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DAUGHTERY MAY
TAKE HIS FIGHT
BEFORE PUBLIC

Pleading His Cause to American People Only Recourse if Convicted without Chance of Fair Trial

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Attorney General Daugherty threatened to take to the country his fight to retain his place in the cabinet.

If a Senate raid, already had convicted him without hearing and on "insinuation and falsehood," nothing remained for him but to plead his cause before the bar of public opinion.

The attorney general's challenge was issued after it had been disclosed that the oil committee was investigating a report that he had dealt in Sinclair oil stocks.

This report, brought to Washington by a special investigator, not only has been made before the committee, but also has been called to the attention of President Coolidge by Chairman Lenroot and other administration leaders in the White House.

Writes Op. Letter.

In his public statement, which took the form of an open letter to Senator Pepper, republican, Pennsylvania, Mr. Daugherty made no specific mention of the reported oil stock transactions or of any of the individual charges made publicly against him. Instead he declared in general terms that some members were denying him constitutional privileges which are accorded "the basest criminal."

"Is the preservation of the orderly process of the law and the preservation of constitutional rights of no importance?" he asked. "Shall reputations be destroyed and public officials driven from office by clamor, insinuation and falsehood?"

The letter was written to Senator Pepper in response to a note which the senator sent him late yesterday after he and Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the republican leader, had urged upon President Coolidge the resignation of Mr. Daugherty.

The attorney general wrote that he noted with amazement "your suggestion that my interests are not to be decided on the basis of justice or equity," even though my honor, reputation and all that I hold dear in this world are at stake.

Quoting Senator Pepper that Mr. Daugherty "is on the wrong side of an issue in the mind of the public," the letter said that apparently that state ment referred to the charges made in the senate Tuesday by Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana.

"You have concluded," Mr. Daugherty wrote, "that I am on the wrong side of an issue without hearing, without evidence, and accepted as final the statements of a few men. I am charged with no political activity, and I am never to be a party to such a program."

Senator Pepper said in a statement tonight that he had sent his letter to the attorney general after he had left the White House because it had occurred to him that perhaps in performing his official duty he was being placed in the position of saying something about a man behind his back. "He added that he did not regard his committee as an official body, and he refused to comment on Mr. Daugherty's letter."

EVERYTHING SET
FOR BIG DERBY

Ashton Folks All Excited as Moment of Starting Race Draws Near; Trail in Shape

ASHTON, Idaho, Feb. 21 (AP)—This little town at the western gateway of Yellowstone national park was all excitement tonight on the eve of the annual 25-mile dog derby. The trail through the forest was packed with plenty of snow and the temperature low.

"Tad" Kent and "Smoky" Gaston, the latter winner of the race last year, were the favorites. Kent finished only a few seconds behind Gaston in the 1923 classic, and has hopes of lifting Gaston's honors tomorrow. Because Gaston is the lead dog of the Canadian team, has pneumonia, it is declared a certainty that Miss Lydia Hutchison of Ashton, will not drive the northern entry as she has been planning. Instead, Trainer "Shorty" Busick is scheduled to pilot a headless team. "Lyd," as Miss Hutchison is known by all Ashton residents, decided Trainer Busick would have a better chance with the Canadian team. If there were no lead dog and a result she has reached the point of many for her sportsmanlike attitude in the matter. Hundreds of visitors are here from the outside, and as a result accommodations at hotels are scarce.

ORDER GERMANY TO PAY
FOR SINKING LUSTANIA

OSBORNE IS ARRAIGNED

IDAHO FALLS, Feb. 21 (AP)—Leon T. Osborne, father and manager of "The Idaho Star," Osborne, juvenile motion picture star, was arraigned in probate court here today charged with violation of the theatrical prohibition act, a state law which prohibits the exhibition of juveniles for gain, and was remanded to jail. His bond was set at \$2500.

FIRE RAGING

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 21 (AP)—Fire in the Central Arcade in the center of the business section of Miami was reported burning fiercely at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The city's entire fire department was called out.

ROBERTS' CONDITION BETTER

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 21 (AP)—Theodore Roberts, the actor, who has been ill here for several months, was able to sit up in bed today. His condition was reported improved.

URGE WARREN AS
MEXICAN ENVOY

Coolidge Nominates Detroit Man as Ambassador; He Accepts Reluctantly

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Another step in the full resumption of diplomatic relations with Mexico was taken today when President Coolidge transmitted to the senate the nomination of Charles B. Warren of Detroit to be ambassador at Mexico City. The Oregonian in turn is expected to name one of its members to represent the Mexican government in Washington.

The selection of an ambassador for the post, which has not been officially vacant for more than five years, is regarded here as a further indication of the desire of the Washington government to do what it can to aid Mexico. The Oregonian, however, has been having stable and responsible government. Since the Oregon government was recognized by the United States last summer, a charge d'affaires has represented the Washington government at Mexico City. The selection of Mr. Warren is understood to be especially pleasing to President Coolidge. He will be replaced by Mr. Warren. He is a special American commission sent to Mexico City by President Harding last year which concluded an agreement with the Mexican government under which recognition was accorded after a break in relations since May, 1920.

Mr. Warren accepted the appointment as ambassador reluctantly, having several times announced that he would not take the post. President Coolidge, however, told him his services were greatly needed and he finally consented, although for personal reasons he had preferred to remain a private citizen.

BURKS CHOSEN AS COACH

Joe Burks, son of the late W. W. Burks of Twin Falls, has been appointed by the board of trustees, director of Washington State college, as an assistant coach of the college, according to word received here Thursday evening. Burks, who was declared ineligible by the Pacific Coast conference, as he had played with the Whitman College Missionaries as a freshman.

Burks will assist "Heck" Applequist in the spring coaching of the Cougars. Head Coach Applequist is in the east will return to the state college within the autumn.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY
WILL BE OBSERVED HERE

Washington's birthday will be observed today in Twin Falls with suspension of much of the federal, county and city business, and by special programs in the schools which, however, will not be suspended. At 2 o'clock this afternoon, closing at that hour being determined upon to permit pupils to attend the high school Parent-Teachers association presentation of Miss McCott's classic, "Little Women," in the high school auditorium for the benefit of high school playground equipment fund. Afternoon and evening performances covered the ground.

The postoffice will be closed all day, and all city departments, except the police station, will close.

It had not been determined Thursday evening whether the office would close, but trial in a case begun Thursday in district court was to be resumed this morning.

POINCARRE WINS VICTORY

PARIS, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Poincarre government weathered the long-expected crisis in the senate today when in a test vote on the electoral bill the premier was sustained by a vote of 155 against 134.

Award of \$1,000,000 Only Part of Claims Arising from Great Disaster; Largest Payment Is \$130,000

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Under an award of the German-American mixed claims commission, involving only part of the claims arising from the sinking of the British liner Lusitania, the German government must pay approximately one million dollars reparation for losses sustained by Americans through death, injury, property damage, or otherwise in that disaster. The decision was handed down today by Judge Edwin D. Parker, umpire of the commission, in 57 cases representing only the first group of Lusitania claims.

Eighty-eight separate awards were made this morning in the cases involving property damage or destruction carrying five per cent interest a year, dating from May 7, 1915, when the Lusitania was sunk, to the date of December 1, 1923, when the commission handed down its opinion in the case determining the measure of damages. Forty claims were denied in today's decision.

Judge States Facts

In handing down his decision, Judge Parker made a brief statement of the facts in each case and applied them to the rule laid down in the Lusitania opinion of November 1.

The cases came to him for decision because of disagreement between the American commissioners, Charles P. Anderson, and the German commissioner, Wilhelm Kieselbach.

In the death cases, according to the opinion, the basis of damages was the value of a life lost or the loss sustained by the estate of the deceased, but the losses to claimants resulting from the death, "in so far as such losses are susceptible of being measured by pecuniary standards."

In determining the amount of compensation for such losses, the umpire took into consideration the amount which the deceased had not been killed, would probably have contributed to the claimant; the pecuniary value to such claimant of the deceased's personal services; the claimant's education or supervision and a reasonable figure for such mental suffering or shock, if any, caused by the violent severing of family ties, as claimant actually must be sustained by the record of such death.

The largest award made today was in the case of Mrs. May Davies Hopkins Gilmer and May Davies Hopkins Gilmer, who at the time of the sinking of the Lusitania were the wife of the president of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co. Mrs. Gilmer at the time was 44 years old when he went down with 127 other Americans on the big liner.

FOUR CITIES BID FOR
DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Twin Falls, Gooding, Grangeville and St. Maries Would Entertain Idaho Bourbons at Two Conclaves

BOISE, Feb. 21.—Four cities are bidding for the democratic state convention to be held this summer, the places for which will be determined at the meeting of the democratic state central committee Saturday, according to J. P. Pope, Ada county member of the committee. Twin Falls and Gooding seek to host a full state ticket, and St. Maries and Grangeville are in the field for the May convention to choose delegates to the national convention. Twin Falls is bidding to host the Grand hotel at 2 o'clock Saturday.

In addition to fixing the places for the two conventions, the committee will decide on the method of choosing delegates to the May convention, the qualifications for voting for delegates to this gathering and the appointment of delegates to each county.

Rivalry for the August meeting is especially keen, Mr. Pope said. The Gooding Chamber of Commerce, at its Wednesday meeting, voted a formal invitation to the gathering, and authorized the sending of a delegation to the committee meeting. Twin Falls must still have its delegation here Saturday to plead its cause.

Choice of a state chairman to succeed W. H. Hornbrook, now living in California, is a matter to be discussed by the bureau committee.

