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WEST PREVENTS
PLAN TO CLOSE
LAND OFFICES

South Aids in Fight to Save 39
Bureaus Leaders in Admin-
stration Are Determined to
Eliminate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—The house today cleared from its legislative pathway the first of the annual supply bills, that for the interior department, and then took up the agricultural appropriation measure carrying \$80,000,000 for road construction. Before adjournment, it had concluded general debate on the agriculture bill and was well along on the reading of the measure under the five-minute rule.

As the interior bill moved toward a final vote, a majority of the members, chiefly western republicans and southern democrats, stood fast. A determined effort of administration leaders to eliminate an amendment to provide for continuance of 39 land offices in western and southern states.

Move to Keep Provisions.
No sooner had the bill been sent to the senate than senators from the states vitally interested in reclamation made a move to retain the provision for the land offices and to eliminate a section, approved by the house, to do away with the office of surveyor general. Several senators also announced their intention of procuring a substantial appropriation for the Spanish Springs reclamation project in Nevada which failed in the house when Representative Richards, democrat, of that state, attempted to amend the measure to provide \$500,000 for this purpose.

The Spanish Springs project has proved a controversial subject since it came into prominence in the closing hours of the last session, when Senator Pittman, democrat, Nevada, tied up legislation before funds for the work had been omitted from a deficiency bill then under consideration.

Appeal to Smoot.
With the project coming up again, several senators supporting it have appealed to Senator Smoot, republican, Utah, who will be in charge of the bill in the senate and, they are inclined to favor their proposal. They also claim to have been assured of a sympathetic attitude by senators who will act as managers when the bill goes to conference for adjustment of differences between the two chambers.

Representative Cannon, republican, Michigan, in charge of the bill in the house, made another appeal for economy in the house, before final passage of the measure today and demanded a second vote on the amendment proposing continuance of the land office. This amendment, offered by Representative Smoot, republican, Oregon, eliminated a section to abolish the offices. On a second vote, the Smoot proposal was sustained, 185 to 102 and the house then passed the bill by a viva voce vote.

Third of Its Road.
More than a third of the agricultural
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Philadelphia Gets
Permission to Keep
Butler for a Year

Coolidge Grants Request of
Quaker City That Brigadier
General Remain at Head of
Police.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—The city of Philadelphia was given permission by President Coolidge today to retain Brig. Gen. Smalley D. Butler, of the United States marine corps as its director of public safety for another year, but was reminded that "local self-government can not be furnished from the outside."

"The people of your city and your state are the only ones who are responsible for the conduct of their own municipal affairs," the president informed Mayor Kendrick, who had requested a three-year extension of the leave of absence given General Butler a year ago.

The president granted the extension on leave on condition that further request for General Butler's services not be made and also on condition that the federal government and especially the White House be in no wise held responsible for the conduct of his office or his relationship with the office of mayor.

Eighty-Eight Story
Office Building Is
New York City Plan

Structure That Will Eclipse
Woolworth to Occupy Block,
According to Reports.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—New York is to have an 88-story office building, outranking in height the Woolworth building, which has 51 stories, according to information obtained in real estate circles. A test to determine whether the Woolworth tower away in winds of high velocity is said to have been planned in contemplation of the new skyscraper construction. The new structure will occupy an entire block in downtown Broadway, it is said.

JEALOUSY HELD
MURDER MOTIVE

Prosecution in Kid McCoy Trial
for Killing Mrs. Mors Out-
lines Case to Jury.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9 (AP)—Prosecutors of Norman Selby, alias Kid McCoy, former pugilist, charged with the murder of Theresa Mors, divorced wife of an antique dealer, last August, expected to prove that the once idol of the hemp square murdered her through jealousy and stole from her body jewelry valued at \$30,000, according to opening statements made to a jury of nine women and three men here late today by Deputy District Attorney E. J. Donnell.

Donnell opened his statement by declaring that McCoy lived with Mrs. Mors, "upon her bounty, after he had stolen her love from her husband."

McCoy Was Drunk.
"The evening before the discovery of Mrs. Mors' body," Donnell said, "McCoy was under the influence of liquor and in an ugly mood. Later in the night he visited his sister, Mrs. Jennie Thomas, told her that he had killed a woman, left \$30,000 worth of jewelry in his sister's keeping, made a will and left."

Donnell then described the movement of the ex-fighter, which led to the Hollywood police station shortly before 11 p. m.

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MUSCLE SHOALS
BILL WILL SOON
PASS IN SENATE

Disposal of Nitrate Plant Problem Moves Slowly Forward
With Number of Amendments
Acted Upon.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—The Muscle Shoals question moved slowly today toward final settlement as the senate disposed of a number of amendments to the Underwood bill. Every amendment which Senator Underwood opposed was defeated and those he favored were adopted without a record vote. Opponents of the measure as well as its supporters looked upon the vote on the amendments as a test on the bill which is regarded as certain to pass.

