of both western slope factories of the Holly Sugar corporation, instead of only one as before, according to an announcement made here by officials of the company. The poor condition of the potato crop, together with over-production, has turned the attention of the farmers to the advantages of beet growing, it was stated. The field men employed by the company have reported that the acreage already signed for the coming year far exceeds that harvested last fall, officials declared.

READ THE DAILY NEWS



New Arrivals in Spring Footwear

We have just received by express three new street slippers, in combinations of suede with leather trimmings. One is a grey suede oxford with high military patent leather. Another is an outer suede oxford trimmed with dark brown calf leather, with high Cuban heel.

Also one in the new patent leather, four eyelet, instep tie. This one has a grey suede saddle over the instep. It also carries a high Cuban heel. These are C. P. Ford shoes of Rochester, N. Y., which are known for their excellent fitting qualities and fine workmanship.

Come in and have our salesmen show you. SEE OUR WINDOWS

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The Greater IDAHO DEPARTMENT STORE Ltd
Up to date
KATAWAH BUILDING
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"After All The Best Place to Trade"



The way the sales of "KING COAL" are increasing we are beginning to think this famous coal is really better than we thought it was. Goodness knows we had a very high opinion of its quality and performance. This only leads us to believe more than ever that "KING COAL" is the best coal mined in the WEST. Some folks say it is the aristocrat of fine coals.

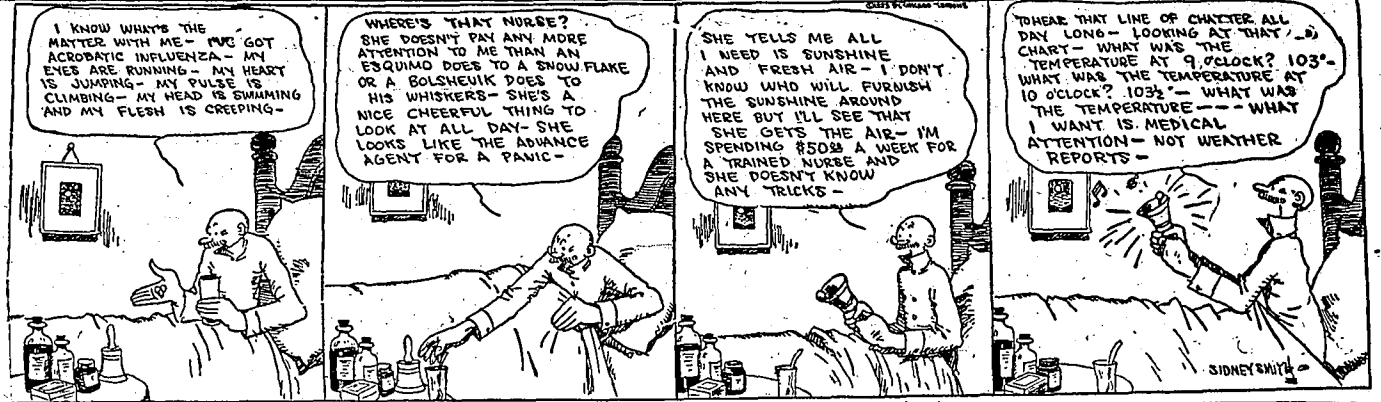
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- Congoleum Mat, size 18x27; special 25c
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- Potato Masher, heavy wire; special 15c
- Aluminum Mixing Spoons, special 25c
- Wire Tea Strainers 10c, 15c and 25c
- Glass Nest Eggs, special 3 for 5c
- Bread Knives, 10 inch blades; special 35c
- Dover Egg Beater, with double dasher; price 50c
- Palm-Olive Soap 3 for 25c
- Life Buoy Soap 4 for 25c
- Colgate's or Williams' Shaving Soap 10c
- Colgate's Dental Cream, special 10c
- Toilet Paper, good size roll 4 for 25c
- Moor's Improved Hold-Fast Clothes Pins, dozen.... 10c
- Wire Toasters 15c, 25c and 35c
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Where Your Dollar Has More Cents.
—137 MAIN WEST—

THE GUMPS—THE CALL OF THE WILD



TODAY'S SPORTING NEWS

I. D. Bowlers Win From Groceriesmen

Department Store Takes Odd Game from Alvord and Mott; Boone Rolls High Score

I. D. bowlers won the odd game from the Alvord & Mott pinbusters last night in the regular scheduled game at the Twin Falls bowling alley.

The first game showed the department store men at top speed, the Linville clique dropping 344 pins to 700 for the Alvord and Mott boys. Ford had high in this game with 292.