TWO DISEASED ANIMALS
INFECT BIG SWINE HERD

Dr. W. A. Sullivan, Federal Veterinary Inspector, Tells of Spread of Hog Cholera in Southeast Idaho

Two diseased animals purchased from a neighbor who did not suspect the nature of their malady, spread hog cholera in a herd of 300 swine owned by a breeder in the vicinity of Lay, Idaho, according to Dr. W. A. Sullivan, inspector in charge in Idaho for federal bureau of animal industry activities, who returned here Thursday after having in immunization of the diseased herd.

Eight animals of the herd had contracted the plague when federal and California veterinarians arrived with Dr. Sullivan said. The disease in this case is believed to have been brought under control as a result of measures taken by the veterinarians.

WILSON'S FACTS
ARE DEFENDED
BY BERNSTORFF

Former German Ambassador to United States Holds Charges of "Betrayal" of Teutons as Entirely Untrue

BERLIN, Feb. 21 (AP)—Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, raised his voice as one of the defenders in Germany of the late Woodrow Wilson. In the weekly Deutsche Einheit, Von Bernstorff defended Wilson against almost universal charges by the Germans of a betrayal of Germany and also calls the German public's attention to the attitude of the generally respected statement that "Germany laid down arms in the world war through belief in President Wilson's 'fourteen points.'"

"This is a falsification of history as everyone knows who was present at the negotiations," says Bernstorff. "We laid down our arms because army leaders were completely misled by a catastrophe and only when we called for President Wilson's help in connection with his fourteen points."

It may be doubted whether it was clever for address the president whom we had opposed two years before. But in its result his intervention was successful, for he got by it a moral right, the Versailles treaty became a treaty of agreement, while otherwise it would have been only a consequence of un-military destruction."

In his article Count von Bernstorff reminds the Germans that President Wilson fought successfully for Germany at Versailles on the question of boundaries. He says that without the intervention of President Wilson Germany would have lost the Rhine and the river Sarre. Von Bernstorff mentions one of Wilson's last speeches, in which the future president said that the future had made the Versailles treaty null. In conclusion he urges Germans to be temperate in their estimate of Wilson.

TWO PRISONERS
ASSIGNED HERE

Gordon Greenfield and William Prough, Sentenced in Federal Court, Come to Local Jail

Gordon Greenfield and William Prough, sentenced in federal court at Boise to terms of approximately 10 years, were two of a party of seven prisoners who were turned over Thursday by United States Deputy Marshal S. H. Smith to the local authorities of Twin Falls, Cassia and Minidoka counties to serve out their sentences.

Greenfield, convicted of theft from the U. S. mail, was sentenced to 10 years in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan. Prough, arrested by Twin Falls police Friday evening of last week in a raid on the premises at 131 Main avenue where moonshine whiskey was seized, pleaded guilty to violating the federal prohibition laws, and was sentenced to serve 40 days' jail sentence and pay \$100 fine. Sentence in Prough's case is said to have been modified by the court in view of a plea for leniency on account of Prough's youth and ill health, and the fact that he is a native of this county.

Prough, arrested by Twin Falls police Friday evening of last week in a raid on the premises at 131 Main avenue where moonshine whiskey was seized, pleaded guilty to violating the federal prohibition laws, and was sentenced to serve 40 days' jail sentence and pay \$100 fine. Sentence in Prough's case is said to have been modified by the court in view of a plea for leniency on account of Prough's youth and ill health, and the fact that he is a native of this county.

The contingent delivered by the federal court to the custody of the county jail included four persons taken in custody in recent liquor raids made at Burley by federal prohibition agents. The prisoners were Joe Halbo, sentenced to serve six months in jail and pay \$500 fine; Pio Gargen, four months and \$200; Victor Bernheim, four months and \$200; Jess Palmer, sentenced to serve six months in jail and pay \$500 fine for violation of the prohibition laws, was delivered into the custody of the jail at Rupert.

While in Twin Falls Deputy Oylear served upon Matias Iduana, Burley, a warrant of arrest based on indictment returned by the federal grand jury at Boise. Iduana is a prisoner in the county jail here, serving sentence imposed by the federal court for infraction of the prohibition laws.

The deputies with their prisoners made the trip from Boise to Twin Falls in a motor stage and after delivering them to the primary custody of the county jail, continued their journey by rail.

CROP DIVERSIFICATION URGED.
SUGAR CITY, Mo., Feb. 21 (AP)—Crop diversification was urged as a cure for many of the financial ills besetting farmers and bankers alike by speakers at a regional conference of bankers of the Tenth Federal Reserve district here today.

D. H. Otis of Madison, Wis., director of the agricultural commission of the American Bankers' association, told how crop rotation yielded a return on bigger bank accounts and community prosperity.

Other speakers stressed the close bond between banker and farmer.

Ashurst and Phipps
Argue Over Charges
As to Power Project

Colorado Senator Is Accused of "Putting Money in His Own Pocket" by Opposing \$250,000 Appropriation for Yuma Plant; Wanted to Await Final Report of Fact Finders

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Senator Phipps, republican, Colorado, was accused today in the senate by Senator Ashurst, democrat, Arizona, of voting to put money into his own pocket when he opposed an appropriation of \$250,000 for a hydro-electric plant in the Yuma irrigation project in California and Arizona.

Warning Senator Ashurst not to impute motives, Senator Phipps told the senate he voted as he did not because he was a stockholder in the Southern Sierra Power company with which the proposed government hydro-electric plant would compete.

He explained that he and other committee members felt that no new expenditures should be made in irrigation projects until after the report of the fact finding commission of the department of the interior investigating these projects is available.

Senator Smoot Explains

Chairman Smoot of the appropriations committee said this was the reason which actuated the committee in eliminating from the interior department appropriation bill the provision which has been recommended by the budget bureau and has been approved by the house. He called attention that similar action was taken with respect to other irrigation projects.

Senator Ashurst was vigorous in his attack on the committee. He charged that official records had been kept of the charges against him, and that the bill, when this one was reached "the stenographer lifted his pen."

"There is such a thing as being above pride and below pride," declared Senator Ashurst.

"Yes, there is," replied the Colorado senator. "I came to the senate without one pledge or promise outstanding. I have held my place here, I believe, devoting my life to the service of my country. I have never been approached by any individual or company or the representatives of a steamship company, and I have been at any time asked how I should vote nor has an attempt been made to induce me to favor any particular measure."

"Sitting as a member of the committee, as was my perfect right, no steamship company, nor any other company, has been able to receive from the Southern Sierra Power company. The chairman of the subcommittee (Mr. Smoot) and myself both noticed this item for a power plant in the Boise, Idaho, project, in the bill and it was beyond question the sentiment of the committee that no new expenditures should be made until after the report of the fact finding commission is available for the department of the interior and for our committee."

Concedes Rights

Senator Ashurst said he did not criticize Senator Phipps for being a stockholder in the power company, as he has "the right to be so interested," but he added that he did not think a senator should vote under the circumstances.

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DATES SET FOR
FEBRUARY EVENT

Club Women and Business Men to Present "Smile and Style" Show March 12 and 13

Twin Falls "Smile and Style" show, in which women of the community, business club and local business men, through the chamber of commerce, are co-operating, will be held Wednesday and Thursday, March 12 and 13, at the new meeting. Thursday afternoon of representatives of the participating organizations in the chamber of commerce offices.

In connection with the style show proper there will be presented an amplified production of the home talent performance lately produced by the theatrical group of the chamber of commerce.

In a local theater and will be given on both days of the "Smile and Style" event. Mrs. H. C. Gettler has consented to take general charge of arrangements for these attractions.

In the meeting Thursday the women's organization was represented by Mrs. W. O. Chapman, Mrs. C. J. Schroeder, Mrs. H. C. Gettler, Mrs. L. Friedman and Mrs. J. D. Whelan. The business men's representatives were Kenneth Beach, P. W. Dunlap and E. J. Finner.

IDAHO PRAYER
Friday: Unsettled, probably snow.

BOURBONS WANT AIR-TIGHT BILL ON TAX CHANGE

Democrats Join G. O. P. Insurgents on Amendments But Refuse Support for Corporations Profits Levy

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Democrats jammed on the Senate the revision of the revenue bill today, after joining republican insurgents in gaining some amendments, and refused to support an amendment offered by this group proposing a 12 per cent undistributed profits of corporations.

In opposing this amendment, Representative Garrett of Tennessee, and Garner of Texas, the democratic leaders in the "tax fight," declared it was "un-sound" and warned their party that it must not so change the bill, already carrying the democratic rate schedule, that ground would be given for a present denial vote.

The coalition just previously had overruled a decision of the chair that the amendment was not in order by a vote of 164 to 150.

Debate Three Hours

With debate on the amendment occupying three hours, little progress was made with the bill today, although Chairman Green of the finance and treasury committee, in charge of the measure, predicted later a vote on passage would be possible by next Tuesday. An agreement reached between him and Representative Garner that no vote would be taken before that date. Consideration of the measure will continue tomorrow, although a legal holiday.

A new compromise on the income rate schedule developed in negotiations during the day between republicans organizing leaders, who are determined to upset the democratic rates when the bill is up for passage, and some of the 17 republicans who supported the Garner income tax amendment.

Representative Longworth, the republican leader, said he would be willing to cut the normal rate on incomes below \$4000 from 5 per cent to 2 per cent if the six per cent normal tax on incomes above that amount, the treasury proposal, were retained. The compromise also includes the recent offer of organization republicans to raise the maximum surtax from the 25 per cent proposed by Mr. Mellon to 27 1/2 per cent. Such a schedule, Mr. Longworth said, would be acceptable to several of the insurgents.