Pressure Exerted.
Although senate leaders are exerting pressure to prevent prolongation of the discussion they do not expect to reach a final vote until the latter part of the week. If debate gets out of bounds the leaders plan to seek an agreement to limit discussion of amendments to five minutes for each senator.

Two amendments to the Underwood bill were passed by the senate without a record vote. One was introduced by Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, which provided that the lessee of Muscle Shoals must either be an American citizen or an American controlled corporation. The other was introduced by Senator Glass, democrat, Virginia, which struck out of the bill the requirement that funds of the operating corporation should be placed in federal reserve banks.

Amendment Defeated.
An amendment by Senator Bruce, democrat, Maryland, to place the government employees at Muscle Shoals under the civil service commission, was voted down, 65 to 6, and introduced by Senator Harris, democrat, Georgia, to prohibit the lessee from transferring any lease or interest in Muscle Shoals without consent of the secretary of war, was rejected, 37 to 29. A second amendment by Senator Harris was also defeated.

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Death of Authores
Fault of Motorman
Coroner's Verdict

Blame for Accident Which Cost
Life of Mrs. Porter Is Fixed
at Inquest.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9 (AP)—The negligence of a motorman caused the death of Gene Stratton Porter, novelist and naturalist, who succumbed here Saturday night to injuries received when a street car struck her automobile, according to the verdict at the coroner's inquest today.

As the inquest was not attended by any representative of the district attorney's office, no official statement was forthcoming as to whether a charge would be laid against the motorman.

WITNESS TELLS
OF \$5000 DEAL

Mortimer Declares He and
Forbes Split \$10,000 on Gov-
ernment Hospital Contract.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP)—Elias H. Mortimer, first witness for the government in the trial of Colonel Charles R. Forbes and J. W. Thompson for conspiracy to defraud the government through hospital contracts by the veterans' bureau, told again on the witness stand that he gave Forbes \$5000 in cash in a Chicago hotel on June 20, 1922.

Forbes at the time was director of the veterans' bureau and Mortimer, according to his testimony was agent for Thompson's construction firm, Thompson & Black, then bidding for hospital contracts.

Stands by Story.
Mortimer stood by his story through a vigorous fire of cross-examination by James S. Easley-Smith, chief counsel for Forbes. He was unmoved by the attempt of the defense counsel to establish that the story of the payment of money as related by Mortimer in direct examination differed in some respects from a story printed in some newspapers before the special senate committee which investigated the veterans' bureau. The defense has issued a subpoena of the crime.

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Readvertisement of Bids
for American Falls Dam
Will Be Started At Once

Indians to be Used
to Drive Big Deer
Herd Across Canyon

Between 3000 and 8000 Animals
to be Taken From Kai-
bab Forest to Graze; Out-
come Doubtful.

GODDEN, Dec. 9 (AP)—Arrangements for the driving of from 3000 to 8000 head of deer across the Grand Canyon from the Kaibab national forest, as part of the general scheme to alleviate the stringent grazing conditions on the Grand Canyon game preserve, have been completed and the drive is expected to begin December 15, it was announced today by R. H. Rutledge, district forester, upon receipt of a telegram from E. M. Willard, state game commissioner of Arizona. Navajo Indians are to be used in the drive, Mr. Rutledge said. The task is a huge one which has no parallel in the west and many have expressed doubt as to the feasibility of the plan. It is understood that motion picture rights to film the drive have been granted.

AXE SLAYER IS
STILL UNKNOWN

Billings Authorities Concentrate
Efforts to Finding Maniac
Who Killed Two.

BILLINGS, Mont., Dec. 9 (AP)—Sheriff's officers and police concentrated their energies tonight in an attempt to unveil the mystery surrounding the killing of Nels Anderson and his wife by an alleged axe-slayer in their combination beauty shop and barber shop here Saturday night while a coroner's jury began its investigation of the crime.

No new clue has been uncovered, authorities said tonight, to aid them in the search for the slayer or to determine a motive for the killings. Investigation continued on the theory that a degenerate was responsible. Mrs. M. L. Hansen, a sister of Mrs. Anderson, and John Anderson, his brother, arrived today from Fargo, North Dakota.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON

President Coolidge began drafting his decision on the sugar tariff. Former Justice Mahlon Pitney of the supreme court died at his home.

The senate began voting on amendments to the Muscle Shoals measure. Investigation of the rippling hour was continued by a house committee. The Mayfield election case continued to occupy a senate special committee. Opposition to a park-barrel rivers and harbors bill was expressed at the White House.

President Coolidge conferred with republican house leaders at a White House breakfast.

Chairman Winslow of the house commerce committee presented a bill for voluntary railroad consolidation.