In the second game the teams pulled off an Alphonse and Gaston act, neither side wishing to win from the other. The I. D. boys had the most patience, and finally after 10 frames of some of the poorest bowling seen in the tournament, the Grocery lads grasped a victory with a total of 277 pins.

The best I. D. bowling could collect was 712. Rexroat clipped the maples for 189 in this snear, which went for high.

The I. D. team braced in the last game and rolled 835 while their opponents pulled up at 670. Boone came to life in this game with 204, the high game for the evening.

Falls and Fancies:

Idaho Theatre	1	2	3	Totals
Ford	202	134	178	514
Fix	195	113	144	392
Moore	194	162	155	511
Boone	128	166	204	498
Linville	187	147	167	491
Totals	844	712	838	2394

Alvord & Mott 1 2 3 Totals

Bexroat	162	189	134	515
H. Brueggemann	118	149	144	411
Holmes	148	119	119	386
Anderson	130	120	130	380
C. Brueggemann	112	160	162	434
Totals	700	737	679	2116

A REGISTERED PACKAGE

The Alvord and Mott team refused flat footed to win the odd game.

The smallest crowd of the week witnessed the contest.

After some high school boys had been jerked from the I. D. bench they lived things up a bit by rooting for the post office clerks.

The Alvord & Mott team won the second game with 737 when the I. D. gang went stone dead.

The I. D. men gave very good exhibitions in the first and third, but their second— Pull down the blinds.

Archie Anderson had an off night, using 130 for his high mark for the evening.

"Henry" Ford walloped the timber for a 514 total. Not a bit bad.

Hank Brueggemann couldn't get started with his soupywax hook, and missed several easy spares.

Holmes wouldn't ever win any "Holmes" with his bowling last night. His second and third games read 119 each.

Phil Fix was another who missed a lot of easy spares. Phil is trying to put the brakes on his fast one, but that doesn't seem to help.

Bexroat was high man for the evening with 515 pins. He dropped in his third effort to 134, otherwise—well, he might have done better or fell under that mark.

"Daniel" Boone skidded in the opener with 126, but his last game showed 204, the high game for the evening.

Linville said that he would have to "Fix" his "Ford" "Moore" if the boys didn't do better.

Tonight the Troy Laundry brigade will tangle with Salmon's Shoe Market team.

Advance statements from the two captains show that both teams will win the odd game.

This afternoon at 5 o'clock the Bank and Trust bowlers will tangle

Save This is His Big Season

Twin Falls Country's Contribution to Big League Leagues to Join Philadelphia Team

Wilbert (Webb) Hubbell, Twin Falls country's contribution to the big leagues, will leave on this morning's train for Leeburg, Florida, where he will join the rest of the Philadelphia team.

Webb is starting his fifth year as a big leaguer, having been on the big time circuit since 1919. He went to the Giants in that year, and was traded with Arthur Fletcher (now manager of the Philadelphia team) for Baneroff at the end of the season.

From 1920 to the present time Hubbell has been wearing a Phillies uniform.

Hubbell's home is in Buhl, and each winter finds him in the west end city, resting up for the strenuous summer months. During the winter, Hubbell keeps in condition by putting on a gym suit and playing basketball.

In an interview with the sporting editor of The News yesterday afternoon Hubbell said that 1923 will be his big year, that Philadelphia will have a much better team than in 1922, and that he never goes into the box but that he wonders whether his friends in Southern Idaho are watching him as closely as he watches for news of his home town.

On May 25 last Webb was hit on the head by a batted ball from the bat of Tommy Griffith of the Brooklyn team, and knocked unconscious. Although back in the game after a six weeks' layoff he suffered from the effects of the injury until the middle of December.

He will spend a week in Denver on his way east, visiting with his father and brother. Mrs. Hubbell will accompany her husband to the southern training quarters.

The fans of this section wish Hubbell all the success that follows good hard work.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 14 (AP)—Johnny Meyers, claimant of the world's midweight wrestling title, won a close decision from Mike Yokel in a 12-round bout here last night.

What is useless to you may be valuable to others—advertise it in the classified columns.

The New Orpheum

TODAY AND TOMORROW AND SATURDAY NIGHT
A Mystery Romance of the Range, Entitled
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IT'S A LARRY SIMON COMEDY
This is Boy Scout Week. Every Boy Scout in Twin Falls is invited to see this great picture tonight as the guest of the management.
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Two Days—Next Monday and Tuesday—E. J. Carpenter Offers the
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BRINGING UP FEATHERS
ON HIS VACATION
LARRY FLAPPER HEAVY CHORUS
Prices, including Tax: \$1.05, \$1.10, 85c, 55c—Seats Now Selling
Majestic Drug Store.