The vote on the Garner plan was 222 to 194, with 11 republicans absent. A majority must be secured on several preliminary votes by the republicans to make possible the overthrow of the Garner rates after the bill comes up for final vote.

COOLIDGE TO GIVE SPEECH

Address Will Be Broadcast to American People Over Radio; Is Second Since He Became President

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—President Coolidge Friday night will deliver the second radio message he has made from the White House since he became chief executive. It will be in commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington, and will be broadcast through stations WCAP of New York and WCAP of Washington.

While given in acceptance of an invitation of the International Rotary club, the address will be general in nature and directed to the American people.

Piano tuning. Phone Logan's, 108. adv.

Plan for British Flight to North Pole Is Rumored

London Paper Tells of Scheme for Round Trip Taking Only Four Days

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—The Evening News today prints a vague story that a "scheme is being prepared" for an all-British flight to the North Pole.

It says the moving spirit is Commander F. M. Bostley, a British air expert, and that the dirigible H-36 will be used. The cost of the project is estimated at 5000 pounds sterling.

It is suggested that the start may be from Pulkham and it is estimated that the round trip can be achieved in four days.

OFFER PLAN FOR AIRSHIP SAFETY

Board of Inquiry Finds No Person to Blame for Shenandoah Accident

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Safety of the rigid airship Shenandoah against accidents such as that which caused her to break away from her moorings must at Litchfield, N. H., would be best insured by putting "the weakest point of the link" of the mooring attachment outside the ship, permitting her to take the air undamaged, in the opinion of a board of officers which made a supplementary inquiry into the accident by direction of the navy department.

The report of the board, made public today, makes a technical explanation of what happened when she broke from her mooring mast and finds that all reasonable precautions for the safety of the ship had been taken by her commander and crew.

Blame Not Fixed

"There is no blame or censure resting upon anyone connected with this emergency," the board found.

The opinion of the board as to the wise provision to make against future accidents such as that under inquiry is voiced in the following language:

"That the design of the ship and connections to the mooring mast should be such that the connections to the mast should give way before the ship was damaged. This is believed to be best accomplished by making the connections between the mooring cone and the outrigger on the nose cap, the weakest point in the link, and so arranged that these parts cannot jam and become stronger than desired."



ASTOUNDING PREVALENCE

IT IS appalling to realize that probably 70% of the adult population suffers with Piles or some other form of Colon trouble.

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CHAS. L. DEAN, M.D.

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HALF MILLION PEOPLE ATTEND INDIA'S GREAT BATHING EVENT

ALLAHABAD, Feb. 21 (AP)—India's great bathing festival, Ashv. Kumbh, held every six years, recently attracted 500,000 people to the sacred spot at the junction of the Ganges and Jumna rivers.

Two million pilgrims are expected to bathe in the rivers during the festival, which lasts a month.

MAGISTRATES ASKED TO STUDY REAL FACTS AS TO LUNACY

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—In order to help them in their work, certain London magistrates will attend lectures on lunacy four days a week, commencing in March.

BRITAIN'S WET FISH BUSINESS

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)—Wet fish landed in Great Britain during 1923 totaled 10,921,540 hundredweight, valued at \$86,400,855. In 1922 the receipts were 17,749,780 hundredweight, valued at \$88,920,205.

Roast buffalo served Saturday. Magic pharmacy fountain. adv.

Northern Idaho Man Says It's Easy to Catch Baby Cougars

Goodwin Claims He Captured Three Young Animals; One to Be W. S. C. Mascot

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 21 (AP)—Catching live cougars is not such a difficult task, F. E. Goodwin of Harrison, Idaho, told an audience here, providing one does not attempt to capture any that are more than six weeks old. He recently bagged three baby cougars alive in the northern Idaho woods while on a hunting expedition for predatory animals.

"We went out under a snow-break and caught the cougars bare-handed," Mr. Goodwin said.

"They were kittens about six weeks old."

One of the animals will be given to the Washington State college as a mascot for the Cougar football team, Mr. Goodwin said. He expressed the hope that it would be a lucky mascot.

ELDERLY PRINTERS MAINTAIN TRADITIONS IN ILLINOIS FIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 21 (AP)—Two Illinois printers, Mrs. Tillie Hodge, 80, of Tipton, and Colonel W. N. Bates, 84, of Pekin, claim the distinction of being the oldest active printers in the United States. Both are hard workers and both are at work over their eyes every work day in the week. Mrs. Hodge in the offices of the Tipton Chief, a weekly newspaper, and Colonel Bates in his own print shop in Pekin.

The high cost of fuel is being given a very effective blow in Twin Falls just now, according to the word advertisement appearing in this issue of The News. The Boise Payette Lumber company is offering a very attractive price of 45.10 a cord cash, and \$5.00 on time, the lowest prices ever offered on good stove wood here. Wood is an ideal summer fuel and undoubtedly the company will be doing a rushing business of this needed commodity.

The local manager informs us that many farmers pool their orders, thus taking advantage of carload prices. adv.

At Palm Beach, Newport—wherever smart folks gather—**Lucky Strike** is a reigning favorite.



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GEORGE AND THE CHERRY TREE

THERE'S the stump; and the Thatchet; the circumstantial evidence is all in. Maybe he "couldn't tell a lie"; but with all the facts before us, maybe it wouldn't have done any good. After all, the truth is the best thing.

Our idea is to tell the truth about our merchandise, because that's what you want to know; and it's better for us to have you know it.

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THE GUMPS—THE SONG OF THE SKIRT



SEEK APPROVAL OF TERMS FOR MEXICAN LOAN

Want State Department to O. K. \$25,000,000 Advance in Exchange for Concessions in South State

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 21 (AP)—The approval of the American state department was sought today by the Mexican government upon the terms of the basic contract between the government and a syndicate of United States banks involving the proposed loan of \$25,000,000 in exchange for certain concessions in Mexico.

It is stated that the Mexican charge d'affaires in Washington upon instructions from the minister of foreign affairs has submitted the contract to Washington for approval.

The greater part of the proposed loan is understood to be on deposit in New York banks while the basic and auxiliary contracts which already have been approved by the Mexican government are being held in a local bank pending final action.

The first definite step in the tobacco phase of the negotiations was taken today when the Mexican cigarette factory, the largest in this country, is reliably reported to have agreed to sell out for \$7,500,000. The Lorillard and the British-American tobacco companies are understood to have been the purchasers as representing the tobacco interests participating in the loan.

Likewise they are observing with interest a movement which thus far has been carried out quietly which has for its purpose the passage of a constitutional amendment permitting President Obregon to continue in office for two additional years with the object of carrying out the complete pacification of the republic and complying fully with the obligations of the administration.

WARRANT CALL

Warrants of Independent School District No. 1, issued in November and December, 1923, and January, 1924, will be paid upon presentation to the treasurer of the district. Interest ceases February 23, 1924.

E. N. Flory, Treas. Ind. Dist. No. 1.

The News is read by the permanent morning classes.

High Death Rate Is Threatening to Blot Idaho Indian Tribe

Alarming Toll Being Taken Among Nez Perce Natives: Population Is 1400

LAPWAI, Idaho, Feb. 21 (AP)—High death rates to which no direct cause has been attributed are taking an alarming toll from the ranks of the Nez Perce tribe of Indians, and the passing of this group is slowly, but inevitably being enacted, according to records of the Lapwai Indian agency. At the present rate of decrease, it is predicted that in a few more generations the tribe will have become practically extinct.

With an approximate population of 1400, the tribe suffered a death rate of 25.5 per thousand for last year, the records showed. For 1922 the rate stood at 26.02. During 1923, a total of 51 deaths were recorded, as against 37 the year before. The same conditions existed in 1921, with 38 deaths registered and 12 births.

The heavy decrease in numbers is perplexing government officials, as the Nez Perce tribe as a whole live under most healthful conditions, and in a part of the state where climatic conditions are reported as excellent.

Possible explanation for the high mortality rate is the lowering vitality gradually creeping on the Nez Perce, caused apparently by the lack of infiltration of new blood through marriage with other tribes. This, it was stated, has tended to bring about a physical weakness which permits the Indian to succumb easily to ordinary ailments.

Another reason suggested is that the majority of Nez Perces are full-blood Indians and the full-blood Indians of the northwest are everywhere decreasing in numbers.

UNIQUE FEATURES WANTED IN HOME CONSTRUCTION

SPOKANE, Feb. 21 (AP)—Latest trend in home construction call for built-in wiring for radio sets and other unique features, according to statements by real estate dealers here. Two dwellings under construction in Spokane embody this and other novel equipment.

Fire and theft are being guarded against by the installation at time of construction, of fire and burglar proof vaults, it was stated.

NOTED ONE-ARMED PIANIST DIES

VIENNA, Feb. 21 (AP)—The celebrated one-armed piano player, Count Czibely, died at Budapest recently at the age of 74. Count Czibely lost his arm at the age of 11, but pursued his musical studies under several masters including Liszt. He was for some years president of the Hungarian National Academy of Music and composed an opera, "Alar."

Genuine Watkins' extracts and spices. Phone 60311.—adv.

COLLECT DATA TO SHOW EXPENSES OF STUDENTS

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 21 (AP)—Actual expenditures, incomes, and other details relative to the college student's expenses while in school will be incorporated in a survey of the entire campus of the University of Oregon, being conducted by an advanced class in advertising under Prof. W. P. G. Thatcher, of the school of journalism. It is believed that this is the first time such a comprehensive investigation has been attempted.