Charges of maladministration against Indian Commissioner Burke was inserted in the congressional record. Brigadier General Butler's leave to serve as Philadelphia police head was limited to one more year by President Coolidge.

The house passed the interior department appropriation bill and began consideration of the agricultural department's supply measure.

The president's special committee reported recommendations looking to a national policy for co-ordination of railroad and steamship transportation. Secretary Withar made public his statement to a house appropriation subcommittee on steps necessary to "restore and maintain" the navy at the 5.53 ratio.

CONVENTION FOR BALT LAKE.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 9 (AP)—Salt Lake, by virtue of being the center of the mining industry of the west, will be the convention city of the one hundred thirty-second meeting of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers in the fall of 1925, it was announced today by J. V. Reynolds, vice president of the national association.

State Reclamation Commission-
er Swendsen Tells of Details
of Denver Conference With
Officials.

BOISE, Dec. 9 (AP)—Readvertisement of bids for the construction of the American Falls dam will be started at once and proposals from contractors will be received January 15 in American Falls, until 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Recommendations to the interior department made by officials meeting in Denver December 1, are carried out, it was announced by W. G. Swendsen, Idaho commissioner of reclamation, who returned from the conference Tuesday.

The Idaho commissioner says that all hope for stream water in 1924 has been given up but that the present set up is such as to insure water for the season of 1925 provided there is no further delay in advertising for bids and letting the contract. He says he expects telegraphic confirmation of the adoption of the board's recommendations today.

Recommendations Made.

In revising the plan for building the dam the board submitted recommendations approximately as follows: "The bids be invited from contractors for building of dam with a large foundation over the river section and a superstructure giving a reservoir capacity of 1,040,000 acre feet. That the government reserve the right to increase the size of the dam so as to provide a capacity of 1,700,000 acre feet upon the giving of notice to the contractor at any time in advance of the completion of the foundation work. That the plans previously prepared and adopted be utilized with the following changes:

Bridge Is Changed.
"The original plan called for a rather elaborate concrete bridge along the top of the dam, the estimated cost of which was around \$300,000. The board recommended that this plan be changed and a steel bridge over the river section of the dam be substituted in place of the concrete bridge and that access to the said bridge be had by inclined approaches on either end of the river section.

"The estimated saving by this change is more than \$300,000. The bridge thus recommended is equally as serviceable as the concrete structure, will not detract from the appearance of the dam, and lends itself more readily to raise, if and when the dam is raised to higher elevation."

WOMAN KILLS DAUGHTER
AND THEN HANGS SELF

FRESNO, Cal., Dec. 9 (AP)—Choking her daughter, Martha, 5, to death with a rope, Mrs. Freda Toulson, 42, went to the home on her Selma ranch home today, put a noose over a rafters and over her neck, mounted a barrel and shot herself through the mouth, the woman's husband told police. Both died almost instantly, it is believed by Seward Toulson, the husband, who found the bodies when he returned to his home from work on the ranch.

Scientist Declares
Franklin's Famous
Experiment a Myth

Asserts Man Would Have Been
Killed if Use of Key Had
Been Made as Popular History
Says It Was.

BOSTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Benjamin Franklin's famous experiment with a kite during a thunder shower caused a shiver through a key at the end of the string was declared a myth that had taken its place with Washington's axe and cherry tree and William Tell's apple and arrow, in an address today by Professor Alexander MeAdie, director of the Blue Hill observatory. "A coroner's jury would have been holding an inquest over Franklin's remains the next day if he had performed the experiment as popular history has it," the scientist said. Professor MeAdie in the course of his discussion of lightning said that Franklin, while perhaps not the first to suggest the identity of lightning with the electric discharge, was the first clearly to set forth the fact that certain clouds were electrically charged and that the discharge or lightning is to be regarded in all respects as the discharge of a large condenser.



RIGHT METHOD OF MARKETING FARMER'S NEED

Billion Dollar Prize Available
to Rancher if He Will Join
Co-operative Association,
Says Speaker.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP)—A billion-dollar prize was held up to American farmers today by Gray Silver, former Washington representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation, as a prize to be won by co-operation in marketing organizations to gain for the farmer a larger share of the consumer's dollars. He spoke before the co-operative marketing section of the federation's annual convention.

"Reports of the secretary of agriculture," Mr. Silver said, "show that the American farmer got but 33 cents of the consumer's dollar for his fifteen billion dollar grain crop this year. Most co-operative marketing organizations do far better than that, getting 50 to 60 cents of the consumer's dollar, and European co-operatives as high as 75 cents.

Must Increase Share.

"If the farmer can increase his share of the consumer's dollar through co-operative marketing from 33 to 50 cents he will add a billion dollars to his pocket.

"This is the greatest lesson that has come from the farmers' experience since the war. The lesson of 1920 ought to last us for the rest of our lives. There was a spread then between the farmers' return and the world market price of 80 cents.