EXPLAINS ARMOUR CHANGE

Packing Concern Finds Basis for Reports Affecting Stocks in Previously Announced Shift in Management

CHICAGO, Feb. 14, (AP)—A reported change in the management of Armour and Company is only true to the extent that J. Ogdon Armour, as previously announced, is retiring from the presidency of the company to become chairman of the board of directors and that F. Elson White, former vice president, has become president, a statement issued at the office of Mr. Armour tonight said.

The active management of the company will be lodged as at present, the statement said, adding that three bankers are to be added to the board of directors and that "other prominent men of wide experience in affairs" also were to be added to the board. The bankers referred to are Arthur Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial bank of Chicago; Samuel McRoberts, president of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York; and Alfred Wiggins, president of the Chase National bank of New York.

"This is in-line with the policy of making Armour and Company a public rather than a private family corporation, and the financing now completed is in line with this accomplishment," the statement continued. Armour and Company preferred shares dropped 7 points to 86 today upon announcement of the arrangements for banking participation in the management, but the stock made a good recovery, closing 3-1/4 points higher. The regular quarterly dividend on the stock was declared today.

STORM WAVE

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Mercury had registered from four below to 10 above in the same period.

The Northern Pacific train to Missoula was forced to return after reaching Dorsey, railroad officials announcing that it had been unable to get over the summit of the Bitter Root mountains. The train bound for Wallace from Missoula was unable to get further than St. Regis, it was said, and would not reach here tonight.

TEN BELOW AT ST. PAUL

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 14, (AP)—With slightly improved conditions tonight in weather conditions in the northwest, efforts were made tonight to resume train service from the twin

GERMAN LODGES PROTEST

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The German government in a note made public today said to have been presented yesterday to the French government by the chargé d'affaires in Paris protesting against the action of France and Belgium prohibiting the export to unoccupied Germany of installment product and other manufactured articles from the occupied territory.

All Great Northern trains to the coast were annulled again today and none were incoming. Several trains cancelled all of its trains out of here. A stiff wind continued to blow tonight in many parts of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, with temperatures well below zero. Early tonight it was 10 below in St. Paul, Minn.

The Blue Triangle club held a meeting in the dome Wednesday evening at 7:30. The program for the evening was of a musical nature. Mrs. F. S. Arnold, a local teacher of music, gave a talk on the life of the composer, Handel. Mrs. E. G. Sturtevant and Miss Carson sang two selections from "The Messiah." Clara Kall played two delightful piano solos and Ruth Toller gave some pleasing flute solos, accompanied by Mrs. Sturtevant. Mrs. Toller gave a synopsis of the opera "Bampton and Roland," and Mrs. Carlson sang a selection from this opera.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The class that has the least number of members in the club is requested to put on a skit for the next meeting and the sophomore happen to be the unquitty class. The girls had refreshments in the club rooms and everyone spent an enjoyable evening.

Tonight at the high school auditorium the representatives of the declamatory work will be picked. There is not much interest in this work among the high school students this year as only seven people are trying for the contest.

Wednesday evening in the high school auditorium the film "Julius Caesar" and two scenic pictures were shown. The film was a good picture of the northwest, efforts were made tonight to resume train service from the twin

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We have given more room to the lace department. You will find the newest, the cleanest stock of laces ever shown. Berthas, collar and cuffs sets, edges, etc. Moderately priced.



THE NEW WRAP AROUND CORSET

Is very popular with the younger set, who do not desire a heavy corset. It permits the utmost freedom of movement and at the same time gives the support needed by the average figure. Reasonably priced.

PAISLEY BAGS

Something new. An all leather bag, hand tooled, in paisley patterns. Just the thing for your new costume trimmed in paisley.



An Exclusive Department

It will be a pleasure for every woman to shop in our new Ready-to-Wear section. We have placed it on a balcony, where plenty of mirrors, lots of light, convenient fitting rooms, attractive rugs and drapes make it one of the finest departments of our store.

Exclusive Merchandise

One will need but see the many new things we expect to show to know that some of Fifth

Avenue's latest creations have been transferred right into the department. It will be a mark of quality to possess something from Wright's.

—suits

Everything points to a big suit season. The styles are somewhat different and many three-piece models are being shown. The short jacket models with hip band and blouse effect are leading in popularity. Wooltex garments always give a well dressed look.

—frocks

We doubt that you have ever seen such a showing of new frocks in a city of this size. Dresses that radiate style and quality. Markowitz, Anthony, Moshontz, Zukin, and then lots of others of exceptional style at very reasonable prices.

—coats

Never were the coats and wraps better looking. Truly, everyone will want a Spring coat or wrap. Wooltex are showing some very clever numbers. Sport coats in the tweed patterns will be very good.