Under the plan, five students have been assigned to gather data. Each will interview 200 or more students and questionnaires, asking them to fill out every possible expenditure and income of the student, are being circulated.

When the investigation is concluded the results will be published. The survey is expected to furnish accurate figures on what the average student spends for tuition, clothing, board and room, and other incidentals connected with college life.

TOWN'S FIRE ENGINE STOLEN.

KRONBERG, Hesse, Nassau, Feb. 21 (AP)—Most of the 300 residents of this town are searching for thieves who have stolen the town's first and only fire engine. No trace of it has been found. Police believe the thieves intend to break up the apparatus and sell the metal for junk.

IF RHEUMATIC BEGIN ON SALTS

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Rheumatism is caused by poison toxins, called acids, which are generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In

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At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is helpful to neutralize acidity, remove bodily waste, also to stimulate the kidneys, thus helping to rid the blood of these rheumatic poisons.

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GAME BIRDS PLENTIFUL

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 21 (AP)—Game birds are unusually plentiful throughout Spokane county this winter following an extensive feeding program carried out by the county game commission, according to N. C. Roberts, member of the commission. He estimates that the 1000 Chinese pheasants liberated last year will have increased to 2000 when the season opens this year.

Roast buffalo served Saturday, Majestic pharmacy fountain.—adv.

Gland Patient Wins Race

With two and to their amazement onlookers saw a 73-year-old runner dash across the line winner of a 50-yard running race in the sensational time of 6 seconds, just 4.5 of a second short of the world's record. This almost unbelievable incident occurred at the annual fish meet held at one of California's State institutions.

It was another victory for Science, proving again that youthful vigor, stamina, ambition and power may be restored by reviving the vital glands of the body, for the winner of the race was a gland patient.

Many leading citizens are now hopefully looking to a rejuvenation of health and strength through the nourishment of vital glands in accordance with well-known scientific principles.

Dr. Arnold Lorand says in his book, "Old Age Deferred," in speaking of the glands: "We must insist upon the reinforcement of their functions, if changed by age or disease, by means of extracts obtained from the similar organs of healthy young animals." Science has now prepared such a treatment in convenient, compact tablet form—Glandogen—which combines the healthy glands of young animals with other efficacious ingredients. Hundreds of keener, vigorous men and women are today taking Glandogen.

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L. A. BEVINGTON, Sales Mgr.

Today's Sporting News

LOCALS BEATEN IN DOUBLE BILL BY FILER FIVES

Capacity Crowd Sees Denman's Squad Defeat Meteors by 25 to 22; Twin Falls Girls Lose Contest

A mob that packed the Filer gymnasium to capacity Thursday evening watched the Wildcats claw the Meteors in both games in a double header, the girls being the first to fall under the deadly scoring ability of the Filer forwards to a 25-22 victory over the red and white, while the Denmanites, under the leadership of "Egg" Love, who was the star of the evening, piled up a 25-22 count against the local girls in a game replete with thrills.

The Twin Falls players, working at their best for the season, led for the first half. With perfect teamwork they piled up an 11-4 lead in the first half, but were checked in the scoring before the end of the first half. Filer brought the count to 11-10 at the close of the half.

In the second half both teams played a fast, furious game. Filer taking the lead for the greater part of the half when Love, with the most brilliant display of the game, guarded the Twin Falls protectors off their guard and the Meteors and Filer and with it the spectators went wild. With two minutes left to play and the score 23-22 and both teams ready to collapse, Love made the final score, and sent Twin Falls hopes glimmering. The game started with Filer taking the jump and Shinn looping a neat goal followed by two more demonstrations which nullified the scorer for the time but failed to count. Twin Falls took the next count on Cole's basket and the lead was taken by Twin Falls when Jenkins converted Diehl's foul. From then on the Meteors began to pile up the count.

Timmm Scores from Center The feature of the game came in the early part of the half when Timmm, for the first time in the season, stood in the center of the floor in the center's ring and looped a perfect basket to the chagrin of the boosters of his former school. With the score piling up by leaps and bounds Filer took time out and held a conference which failed to gain for the red jerseys and the scoring went on with the Twin Falls quiet leading at the 15-minute mark by an 11-4 score. When things began to happen and the Filerites headed by Love began to open up plays that made things uneasy for the blue and white until, with 15 seconds to go, the Meteors called for time and the count stood 11-10, still in their favor. The half ended with the score unchanged and Twin Falls still leading by a single point.

Score Tied in Beginning of Half. On the tipoff Cron fouled Lapp and the doughty right forward converted the point and tied the score, 11 all, for Filer. The Filer players received a setback in the next two plays, however, when Diehl was taken from the game on four personals. Grim reported in for Diehl and Cron and Cole took advantage of the new man by increasing the Twin Falls lead four points. Filer halted for another conference at this stage with 13 minutes to go. The party broke up and Shinn scored a perfect one-handed shot from the sidelines. Jenkins scored next and Timmm fouled Love, which brought a howl of glee from the Filer fans. On the next play Fatter reported in for Grim. Filer scored and the count stood 19-20 in favor of Twin Falls with eight minutes left to play.

Fans in Frenzy. Love descended like a cyclone and gave Filer the lead for the first time in the half and for the first time since their initial score, and the crowd drowned the whistle. Jenkins again took the lead for Twin Falls which was short lived for Lapp almost immediately dropped the ball through the ring which made the score 23-22 and then with two minutes left to go and both teams down to the last ounce of strength Love rallied for the final

count and clinched the red and white victory.

Features in Girls' Game. Pauline Bickley aided by Miss Knapetra, were the deciding features of the girls' game. Shooting with deadly accuracy they eluded the Twin Falls guards time after time and piled up a 25-22 count for the first half against the usually brilliant blue and white squad and completed their riot in the second half with 17 more points in spite of the two changes in the Twin Falls lineup. The game ended with the count 25-11 for the Filerites. Margaret Selley at center and Hazel Jenkins, with Mattie McMaster, featured for the Twin Falls co-eds. The guarding of the Meteors Buchanan and Bickley, also was deserving of mention.

The Twin Falls pep band which has followed the team throughout the season, was present in full strength at Filer and gave their full share to the entertainment between halves.

Boys' Score

	G	F	P	T	To.
Navin, Jr.	0	2	0	0	2
Jenkins, Jr.	5	1	3	0	11
Cole, c.	3	0	0	0	6
Grim, Jr.	1	1	1	0	3
Timmm, Jr.	1	0	1	0	2
	10	5	5	0	22

Filer (25):

Lapp, Jr.	2	1	0	1	4
Shinn, Jr.	4	0	0	0	8
Diehl, c.	0	0	0	0	0
Grimm, Jr.	0	0	0	0	0
Love, Jr.	4	3	0	0	11
Adkins, Jr.	0	0	0	0	0
Patten, Jr.	0	0	0	0	0
	10	5	4	1	25

Referee Buckner, Gooding.

Girls' Score

	G	F	P	T	To.
Twin Falls (11)	0	2	1	0	3
McCracken, Jr.	0	1	0	0	1
Jenkins, Jr.	1	4	2	0	7
Selley, c.	0	1	0	0	1
Campbell, Jr.	0	0	1	0	1
Cook, Jr.	0	0	1	0	1
McMaster, Jr.	0	0	1	2	3
Taylor, Jr.	0	0	1	0	1
Leuz, Jr.	0	0	0	0	0
	1	10	5	3	24

Filer (26)

	G	F	P	T	To.
Knapetra, Jr.	4	6	0	3	13
Bickley, P. Jr.	6	0	0	2	12
Detweiler, Jr.	0	0	0	1	1
McClary, Jr.	0	0	0	1	1
Bickley, P. Jr.	6	0	0	2	12
Buchanan, Jr.	0	0	0	2	2
	16	6	0	11	33

Referee—Miss Snyder, Filer.

UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO DEFEATS WILLAMETTE

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 21 (AP)—The University of Idaho basketball quintet defeated Willamette university here tonight by a score of 35 to 32. During the last 20 seconds of the game the Vandals converted a free throw from foul called by the referee just as Willamette made a field goal which would have tied the score.

Goals After Convention—T. J. Lloyd, member of Twin Falls county's delegation to Idaho house of representatives, will leave this morning for Boise to extend to the democratic state committee the chamber of commerce invitation for the democratic state nominating convention.

FACTORY WINS FROM SHOE MEN

Clerks, with Badly Dilapidated Five, Total, 20 More Pins than Sugar Men

Another victory that cannot rightly be called a victory, was marked up Thursday evening at the bowling alleys when the sugar factory five won on games from the Shoe Market quintet, who took the high total of pins for the three games by a margin of 20 pins. Remarkably low scores seemed to be the main feature of the evening. Two scores each above the 500 mark and one of those is accredited to Knefel for high score mark. The shoe fitters were forced to roll two dummies in addition to George Sandholtz, third water carrier on the Trojan team, who got the other 500 score and is mentioned as a likely contender for high honors for the season since he has changed squads.

The sugar factory bowlers were conspicuous by their extremely poor bowling in the session. Team totals were: Sugar factory 123, Shoe Market 161.

The Score.

	Total
Sugar Factory	164 170 130—470
Selley	131 134 101—468
5 Silver	150 153 201—506
Dalters	162 170 130—477
Evans	165 160 152—477
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	770 754 803—2417

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TRACK MEN TO START ON PRELIMINARY TRAINING

Local High School Athletes to Begin Workouts Monday Evening in Preparation for District Contest

With 12 weeks of school before them the members of the local high school track squad will get under way Monday evening in preliminary training for the district meet which will be held some time in May.

Thursday evening after school some 60 track aspirants assembled for the first meeting of the track men of the year, and after a few remarks relative to the coming season, Coach Evans called upon Philip King, former hiller for the local school, who will take active charge of the track squad for the preliminary training and will have full charge of the distance men. King told the squad some of the things he expected of them to get the team in shape for the later finishing process.

Track Captain Larrid Jenkins, who is also president of the senior class, spoke to the candidates on the prospects for the coming season and the co-operation of the team in stamping out the interclass difficulties which started Wednesday evening with the seniors' attempt to decorate the high school dome with the class numerals. David Alvord, president of the junior class, and crack hurdler, backed up Jenkins' statements in a brief talk following Jenkins' remarks.

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Announcement OF New Store

On Saturday, February 23, we will open a new and modern Skaggs Store located at the old 3-Rule stand.

We have great confidence in this community and can foresee the rapid growth and prosperity approaching.

Our patrons of Store No. 7 have so grown in number and enthusiasm for the many savings we are offering that we feel that to better serve them requires the addition of this new store.

With these outstanding features in mind we invite all who would save on their groceries to try our nearest store for their next order.

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PROSECUTOR'S WORK ENDS FOR PRESENT TERM

Conviction of Rock Creek Rancher Charged with Driving Car While Intoxicated Clears Up Criminal Calendar

L. M. Van Eaton, Rock Creek rancher, tried Thursday in district court here on a charge of driving an automobile in a reckless manner while intoxicated last Christmas eve, was declared guilty by a jury which returned its verdict after deliberating less than an hour. Judgment on the verdict, Judge W. A. Babcock announced, will be pronounced Saturday. Maximum penalty may be 90 days' jail term and \$300 fine.

Van Eaton had appeared to the district court from judgment of the probate court involving payment of \$50 fine and \$47.35 costs on conviction of this offense.

With the return of the verdict in the Van Eaton case all cases on the criminal calendar for the term had been disposed of, and attention was turned to the trial of civil actions, a jury being impaneled Thursday afternoon in the trial of the first of several cases set that day for early trial.

Summary of Record.
The criminal calendar for the term contained 15 cases, in six of which felonies were charged, eight others in addition to the Van Eaton case, involving alleged violation of liquor laws. Two felony cases in which Mexicans were both the accused and accused parties were dismissed because of the disappearance of the complaining witnesses subsequent to the preliminary hearings. Convictions were obtained in three of the felony cases, the jury reducing the charge to a lesser one in one case, and in the fourth a disagreement of the jury resulted.

Defendants in three of the eight liquor cases pleaded guilty, two were convicted and three were acquitted. Defendants in felony cases brought to trial were Fred Brandes, charged with second degree arson, in which case the jury disagreed; Joe Nebel, convicted of kidnapping; Thomas Jensen, convicted of grand larceny; Jose Philippine Tula, charged with assault with a deadly weapon and convicted of battery.

During the period while the court has been occupied with trial of criminal cases, there was received also a plea of guilty entered by Dave Latvin, who confessed to receiving stolen automobiles. The plea was entered following two trials, both of which ended in failure of the jury to agree upon a verdict.

Hinges on Intoxication.
In the trial of Van Eaton the prosecution offered evidence to show that Van Eaton was intoxicated at the time that his car collided with that of Clifton Lowe, Kimberly, on the highway east of Twin Falls. Affirmative testimony on the part of Lowe was supported by that of four residents of the vicinity of the crash.

In his own behalf, Van Eaton testified that he was not intoxicated, and offered the testimony of Hazel Brown, a neighbor who was riding in his car at the time, and of three other persons to show that he was not intoxicated.

ARGUE OVER CHARGES AS TO POWER PROJECT

(Continued from page one)

stances which he had outlined. Later Senator Phipps, told of his part in the organization of the power company and said he had been a director of it until he came to the senate, when he had resigned, and was asked "all other offices which I held in business." As to the charge that the official stenographer had lifted his top when it came to a record of hearings on the hydroelectric plant item, the senator said nothing like that ever happened; that the house committee had held full hearings and the senate committee considered the report of that hearing.

Senator Ashurst read into the record a statement that the present cost of electric current in the Yuma district is 2.08 cents per kilowatt hour and an estimate that such power could be furnished from the proposed project at a cost of 94-100ths of a cent per kilowatt hour. Debate on the item had not been concluded before adjournment.

Shortly before and after the crash. In rebuttal the prosecution called Dr. J. B. Morgan as an expert witness who testified that shock such as might have been produced by the crash, would tend to overcome effects of intoxication.

Upon completion of trial of the Van Eaton case a jury was impaneled in trial of the suit brought by H. P. Weston, Pocatello, against Ernest Dexter to recover on a \$220 note given by Dexter in June, 1920, to the Pocatello Security and Trust company in part payment for a lot in Blue Lakes addition in Twin Falls, Weston, represented by H. J. Bonist, claims to have come into possession of the note without notice that Dexter, represented by T. K. Hackman, sought to repudiate it.

Members of the jury impaneled in this case are: H. P. Burger, P. C. Lynch, Charles Coker, H. R. Johnson, G. F. Thumert, A. E. Kiser, D. H. Cook, J. P. Johnston, P. E. Dean, John Lundahl, George P. White, Luc Manly.

Other jurors were excused until Tuesday morning next. Judge Babcock announced setting of the following cases for trial Tuesday: P. R. Cox, receiver, against Joseph Abbi; Jess Dunn against F. M. Shugally; C. E. Jones against J. S. Russell; Sidney L. Craig against T. J. Woods.

The case of Alfred Carlson against H. W. Leveke was set for trial next Wednesday.

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CLUB MEMBERS ARE HOSTESSES

Husbands Are Guests at Delightful Dinner Event Given at Country Home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foss

The country home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foss was the scene of a delightful gathering Wednesday evening when the Morningdale club entertained with a delicious dinner for their husbands.

Dinner was served at 7 o'clock at tables decorated in the club colors of pink and gold. Following dinner a very enjoyable program was given consisting of an instrumental selection by Miss Ludwig, a reading by Mrs. Roy Cochran, a vocal solo by M. A. Stronk, and a vocal solo by Miss Anna Rebecca McNew.

Some time was spent in singing old time songs by the assemblage. The remainder of the evening was spent with games of various kinds. About 60 guests were present.

Episcopal Guild Meets.

The Episcopal Guild met at the rectory Thursday afternoon with Mrs. L. P. Nissen. The usual business session was held, after which the Rev. Mr. Nissen spoke on the needs and problems of the church paper of Idaho, edited at Moscow, and called "The Churchman."

He also gave an interesting talk on the Episcopal work in Japan. Roll call was answered with scriptural quotations on missions. At the close of the afternoon Mrs. Nissen, assisted by Mrs. C. C. Higgins, served dainty refreshments. The ladies of the guild gave the Rev. and Mrs. Nissen, who have recently come from Boise to take charge of the church work here, a fruit shower.

Club Meets With Mrs. Wolf.

The Highland View club met at the home of Mrs. L. C. Wolf on Wednesday afternoon, February 20. A short program was enjoyed consisting of two vocal selections by Mrs. J. Manflore, accompanied by Mrs. Nels Jensen at the piano, and an instrumental number by Miss Irene Junker.

The members were busy with needle-

work and a delicious luncheon was served at the close of the meeting. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Mackay on March 5.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson Entertains.

Mrs. Edwin A. Wilson entertained the Ninth avenue club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. John A. Noble read an interesting paper on spring and Miss Burdick. Noble rendered several piano selections. Needlework and conversation completed a pleasant afternoon at the close of which the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Husbands Are Guests.

The members of the Mentor club entertained their husbands Thursday afternoon at the Business Women's club rooms.

The guests, numbering 42, chose their partners for dinner by matching cards which were cut in clever designs and were emblems of George Washington's birthday.

The banquet dinner was served cafeteria style, after which all were

seated at small tables each having as centerpiece a crystal candlestick with red candles and shade.

At the close of the dinner a program consisting of the following numbers was given: Three vocal solos by Miss Marie Brady, accompanied by Mrs. W. R. Chase; a reading and instrumental solo by Miss Mary Louise Bailey, and two songs by little Miss Wilma Best.

After the program the remainder of

the afternoon was spent with cards. The next regular meeting of the club will be on Wednesday, February 27, with Mrs. Cowham. Roll call is to be answered with a recipe for salad and it is requested that all respond.

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EASTERN REPRESENTATIVES
George H. Davis Co., Inc., 111 Madison
square, New York; A. E. Roeder, 111
Madison square, New York.

ANYWAY, LET'S VOTE

It is to be hoped that, no matter
what the outcome, enough people will
take the trouble to vote at next Tues-
day's election to ensure a decent show-
ing of ballots and a result which will
represent the public will and not the
will of a mere handful.

The matter should be clear by this
time to the average voter. The six
and three-quarter mill levy for school
purposes is not an "extra" expense.
By voting it we do not add to school
expense or increase school taxes over
those of the past year. In plain lan-
guage, the question next Tuesday is:
Shall we provide for the carrying on
of the schools of the district for the
next school year on approximately the
same basis as formerly, or shall we
run the schools on the curtailed levy
of eight mills for the next year?