—blouses

The three piece costumes promise to bring blouses back into favor stronger than ever. One may buy a new blouse and two piece suit and get the same effect as the three-piece costume. Our stocks are replete with the season's latest.

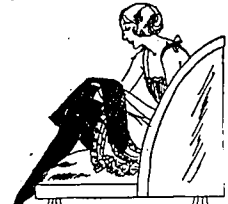
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BANDANAS

The new fad is the large silk Bandana handkerchief to be worn around the shoulders, as turbans, etc. Be among the first to wear them in Twin Falls.

The New Upstairs Shoe Department

We have placed the shoe department on the main floor. There you will find some of fashion's latest models. Everything for your convenience.



TIES AGAIN—Again the pumps will be in style. They are so new and so different that you must see them to appreciate just how good looking they are. They come in different color combinations.

STRAP OXFORDS—Will be the most popular of all this Spring, especially those in the combination, suede leather combinations. Prices are reasonable.

ARCH PRESERVERS—Our Arch Preserver customers will appreciate the new styles that may be obtained in Arch Preservers. Ask us to tell you about them. A number of new patterns.

A New Department

Jewelry Novelties

This little department will be welcome by the women for at all times you will be able to buy those pretty combs, ear rings, beads, etc., that are all the go and for which you do not wish to pay so very much. Ask to see some of the pretty things.

Our Downstairs Store

Is not quite ready with a complete stock of merchandise, but it is our intention to have one of the finest Downstairs Departments in the intermountain country. We have the room, we have the equipment. We will announce later some of the departments that we intend to open up. You will enjoy shopping there for there is plenty of light and everything will be conveniently arranged for easy selection of merchandise. Our plans contemplate some pleasant surprises for you.

Royal Society Art Packages Now Ready

The new Royal Society packages have been in for some two weeks but we did not want to open them up until we were in the new store. They are now ready for your inspection.

BREAKFAST SET

A 5-piece set stamped on blue checked toweling, embroidery in green, orange, black and yellow. Very effective. All floss... \$1.25

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A 5-piece set stamped on white clover bleach. Nice for the little luncheon. A very exceptional value. All stamped, with floss... \$1.25

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45 INCH SQUARE

A very attractive piece tinted in colors with clever parrot design. Very easy to work and very effective... \$1.25

SOAP AND PIN CUSHION

Stamped on white snow bloom. Very pretty and easy to work. Each package contains sufficient floss to complete... 75c

BABY SET

Consists of dress, slip, cap and bib, all stamped on white lawn. Cutting outlines stamped. Floss included. A real value... \$1.50

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AMENDING CONSTITUTION

There are pending before congress 71 measures purposing to amend the constitution. Of these 23 are under consideration in the senate judiciary committee.

Of all these amendments there is only one, offered by Senator Wadsworth of New York, which appears to commend itself to serious consideration both in congress and out.

Of course, it has to be taken into consideration that at no time do all the voters of the country go to the polls. In the last presidential election the total vote cast was but three-fifths of the voting strength of the country, women voters included.

WHY IT IS INEFFECTIVE

That the League of Nations would acquit itself favorably if given a free hand in settlement of the Ruhr situation, is the opinion of the New York Journal of Commerce, which then points out why the league will never have a "free hand" in any action it may undertake.

They went into it only after its real authority was placed for all time in the principal allied powers who were dictating the war settlements, those becoming the permanent members of the league council and the league council being hamstrung by the provision which makes effectual action by it virtually impossible unless the members be in agreement.

That Kind of Art. An unusually caustic critic was being shown through one of the Paris art salons by an enthusiastic friend.

A SEASONAL PASTIME

That old steadily the seed catalog, which once held full and undisturbed sway before American firesides of or-

FORMER PRESIDENT'S SON IS TO MARRY



Richard F. Cleveland

RICHARD FOLSOM CLEVELAND, son of former President Grover Cleveland, is engaged to marry Miss Ellen Douglas Gallor, daughter of the presiding bishop of the Episcopal church of America.

enings about this time of year now has a formidable rival in the automobile catalog. In fact, as a national pastime the auto catalog has probably eclipsed the seed catalog in bidding for public favor.

To this result, the annual and semi-annual motor shows have contributed much. Everyone who is within reach of them nowadays attends at least one automotive show each year.

It is the old appeal of the seed catalog diverted into new channels. Who has not in his imagination, after gazing upon the myriad-colored wonders of a seed catalog, pictured in his imagination the buck yard as it would look three months hence?

Arctic Possibilities

Donald R. MacMillan has returned from his year's exploration of Baffin bay in the Bowdoin with the news that the western coast of Baffin land has been incorrectly mapped and its waters misleadingly charted.

But there is this about MacMillan's discovery. It is not at all impossible that it will have a very real and practical value. The economic possibilities of the Arctic we know very little about.

Not Bad

There is a brilliant young Britisher in Washington, the correspondent of a famous British journal, who has not been able to realize that the United States has really voted itself dry.

"She seems wedded to her art," the enthusiast declared, enraptured. "Yes, and every picture she has painted is sufficient reason for a divorce," was the reply.

The JOY of LIVING

By SIDNEY GOWING Illustrations by Ellsworth Young

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(Continued.)

CHAPTER XIX

Arms and the Man.

The housekeeper looked bewildered. Diana's wrath agitated her. Almee was standing quietly in the middle of the room, her hands behind her.

"I dare not disturb her ladyship now that she has retired for the night and her room is locked," said the housekeeper; "my orders are strict. May I suggest that you see her yourself, my lady? If there is anything else I can do—"

"Diana paused, and appeared to reflect. "No," she said curtly. "You can go." When the housekeeper had left the room, Diana turned to Almee.

"You will come with me now—to Aunt!" "I'll do nothing of the sort," retorted Almee defiantly. "Go and speak for yourself, if you want to. Rouse her out of bed now, and tell her all you know. I shall get it hot; I'm used to that—but there's one consolation, she'll jolly well flatten you out, too!"

Again Diana hesitated. She saw herself raising accusations into the air-tramper of an infuriated aunt newly aroused from slumber. "I am tired, and I do not wish for a scene at this time of night," she said, fixing Almee with a malignant eye. "On consideration, I shall leave this affair till the morning. And now—you may go."

She stood away from the door. "Won't you be decent about it, Di?" said Almee impudently. "I don't care for myself, but it's going to be awful for Dad. I—I—if you'd only let me tell you—"

"I have no desire to listen to a discreditable story, at which, no doubt, I could give a very good guess. As for your father, he must face the consequences of having allowed you to behave as you do. I have no more to say," replied Diana with cold disdain.

Almee's eyes blazed at her. "You utter beast, Di!" she said, and flung out of the room.

For half an hour Almee mused upon the situation, and mentally pronounced it hopeless. The dreary bedroom became impossible to her. She opened the door; the house was in darkness; everyone, apparently, had retired. Almee made her way to Georgina's bedroom door, and rapped stealthily for some time, for the door was locked. It seemed impossible to arouse Georgina, and after a lengthy effort Almee desisted. Lady Erythe's room was next door, and even the deaf hear when they are not wanted to.

Finally, Almee crept down into the

hall, where the suits of armor loomed grimly in the half-light, a silent, threatening host. It was impossible to get out of the house. All conceivable outlets were secured, since the burglarly, Almee passed through the paneled dining hall. The darkness got on her nerves. She switched on a small electric light, and looked round her helplessly.

"Two or three more days, and I believe Billy would have pulled me through," she said dully. "I know he would. Now, it's all up. I'm done. And I can't get to Billy."

A large figure stole into the room with a remarkably noiseless step. It was the Vicomte de Jussac. He started as he caught sight of the forlorn Almee in the chair, and stared in surprise. The spectacle of a damsel in distress at once roused generous sentiments in the beau sabreur.

He crossed the room and seated himself on the arm of the chair. "Away, dull care," murmured Bertrand. "Such eyes as those—I cannot stare them but I am sure they are adorable—were never made for weeping. Tell me your sorrow, ma petite," he said gently; "it shall be swept away!"

"I'm in awful trouble!" sobbed Almee. "But let me help you. Here am I, a big, gross fellow, but very capable, sent by the gods to aid you. It is what I am for!"

Almee dropped her hands and stared at him, startled. "Are you Monsieur de Jussac?" she stammered.

"Indubitably at your service, mademoiselle." Almee's eyes flashed his face. It was rather closer to hers than appeared necessary, but it was undoubtedly sympathetic.

"Tell me!" he murmured. Almee hesitated. "What, I will tell you. I've got to tell somebody, or I shall go mad!" said Almee with a rush. "Anyway they'll know it tomorrow. I'm not the parlor maid. I'm Almee Scroope—Lady Erythe's niece."

"Hein!" exclaimed the Vicomte. He rose to his feet, starting at her, and twisted his mustache—a habit in moments of bewilderment.

Almee plunged into her tale breathlessly. She made it brief; it was also very jumbled. But the thread managed to unravel itself. Before she finished, Bertrand turned away. His shoulders quivered and shook, the back of his neck was crimson.

"You're laughing!" cried Almee accusingly. "But no!" gasped the Vicomte, choking. "It is grief. Grief and sympathy—for you—mademoiselle."