If the latter, it will probably be
necessary to operate the grade schools
on the basis of half a day instead of
a full day, and possibly to close down
a part of the high school.

Every voter should put himself
upon the situation and make up his
or her own mind as to just exactly
which course should be pursued. A
simple majority is all that is required
to defeat or carry the election. There
is nothing at all to get excited about,
but the question is one of the most
important ever submitted to a Twin
Falls elector.

As before stated, The News is in
favor of an economical administration
of schools as possible at all
times, with due regard to the matter
of the proper education of our chil-
dren, but our ideas of economy do
not extend to a point where it would
seem either wise or expedient to vir-
tually cripple the entire educational
system of the district to effect a fan-
cied saving in taxes.

As a matter of fact the taxpayers of
this district are compelled by law to
provide a high school education for
all students who require it whether a
high school be operated here or not.
If the Twin Falls high school is closed
this obligation to provide high school
facilities does not cease with its clos-
ing, it is merely passed on to some
other high school with the tuition fees

Dreamland Adventures

JUDGE OWL'S LETTER
BY DADDY

(Judge Owl gets a very queer
letter. It is a round leaf marked
by a line which runs around in a
circle. Jack and Janet put the leaf
on a talking machine and the sound
of bird voices comes forth.)



—And that was the finish of the letter.

CHAPTER V.

Song of Springtime.

JUDGE OWL, nestled to the door to
greet the birds which he heard
singing. He looked out on the wintry
snow and was much astonished because
he saw no birds.

Behind him, Jack and Janet laughed.
They knew the birds were not there,
that the bird voices were coming from
the talking machine. But Judge Owl
never had seen nor heard a talking
machine and he was much mystified.

"Who? Who? I can hear the
voices of the summer birds just as
plain as can be, but I cannot see the
birds," he boomed. "Can the voices be
ghost voices?"

"Hut Hut Hut! The voices are com-
ing from the talking machine," laugh-
ed Jack. "Come here and listen."
Judge Owl fluttered over to the talk-
ing machine and sat before it.

"Who? Who? To be sure the voices
are coming from the talking ma-
chine," he boomed. "The birds are
caged inside. Open the door and let
them out."

Jack and Janet laughed again at
this. Then they explained that only
the voices of the birds were caged in-
side the talking machine. The birds
themselves were free and happy some-
place far away. Indeed, the voices
were telling where the birds were.

"We are in the sunny southland,"
sang the bird voices. "We are playing
among the flowers, Judge Owl, while
you are shivering in blizzards in the
wintry north."

"This is a beautiful land. Warm
breezes blow, and there is plenty to
eat."

"Who? Who? There is plenty to
eat up here in the north," boomed
Judge Owl, as if trying to answer the
voices. "And I keep snug and warm
in my barn while the blizzard rages."

"Who? Who? I am as happy as
you."

payable by our own selves. A course
of action which is hardly calculated
to materially cut down school ex-
pense.

In any event it is to be hoped that
the decision is, by substantial vote,
then at least we will not have only
ourselves to blame when the decision
shall have been reached.

HOW LONG?

There is a good deal of consolation
to be drawn from the fact that Frank
A. Vanderlip will be haled into court
and, if possible, made to pay for his
shameless attack upon the late Pres-
ident Harding.

If Vanderlip had had the facts at
back up his assertions he would pos-
sibly have been justified in his at-
tack, but there were no facts, accord-
ing to his own testimony before the
Senate investigating committee.

One does not look for this sort of
blatant lies from a man such as
Vanderlip. As a rule they emanate
from men of small minds and
piddling mentality; from little narrow
constricted folk who believe only
what they want to believe, judge all
mankind by themselves and, if the
truth were known, are generally in
the exact position which they so glibly
impute to others.

Vanderlip, by his action, has proved
himself to be rather less than half a

"But we are lonesome for the great
voices of the south, singing the bird
voices. We like the south, but we
are homesick for our nests, far, far
away. We are wondering if our nests
are being harmed by the winter storms
and if they will be ready for us when
we return."

"That is why we are writing this
letter, dear Judge Owl. We are writ-
ing to ask you to visit our nests and
see if they have been harmed by win-
ter storms or if they are in need of repair."

"Do this, please, Judge Owl, and
we shall be happier in the sunny south-
land than ever before."

Then the voices burst into a glad
melody, telling of the joys of spending
the winter in the land of warmth and
flowers.

"But still we long for home, Judge
Owl," sang the voices. "We long for
home and the first wind of springtime
will blow us north to the great woods
and flowers."

"Good-bye, Judge Owl. Give our love to Jack
and Janet."

"And that was the finish of the let-
ter. The talking machine softly had
reached the end of the line on the
round, thick leaf. The bird voices
stopped abruptly."

(What Judge Owl does about the
letter will be told tomorrow.)

man. After a career which placed him
high in the councils of the financial
and industrial leadership of the coun-
try, he is disclosed as a mere chatter-
box without enough judgment to en-
able him to pick a safe subject about
which to chatter.

But it is not the man but the prin-
ciple with which the average citizen
is concerned, and the would-be
purists in our midst right here at
home. Vanderlip will be forgotten, but
the crop is constant and the strain
never runs out in Twin Falls.

CHINESE OPERA SEASON

Portland, Oregon, is having a longer
opera season than any other cities in-
cluding in that esthetic and specu-
lar entertainment, except, of course,
New York and Chicago. The western
city is having three months of opera.
But there is no chance that atten-
dance will break records or that the
audiences which throng the theatre
will hear any of the favorites of Ger-
man, French or Italian opera that are
now being heard here and there all
over the country.

The opera season in Portland is con-
fined to Chinatown, where a company
of thirty noted singers, some directly
from the Orient, began its engagement
with the Chinese New Year.

Chinese opera, it is said, does little
with scenic and stage effects and much

Breakfast Food
"Matrimonially Speaking"

By Hugh McKay.

My wife makes too many new
friends.
She's always meeting women who in-
sist that she and Mr. McKay come
around some night next week to play
cards.

What I want to know is:
Why can't women get acquainted
without dragging their husbands into
it?

Every time my wife comes home from
a tea or a party I shudder to think
how many promises she's made to bring
me around and spend the evening with
some new acquaintance.

"I know you'll like Mrs. Dalton's
husband," she'll say. "Of course, I
don't know him, but he must be a won-
derful man, because Mrs. Dalton is so
attractive."

But after we go to see them, we
spend the next two weeks, trying to
figure out how Mrs. Dalton could have
made the mistake of marrying Mr. Dal-
ton—and also how we can avoid having
them around to see us.

This happens nine times out of ten,
but still my wife won't learn. I don't
know what makes her so optimistic
about people.

I think I'll throw away that
"Friendship" calendar on her desk—
and see if that does any good.

Tomorrow—"My husband never
puts his clothes away."
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with gorgeousness of costumes. Chil-
dren standards of musical excellence,
too, are somewhat different from ours,
so that the singers of the Chicago or
Metropolitan opera companies have lit-
tle to fear from their oriental rivals
at present.

It is well for Americans occasionally
to note the artistic affairs which go on
among our alien populations. We are
inclined too much to assume that our
"foreigners"—furnish us with nothing
but labor and problems.—Problems in
abundance they do bring, but they
bring also arts and traditions which
are beautiful, worthy and interesting.

The Idaho Auto & Supply have ex-
tended their offer of free tickets to
the movies until Wednesday, February
27, on all cash purchases of tires, tubes
or accessories amounting to one dollar
or more.—adv.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of thanking our
neighbors and friends; also the mem-
bers of the M. S. S. club for the help
and comfort given us in this time of
grief and sadness; also for the beau-
tiful floral offerings.

MR. and MRS. W. A. POE.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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Wednesday, February 20.

Orson Strong to Reuben Randall, \$1;
lot 17, block 9, Bickel addition, Twin
Falls.

Carrie Webb to J. H. Umbleigh,
lot 17, block 9, Bickel addition, Twin
Falls.

Edwin Damman to Mary A. Damman,
lot 1, NW SW 7-9-15.

Mary A. Damman to Albert Van
Stralen, \$1; lot 3, NE SW 7-9-15.

F. N. Brinton to Bessie M. Brinton,
lot 1, lot 20, block 104, Twin Falls.

G. E. Fuller to Elbert Fuller, \$1;
SW SE 27-10-17.

Thursday, February 21.

J. W. Craven to A. F. Craven, \$10;
lots 13, 15, block 83, Twin Falls.

Deed, Sheriff to W. H. Craven,
\$5000; S 1-2 NE 1-2 SE SE 20-10-17.

Deed, Twin Falls county, State of
Idaho, to W. H. Craven, \$500; lot 13,
block 5, Merchants Trade Journal ad-
dition.

Deed, Twin Falls county, State of
Idaho, to Fred S. Lloyd, \$1; lot 12,
block 67, Hollister.

Deed, Twin Falls county, State of
Idaho, to W. H. Craven, \$15; lot 25,
block 76, Hollister.

Deed, Twin Falls county, State of
Idaho, to W. H. Craven, \$5000; NE
NW NE 12-13-12.

Deed, Twin Falls county, State of
Idaho, to W. H. Craven, \$1; block 40,
Hollister.

C. A. Garrison to Mattie King, \$950;
lot 13, block 1, Olden addition.

S. E. Hawkins to R. D. Boyd, \$1.
S 1-2 SW 22-10-15.

Patent, State of Idaho to D. S. Fase
SW NE 12-13-12.

Quit claim deed, W. F. Shadon to Ed
L. Coffman, \$1; NE NW 12-10-13.