"You are laughing!" said Almee stepping in front of him. "Go on then—laugh! If you can laugh at that, you're—you're all right! Billy says—" She checked herself, and suddenly began to laugh, too; a very rainbow of laughter and tears. "But what's to be done? It's the finish!"

Bertrand turned and caught her by the hands. "We shall find a way!" he cried. "Courage! Bah! but that is an unbecoming remark. If you had not courage you would not be here. Who should betray you?"

"Diana," Almee told him of the encounter in the bedroom. "It cannot be! She has a heart. Under that icily exquisite exterior, a warm heart beats. It must be softened."

"A heart? Di? She's a—," Almee stopped just in time. "I'm afraid it's

quite hopeless. I only told you because I was in despair." "A De Jussac never despairs! Especially when there is a charming little lady to be rescued from the Philistines. The difficulty must be overcome at any cost. Ah!" he exclaimed, coming near to her. "I believe I have it! Listen."

"Oh!" said Almee with a gasp. She had become conscious that they were not alone.

"Alexander stood before them, in a black dressing gown, a candle in his hand. He only needed bell and book to be the very image of an abbot in the act of pronouncing excommunication. De Jussac started violently, and frowned. Alexander took no notice of him; his eyes were fixed on Almee.

"What does this mean?" he said sternly. "Diana's found me out, and she's going to tell Aunt. First thing in the morning," said Almee, with the calm of despair. "And I've told Monsieur de Jussac. I simply had to tell somebody. And everybody will know tomorrow."

"Rather a delicate position, Monsieur le Curé—ah?" said Bertrand dryly, and not without satisfaction. Alexander flushed to the ears and hung his head. He looked so ashamed and wretched that Almee felt a pang of remorse.

"For myself," he said unsteadily, "I will face the exposure and the penalty—for I have deserved it. It is you, Almee, that I should have wished to save. I would sacrifice myself to do it now, if there were any way, but I see none. You—and Georgina. That is all that matters."

"Tens! The true ring!" cried de Jussac enthusiastically. He seized Alexander's hand and shook it with heartfelt warmth. "Never reproach yourself, mon ami. From first to last, you have acted on giant homme!"

"You've been a brick, Alexander. And you'd better go, and not hear any more—I'll keep you out of it if I can," said Almee quickly.

Alexander looked at his cousin. "I will go, then," he said, "on condition that you return to your room immediately, Almee."

"All right, I will." "Assuredly—she shall go at once!"

Till the morning then, Monsieur F' Abbe, and have no fear. The danger shall disperse itself," said Bertrand, and almost forcibly he ushered the bewildered Alexander out of the room. Bertrand darted back, and caught Almee by the hands. "Not a word! I shall consider it an honor—a privilege. It is the one situation in which prevention becomes a virtue! Retire, then, mademoiselle, and sleep soundly. A way shall be found out of this impasse, I pledge myself to it—for de chevalier! The morning shall bring, not disaster, but happiness!"

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The News is read by the permanent reading classes.

Advertisement for Fresh Cream Puffs VARNEY THE LIVE CANDY MAN THE POPPY. Includes address: 133 Shoehone No. Phone 1569. Three 5c Packages Hershey Gum 10c This Week.

Advertisement for Swift & Company Year Book 1923, featuring an illustration of a cowboy on a horse.

Advertisement for Swift & Company products, including meat, stock, and wool, with the slogan 'It Starts There'.

Advertisement for Swift & Company 1923 Year Book, providing contact information for U.S. Yards and Chicago.

Home-made Advertisements

Some folks say it doesn't pay to advertise, BUT WE KNOW BETTER, when you can say the right thing at the right time. But that is awful hard to do.

On the 12th of February we told you that we loved our enemies and to prove it we would sell them SCREENED NUT COAL FOR \$8.00 per ton, and if they did not have any money we wouldn't charge them anything for it.

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DIRECTORS ASK FOR CHANGE IN CONTRACT FORM

Objectable Clauses to be Taken Up at Meeting with Officials of U. S. Reclamation Service

After discussing the form of the government contract for the building of the American Falls reservoir and the purchase of water...

Chamber Offices Will be Changed

Board of Directors Selects a Ground Floor Location in the Woods Building

The board of directors of the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce completed arrangements Wednesday for moving the offices of the organization from the present location in the Boyd building to the new quarters in the Woods building...

Test Out New Wheat

Shipment of Federation Variety Sent Here to be Subjected to Experiments on Farms

A shipment of 450 pounds of Federation wheat has been sent to R. E. Broadward, county farm agent, by the experiment station at St. Anthony, N. M.

Dairy Marketing to be Discussed

Will Present Plans at Series of Meetings Looking to Formation of County Association

A series of dairy meetings throughout the county has been scheduled for next week looking to the formation of plans for cooperative marketing of dairy products.

L. S. OTTO REPORTED TO BE CRITICALLY ILL

Prominent Farmer Lies in Hospital at Caldwell in Gravo Condition, Reports from Home at Filer Indicate

L. S. Otto, a farmer well known throughout the Twin Falls district, is in a hospital at Caldwell critically ill as a result of complications following an operation there Wednesday.

SALLADY TAKES OVER ELECTRIC SERVICE PLANT

Two Business Concerns Combine Under Common Management Through Incorporation of Hardware Company

The business of the Electric Service station was Wednesday combined with that of the Salladay Hardware company through the incorporation of the latter concern, with a paid up capital of \$50,000 and the organization of the two businesses under common management.

WHEAT GROWING ASSURED

Presence of Lime in Land of Twin Falls County Ahead of That of Any Other Section of Entire Country

Wheat, corn and livestock would hold first place among the leading crops of this section was the belief of L. L. Breckenridge of the Milling and Elevator company, Seattle, who addressed the weekly meeting of the Board of Agriculture here in the evening of February 14.

BERRY INDUSTRY IS GIVEN BOOST

Farmers at Meeting Here Form Basis of Permanent Organization of Farmers

Another step in the direction of more intensive farming and greater profits from side line activities on the farm was taken Wednesday afternoon when a group of farmers met in the Business Men's club rooms here and formed the basis of a permanent organization to advance the culture of berries and small fruits in Twin Falls county.

Point Out Profits

Although the attendance was rather small, those present were enthusiastically in favor of the proposition, and several addresses were given in which was pointed out the profit and benefits that can be realized from planting to berries spaces on farms.

Deaths

William Griggs, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Griggs who reside on a farm between Filer and Buhl, died Wednesday afternoon of a complication which had afflicted him for the past year.

FUNERALS

Funeral services for James M. Arnhart, age 74, who died at Kelchita, Kansas, Saturday, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Methodist church at Filer, by the Rev. W. W. Gentry, Twin Falls officiating.

HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGES FLOURISH IN NEW HOME

Game Birds Released by Sportsmen's Association Increase and Promise Favorable Sport in Future

In answer to several recent communications to the Southern Idaho Fish and Game association by sportsmen of this vicinity, asking as to the welfare and present status of the 40 Hungarian partridge liberated on the game preserve here a few weeks ago, members of the association state that the birds are getting along very satisfactorily.

Personal

Wants to Sell Lake - Mrs. G. G. Allen left for Salt Lake Wednesday.

Visiting Relatives - George Thron from Pocatello is visiting relatives in town.

Murtagh Visitor - Mrs. G. H. Truitt from Murtagh was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

Burley Man Visits - R. C. Rich came down from Burley Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Makes Brief Stay - Mrs. J. R. Wilkinson from Minidoka was here between trains Wednesday.

On Shopping Trip - Mrs. Oliver Johnson came up from Murtagh Wednesday on a shopping trip.

Will Visit Friends - Mrs. D. D. Alvord will visit Burley Wednesday for a short stay with friends.

Salt Laker Travels - E. L. Smith of Salt Lake, was a passenger on the eastbound train Wednesday evening.

Here for Visit - Truman O. Boyd, junior, arrives here Wednesday evening from Los Angeles for a visit of indefinite duration.

Comes From Ogden - Miss Luella Owen came from Ogden Wednesday, intending to make Twin Falls her home for some time.

Leaves for Iowa - E. S. Thomas, who has been here on business for two weeks, left for Fairfield, Iowa, Wednesday evening.

Here on Business - C. E. Monson, a former business man of Twin Falls, but now a resident of Long Beach, Cal., is here on business.

Concludes Visit - Mrs. F. J. Conklin from Soldier Summit, Utah, who has been the guest of her son, returned Wednesday evening.

Old-Timer Returns - Ross E. Bonham, one of the old-timers of Twin Falls, is here making his new home in Pacific Grove, Cal., on legal business.

Return From Burley - Mrs. Fred Harter and little son, Mrs. H. G. Harter returned from Burley, where they had been visiting Carl Harter and family.

Visits Wife and Son - V. R. Bell, superintendent of Murtagh schools, was here for a short time Wednesday visiting Mrs. Bell and their high son at the county general hospital.

Starts Millinery Store - Miss Osa Gray, who has been connected with the Lily millinery store here for several years, left Monday for Portland where she will establish her own store.

Goes to Portland - Mrs. Fannie Wrangell left Wednesday evening for Portland, where she will make her home with her brother, J. O. Browning. She was accompanied by Mr. Browning's mother and children.