C. C. Colwell to Nibley Channel
Lumber company, \$478.67; lots 21, 22,
block 2, Northview addition.

SLEET STORM FATAL

BECKLEY, W. Va., Feb. 21 (CP)—
One death and property damage esti-
mated at more than \$100,000, resulted
from a sleet storm which swept over
Raleigh and adjacent counties today.

Pictorial Review patterns at Blason
ette Art and Baby Shop, 111 Main
avenue east. Phone 933.—adv.

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Washington

—The Dreamer

Had not Washington been a dreamer, Valley Forge
might have been the graveyard of an immortal at-
tempt instead of the turning point in the birth of a
new freedom.

Washington had a great dream—the stuff of which
great things are made.

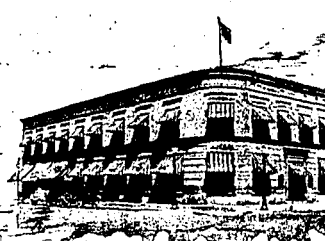
You have no finer heritage of liberty from Valley
Forge than the freedom to dream and dare and do.

It is the courage and persistence of great dreamers
that give birth to great realities.

Persist in your dreams of prosperity, of a home, a
business, for in this institution you have an ally able
and eager to help you win a new freedom—financial
independence.

The First National Bank of Twin Falls

WE SEEK MORE BUSINESS ON OUR RECORD



Attention, Farmers!

HERE IS YOUR

SUGAR BEET CONTRACT

APPROVED BY

THE IDAHO STATE FARM BUREAU

THE BEST PARTICIPATING CONTRACT EVER OFFERED IN IDAHO

(Farmers 50%—Company 50%)

Net returns per 100 lbs. received for our Sugar from Oct. 1, 1924, to Sept. 30, 1925, inclusive.

% Sugar in Coats	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50	6.00	6.50	7.00	7.50	8.00	8.50	9.00
14.0	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.11	6.62	7.13	7.64	8.14	8.65
14.5	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.38	6.91	7.43	7.97	8.50	9.04
15.0	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.65	7.20	7.76	8.31	8.86	9.42
15.5	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.31	6.89	7.46	8.04	8.61	9.18	9.76
16.0	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.50	7.16	7.75	8.35	8.95	9.54	10.14
16.5	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.10	6.81	7.43	8.05	8.67	9.29	9.90	10.52
17.0	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.43	7.07	7.71	8.36	9.00	9.64	10.28	10.93
17.5	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.66	7.33	7.99	8.66	9.33	9.99	10.66	11.33
18.0	6.00	6.00	6.21	6.90	7.60	8.29	8.98	9.67	10.36	11.05	11.74

In our opinion this contract insures you A SAFER INVESTMENT AND SURE
RETURNS than any other crop you can plant.

In order to run the Twin Falls Factory to capacity we require 10,000 ACRES OF
SUGAR BEETS. It is to our mutual interest to operate to capacity.

Insist on your merchants selling you BEET SUGAR MANUFACTURED IN TWIN FALLS.
Every sack of our Sugar sold in Idaho means MORE MONEY TO YOU FOR YOUR
BEETS.

We have opened a temporary office in the A. L. Swim office, Shoshone South, for
your convenience.

Let us make 1924 the Banner Sugar Beet Year for Twin Falls County

The Amalgamated Sugar Company

THE MARKETS

SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE CAUSES PRICES TO RISE

European Demand for Wheat Best in Weeks as Result of Ending of Dock Walkout; Corn and Oats are Steady

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP)—Reports of the virtual settlement of the British dock strike led to something of an upturn in wheat prices today. Closing quotations were unsettled but 1-4 to 3-8 to 1-2 net higher, May \$1.01 to 1.10 5-8, and July \$1.10 to 1.10 3-4. Corn finished at 1-8 to 1-4 lower to 1-4 advance, oats at a shade decline to 1-8 net gain, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 2 cents.

As a result of news that the dock strike was practically over, European demand for Canadian wheat became the best in weeks and it was estimated that 600,000 bushels of the Canadian grain were taken today for transatlantic shipment. The upward trend of values was also emphasized by gossip current that the crop scare time for domestic winter wheat is only a week or so away. Besides, primary receipts were notably smaller as compared with a week ago, farm reserves were expected to make a bullish showing, and confidence was apparently stronger than ever that the import duty on wheat would be raised before the opening of the navigation. On the other hand, it was contended that with May wheat selling under the deferred months at this time of the year the bull campaign was untenable.

Speculations of a sharp reduction soon in the volume of corn arrivals gave steadiness to the corn market and to oats as well. The predictions were largely based on a statement that the volume of corn in Illinois elevators are much smaller than usual at this time of the season. There were reports, however, that corn was arriving at Omaha fast for the demand. Clear, calm weather prevailing night also was an incentive to sell.

Lower quotations on hogs failed to produce the value of packing house products.

TWIN FALLS MARKETS

These prices are obtained daily at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and are intended to cover only the average of prices. Dealers who can furnish for short periods after more than the quoted price no effort is made to include such quotations. Quotations are offered merely as a guide to producers and should not be accepted as reflecting extremes of either high or low prices.

RETAIL MARKETS

The Twin Falls markets yesterday were as follows:

LIVESTOCK	
Heavy hogs	\$4.00 to 5.00
Medium hogs	\$4.50 to \$5.00
Light 175 to 225 lb.	\$5.00 to \$5.25
Sows	\$3.00 to \$3.25
Boilers	\$4.00 to \$4.50
Veal calves	\$4.00 to \$5.00
Lambs	\$7.00 to \$8.00
POULTRY	
Heavy hens	12c
Light hens	10c
DAIRY	
Butterfat, creamery	47c
Butterfat, station	45c
Country butter	40c
Eggs (shippers)	15c
Eggs (local stores)	17c
WHEAT AND MILL FEED	
Wheat	\$1.35
Bran, cwt.	\$1.25
Bran, 500 lb. lots	\$1.20
Stock feed, 500 lb. lots	\$1.30
Sugar, Wholesale	
Cane	\$10.98
Beet	\$10.78
GRAIN	
Great Northern	\$5.00
Potatoes, white	90c
Potatoes, russet	80c

RETAIL PRICES

Vegetables	
Potatoes, 16 lb. for	25c
Sweet potatoes lb.	07c
Head lettuce	10c to 15c
Onions, 8 pounds for	21c
New cabbage, pound	14c
Celery bunch	10c
Cauliflower, pound	20c
Fruit	
Cocoanuts	15 to 20c
Grapefruit, each	10c to 15c
Oranges, dozen	20c
Lemons, dozen	40c
Oranges, dozen	25c to 30c
Bananas, lb.	15c
English walnuts	30c to 45c
Dairy	
Creamery butter	55c
Butter, 5 lb. for	40c
Wisconsin cheese	40c

PORTLAND GRAIN MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 21 (AP)—Wheat—Soft white, February 1924; March 1924; northern spring, February 1924; March 1924.

POTATOES AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP)—Potatoes—About steady; receipts 51 cars; total U. S. shipments 128; Wisconsin sacked round white \$1.20 to 1.40; bulk \$1.40 to 1.60; Minnesota sacked round white \$1.40 to 1.60; Idaho sacked Russets \$2.15 to 2.35.

POTATO MARKET SUMMARY

IDAHO FALLS, Feb. 20.—(United States Department of Agriculture Market News Service)—Carlot shipments for the United States: Feb. 1924, 701; Feb. 1924, 55; March 1924, 100; April 1924, 100; May 1924, 100; June 1924, 100; July 1924, 100; August 1924, 100; September 1924, 100; October 1924, 100; November 1924, 100; December 1924, 100; January 1925, 100; February 1925, 100; March 1925, 100; April 1925, 100; May 1925, 100; June 1925, 100; July 1925, 100; August 1925, 100; September 1925, 100; October 1925, 100; November 1925, 100; December 1925, 100; January 1926, 100; February 1926, 100; March 1926, 100; April 1926, 100; May 1926, 100; June 1926, 100; July 1926, 100; August 1926, 100; September 1926, 100; October 1926, 100; November 1926, 100; December 1926, 100; January 1927, 100; February 1927, 100; March 1927, 100; April 1927, 100; May 1927, 100; June 1927, 100; July 1927, 100; August 1927, 100; September 1927, 100; October 1927, 100; November 1927, 100; December 1927, 100; January 1928, 100; 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SCHOOL BOARD FIGURES NEXT YEAR EXPENSES

**Tentative Budget Providing for
Total Outlay of \$227,500
Worked Out for Information
of Voters in Coming Election**

With a view to advising electors of the district as to financial requirements of the Twin Falls schools during the coming school year, the board of education at a meeting Thursday night worked out and made public at the close of the meeting a tentative budget for the school year 1923-24.

Under this tentative budget there will be spent for all purposes next year a total of \$227,500, as against the present year's budget total of \$220,766.25. In order to raise this total, there must be paid a tax levy of 14 3/4 mills. Under recently enacted state law, the district board cannot levy in excess of 8 mills without receiving authorization of the voters of the district for such extra. Accordingly an election has been called for Tuesday next at which the electors of the district will vote on the question of whether the board shall be authorized to lay a levy of 6 3/4 mills in addition to the 8 mill levy permitted without such authorization, to provide for raising the amount called for by the tentative budget.

On Tentative Basis.
Preparation of the tentative budget for the coming year was rendered difficult by the fact that actual figures of expenditures of the present year will not be determined until next July, when the budget for the coming year is made up.