Returns to Idaho - R. C. Cochran who has been living at Eagle Butte, S. D., returned to Twin Falls where he will stay. Mrs. Cochran has been here for some time. They intend to make their home on a ranch near town.

Returns From Coast - F. B. Heinecke, manager of the Nilley-Channel Lumber company yard here, returned Tuesday from Long Beach and other points on the coast where he has spent several days on a business trip.

Need Farm Hands - Several communications to the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce from farmers stating that they are in need of farm hands and asking assistance from the county agent in finding reliable workmen.

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WEATHER STATISTICS

Table with columns: Station, High, Low. Includes Helena, Montana, and Twin Falls data.

Society

Edited by Mrs. B. R. Williams, Telephone 395.

The current events department of the Twentieth Century club gave its annual Valentine luncheon in the private dining room at the Hotel Rogerson, which was elaborately decorated for the occasion on Wednesday.

The M. S. and S. club held an all-day meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eldred Wednesday. After the meeting the tables were set for a charge of the program committee consisting of Mrs. Sturgeon, Mrs. Darling and Mrs. Jamerson.

On Tuesday evening the Pythian Sisters met at the City Hotel and went to the theater, afterward adjourning to the home of Mrs. D. Harvey Cook, where a chili supper was served.

Members of the Winona club enjoyed a beautiful Valentine luncheon at the home of Mrs. A. G. Gentry on Eighth avenue north, Wednesday. The table was most attractive with candleabra containing red candles, hearts and cupidus added to color scheme.

Members of the Presbyterian church with the Aid and Missionary societies are giving a "get together dinner" and reception for new members on the evening of February 22. A good program will follow the dinner.

Mrs. H. P. Burger was hostess to the Home Club Wednesday afternoon. The usual games of bridge were played, with Mrs. C. R. Stevens winning the favor for highest score.

Mrs. P. E. Meull, Mrs. Roy Evans and Mrs. Reese were hostesses to the members of the Unity club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Meull. The rooms were charmingly decorated with the symbols and colors dedicated to St. Valentine.

Negotiations Lag in Criminal Action

Move for Dismissal of Charges Against Physician, Patient and Nurses Continues

Negotiations looking toward dismissal of a criminal action instituted Monday against Dr. J. R. Morgan, Mrs. T. W. Williamson and three nurses in a dispute over the county general hospital, were continued Wednesday without definite results.

The negotiations were inaugurated Tuesday following the admission by the prosecutor of probably inability to prosecute the action successfully. Terms of dismissal, it was learned, included the granting by the accused persons of a waiver of rights to institute action against H. B. Hamilton, deputy sheriff, the complaining witness on charges of illegal prosecution. It was understood that Dr. Morgan had consented to such waiver, but that others of the accused persons had declined to do so.

Two interesting talks and a supper were given on the subject. Dainty refreshments carrying out a color scheme of red and white were served, and all present received a heart souvenir.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Coughlin was the scene of a delightful party Tuesday evening when Mrs. Coughlin entertained about 50 for the benefit of St. Edwards church. Favors for high score were won by Miss Mary Deagle and her brother, Mr. Deagle, and consolation prizes were awarded to Miss Casey and Mr. Filer. The rooms were profusely decorated with Valentine symbols and painted plants. There were 10 tables of players and at the conclusion of the games a two course luncheon carrying out the Valentine colors, was served. Mrs. Coughlin was assisted in serving by Mrs. John Leahy, Mrs. Metch and Mrs. Owen Buchanan.

The Social club of the Eastern Star gave a charming dinner Tuesday evening for Mrs. Ann Jane Haley, grand matron of Idaho, and all members of the chapter. The tables were beautifully decorated with candles, flowers and baskets, the color scheme being red and white, while the Star colors were effectively used around the dining room. Seated at the head of the table were Grand Matron Mrs. Haley, Past Grand Matron Mrs. P. W. McElhorrath, and Worthy Matron Mrs. Marcus Wars, and Worthy Patron Dr. F. C. Beebe. The past matrons were seated on one side of the table, and the present officers of the chapter on the other. Before the opening of chapter Mrs. Haley gave a vocal selection, accompanied by Mrs. A. W. Ostrom of Buhl, graciously responding to an encore. A number of out-of-town guests were in attendance, and two candidates, Mrs. Whitney and Gertrude Seal, were initiated. The grand matron gave a most interesting and instructive address, and complimented the new officers on their efficient work.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS. The Catholic Women's league will hold their regular meeting (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock in the Business Women's club rooms.

The Union missionary prayer meeting which was to have been held Friday evening, February 16, has been postponed one week and will be held on February 23 in the Methodist church.

If your property is desirable and advertised in the classified-you'll find your buyer.

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JOS. T. KRIVANEK, Water Works Supt.