The tentative budget provides for increased expenditures next year for teachers' salaries on the assumption that there will be increased enrollment of pupils just as there has been from year to year in the past, and that more teachers will have to be employed. A smaller amount is appropriated for insurance for the reason it was explained that few insurance policies, all of which run for three-year periods, will expire during the coming year.

OIL INTEREST RUNS HIGH

Interest in oil drilling operations at Elko is growing rapidly and recent developments at the last well now being sunk indicate that a gusher may be brought in within the next day or two. The pressure of oil is clearly evident and "gas" is indicated by a strong gas pressure below. According to the Elko Independent large number of people are watching the drilling and the impression that the well is about to burst on the eve of being brought in. The article seemed to say, in part:

"There seems to be no reason at this time why a definite statement cannot be made to the effect that the Elko field is proved to a satisfactory point as an oil maker, and an oil heater. This seems to be the conclusion of all geologists who have been to the field. The final development work and the contents of the buildings, which fairly 'wallow in oil,' to use the expression of an observer at the well, testified to the fact that the drill stopped in an oil bearing formation which has now developed into a rapid, the known depth of which is approximately 100 feet. What is the end? The fact that the rate of production when opened only conjecture can say at this time, but the company hopes to prove this final item within the next week."

DEATHS

FONLEY—Harold Fonley, aged eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fonley, died late Wednesday night at the family home in Hansen from complications following measles. Funeral services, according to tentative arrangements, will be held Monday afternoon at the Grossman chapel. Word is awaited from a sister in California.

SKELEY—Funeral services under auspices of the L. D. S. church were conducted Thursday afternoon in the Grossman chapel for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Skeley, Hazelton, whose death, at the age of one day, occurred here late Wednesday.

HUTCHINGS—Verdean Hutchings, aged 21 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin R. Hutchings, died last evening at the family home on Fifth avenue east, of complications following measles. The body is at the Grossman mortuary. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Twin Falls chapter, D. A. R., will meet this afternoon with Mrs. J. L. Moo, 230 Blue Lakes boulevard, at 1 o'clock.

The drama and literature department of the Twentieth Century club will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. C. Reynolds, 134 Blue Lakes boulevard.

Education Board's Estimate and Comparison of Expenditures and Outlays for Next Year

	1920-1921	1921-1922	1922-1923	1923-1924	1924-1925
1. General control.....	\$ 11,408.10	\$ 7,456.34	\$ 6,882.88	\$ 4,860.00	\$ 5,500.00
2. Instructional Service.....	177,077.93	131,735.74	109,657.54	125,880.00	127,950.00
3. Operation of plant.....	25,275.22	21,702.52	18,205.70	19,625.00	19,750.00
4. Maintenance of school plant.....	12,434.36	6,857.05	4,291.42	5,505.00	6,000.00
5. Fixed charges.....	5,077.00	4,909.37	48,437.00	54,554.14	43,781.28
6. Debt service.....	23,232.17	22,130.42	16,010.00	16,735.00	17,000.00
7. Auxiliary agencies.....	171,751.20	6,100.12	4,133.00	4,600.00	4,500.00
8. Capital outlays.....					

Grand total.....\$173,447.12 \$245,121.05 \$210,007.00 \$220,766.25 \$227,500.00

Instructional service is made up principally of salaries of teachers and principals. In "operation of plant," janitors' salaries, fuel, light and power are the items. In "maintenance of school plant," repair of buildings and replacement of heating equipment are main items. "In fixed charges," insurance on buildings is the main item. In "debt service," interest on bonds and payments to sinking fund are main items. In "auxiliary agencies," transportation of pupils is the main item. In "capital outlays," paving tax is the main item except in 1920-21, when the junior high school building was being built.

FARM INSTITUTE TO BE REPEATED

**Success Attends Hansen's First
Venture; Event Is to Be Annual One**

HANSEN, Feb. 21.—(Special to The News.)—Devoting this afternoon to discussion of poultry raising and sugar beet production, and the afternoon to small seeds production, marketing of dairy products and potato growing, Hansen's farm institute now closed its third day. The institute has been marked by a high degree of interest on the part of the community and attendance.

The first of the institute, Hansen's first event of this nature, Tom Blodgett, director of the Hansen community program, announced this evening that Hansen's farm institute next year would be held in January, and that it would be one of state-wide importance.

Egg Marketing Figures.
Following a discussion this afternoon of topics relating to poultry raising, led by Mrs. A. E. Pettygrove, W. F. Brewer and Herbert Lanning, a special meeting of the Hansen Community club poultry department was held with R. E. Brossard, county agent, to plan for co-operative marketing of eggs.

Advantages of sugar beet production were discussed by James S. Kelley, manager of the Amalgamated Sugar company, Otis Sampson and D. J. Koenig, the speakers agreeing that the beet industry here is still in its infancy and is one of the most profitable industries to which this region is adapted.

The afternoon session was opened by C. B. Ahlson, state seed commissioner, with an address on small seed production in Idaho.

Dairymen Gain Adherents.
Following a discussion on marketing of dairy products in which the case for the creamery was presented by Gustav Kanze, Buhl, and H. J. Youngs, Twin Falls, and for the cheese factory by Fred Manager Volght and H. S. Leach, manager of the Paul cheese factory, several new members were enrolled by Mr. Kanze in the county organization of dairymen now being formed, and an adjourned meeting was held of the Community club dairy department of which Guyer McVey is chairman.

Growing of potatoes with a profit under adverse conditions was discussed by Herman Kant.

The musical program for the day included a vocal solo by Miss Bernice Kirkpatrick.

Women's Council served a sumptuous dinner during the noon hour in the Community church.



ZASU PITTS SEES SIGHTS.

Oh for the hushed quiet of dear old Hollywood. Thus sighed Zasu Pitts, who went to New York for the first time to work in Glenn Hunter's first Paramount picture, "West of the Water Tower," which Rollin Sturgeon directed and which comes to the Idaho theater today.

"The last thing at night and the first thing in the morning I hear fire alarms and ambulance bells," said Miss Pitts. "The city is fascinating, but very distracting. I am not used to it. Hollywood is quiet despite reports to the contrary."

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BREVITIES

Visits From Buhl—Charles Coker of Buhl, was a business visitor here Thursday.

On Business Trip—I. B. Porrine left Thursday evening on a business trip to Chicago.

Loads Hogs for Portland—O. E. Weed shipped two carloads of hogs from here Thursday to the Portland market.

Daughter Is Born—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wilkins are the parents of a daughter, born Monday at the county general hospital.

Returns From California—Mrs. H. J. Youngs returned Thursday from three months' visit with relatives and friends in California.

Ships Sheep to Market—Twin Falls Feeder company Thursday loaded 30 cars of sheep here for shipment to the Omaha market.

Stricken With Mumps—Miss Eunice Lang, bookkeeper for the Idaho Power company, is ill at her home on Kimberly road with mumps.

Branch Foreman Returns—Del Hardy, ranch foreman for the Utah Construction company, returned Thursday from a visit to northern Idaho points.

Concludes Visit—Mrs. J. H. Cain has left, returning to her home in Fargo, North Dakota, after a visit here to her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Kingsbury.

Scout Executive Travels—F. Douglas Hawley, district scout executive, left Thursday for Rupert, where he will spend three days on official business.

Comes Back From Visit—Roy Leedom, formerly employed at the City pharmacy here, returned Thursday from California to visit relatives and friends.

Will See Dog Races—A. B. Wilkins, representative of the Gates Rubber company, left Tuesday for Pocatello and will continue to Ashton to see the dog races.

Store Manager Returns—C. E. Wright, manager of the W. H. Whight and Sons company store here, returned Thursday from several weeks' buying trip to eastern markets.

Returns From Iowa—Mr. and Mrs. C. Hodge left Thursday morning, returning to their home in Strawberry Point, Iowa, after a visit here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stinson.

End Visit Here—Miss Catherine Tracy and Miss Katherine Sullivan, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Edwin Waite, left Thursday morning returning to their home in Denver.

Amalgamated Auditor Leaves—J. R. Bachman, general auditor for the Amalgamated sugar company, left Thursday, returning to Ogden after an official visit to the company's factory here.

Takes Sorority Pledge—Miss Glen DeWitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeWitt, and an honor student at the University of Idaho, was initiated Wednesday evening as a member of Delta Gamma sorority, according to word received here.

Here to Visit Mother—Mrs. C. W. Adams of Richfield, Idaho, who is convalescing after an operation for appendicitis, which she underwent in Boise, arrived here Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. Dora Lind Johnson of South Park.

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NEW CARS GET ATTENTION

About 200 persons Thursday accepted an invitation to gratify curiosity and interest in late developments in motorization by inspection of several new models of Dodge cars on display at Magel Brothers garage. Two of the new cars, an open and a closed model, were equipped with the new "balloon" tires. The exhibition is to be continued for two more days, and thereafter the cars now on display will be used for a time for demonstration purposes.

The News is read by the permanent earning classes.

Mixed Snow and Rain Hit Twin Falls Area

A combination of snow and rain-fall Thursday brought to the Twin Falls region a total of six one-hundredths of an inch of precipitation, according to records of the government weather observer's station here.

Temperature for the day was high at 42 above, a decline of nine degrees under the maximum of the preceding day, and was low at 30 above, an advance of three points.

READ THE DAILY NEWS

NOTICE TO STOCKMEN

At the Sales Grounds next Saturday we will have a special man here from the Kansas City Stock Yards who will sell the stock.

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Our Regular \$1.00 Broom 74c

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Snolite Soap 37c

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