"The American farmer must come to realize that he has but one customer—industrial Europe. Home consumption will take care of its own price and will always be a profitable one for the producer, but the American farmer must sell his surplus at the world price to the European market and that determines his profits. He must also realize that there are only half a dozen purchasers for the entire European demand and to deal properly with those few buyers he ought to have a single selling agency.

Farmers' Salvation.

"The congressional investigation which resulted in the passage of the five laws which mean salvation to the farmer showed that there were 40 bushels of grain traded in for each bushel produced, and this will explain the spread between the farmer's return and the price by these half dozen European buyers.

"A single selling agency can cut the handling charges from five to nine cents a bushel. A saving of even one cent a bushel on handling charges would alone pay for the grain marketing company in one year."

Mr. Silver is now president of the grain marketing company.

"Such a saving in commissions and handling charges will help to reverse the present flow of credit, returning it farmwards instead of citywards, and through increasing the farmers' purchasing power, exercise the tremendous influence on general prosperity. Instead of a note the farmers will have a surplus at the bank."

The address of Howard M. Gore, new secretary of agriculture, on agricultural progress, was to be read at the annual banquet by O. E. Bradfute, president of the federation, because of Mr. Gore's illness. His physicians advised him against leaving St. Luke's hospital where he is recuperating from bronchitis, to deliver the address.

GOLF FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

PROVES POPULAR IN TEXAS

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 9 (AP)—Among the features included in the park facilities of Dallas, is a nine-hole golf links exclusively for children, which has turned in an attendance record report almost equal to that at the other municipal courses for adults.

The children's course, which is about two-thirds as long as the average nine-hole links, has seen between 1800 and 2000 boys and girls tee off each month since its organization. The combined attendance of the three municipal courses for grownups was about 6000 a month.

There is not much style on the children's course and fewer clubs. No charge is made for playing, but the children can rent a club of some kind at a few cents, and balls sell at five cents each. The balls have been salvaged from other links of the city and reconditioned.

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SEE STEP

Princess in Love With Cantor's Voice



PRINCESS JULIANA. (APR.)

PRINCESS JULIANA, daughter of Queen Wilhelmina, of The Netherlands, is reported to have fallen a victim of a flapper passion for the remarkable voice of the cantor in a Jewish synagogue in Amsterdam. Gabled reports asserted she even posed as a Jewess and visited the synagogue several times but was finally recognized and her mother informed. The cantor, a widow, 30 years old, with two children, is Gabriel Alaro.

FRENCH LIVING COSTS ARE HIGH

Survey Shows Boost in Food
Prices Over Country of Four
and a Half Times.

PARIS, Dec. 9 (AP)—Figures drawn up by the regional committee instituted by the government for the purpose of obtaining information as to the cost of living show that prices in France are roughly four and one-half times what they were before the war.

Taking 100 as standard prices in 1914 figures for Paris for July, August and September, 1924, are 373 for foodstuffs as compared with 33 for the corresponding period of 1923. Lyons figures are 369, the lowest of any large city in France, and much credit therefor is given to Premier Herriot who is also Mayor of Lyons and who, besides inaugurating public markets has been greatly instrumental in the prosecution of profiteers.

Other cities are not so fortunate. As compared with 100 in 1914 Lille shows 473; Grenoble, 468; Bordeaux 438; Marseilles, 429; Tours, 527. These figures are for foodstuffs only.

TAXICAB DRIVER IS HELD FOR MURDER OF UTAH BALL PLAYER

HONOLULU, Dec. 9 (AP)—John Emmeluth, a taxicab driver, was arrested Tuesday in connection with the fatal shooting last night of Jimmy Duchalsky, baseball player with the Deater, Ill. club, and formerly with the Salt Lake club of the Pacific Coast league. The police said Emmeluth, who surrendered, had admitted the shooting. The encounter was believed to have started in jealousy over a woman. Duchalsky originally lived in Honolulu, and had returned here for the winter.

CAME FROM HONOLULU

SALT LAKE, Dec. 9 (AP)—Jimmy Duchalsky came to the Salt Lake club of the Pacific Coast league from the Hawaiian islands in 1923, on recommendation of the all-American team which toured the far east about that time. After a few months with the Salt Lake Bees he was farmed out to the Peoria, Ill. club, but returned to the Salt Lake club at the beginning of the 1924 season. Later he was sent to Dexter, Duchalsky, known in coast league baseball as the "Duke," was not a sensational player.

Dead storage for cars at four dollars per month at the Idaho Automobile & Supply Co.—adv.

Storage Warehouse

Negotiable Receipts Issued

Cash Advanced

on Warehouse Receipts

J. H. SEAVER

LIBERALS ARE DEFEATED AT GERMAN POLLS

Results of Sunday's Balloting
Considered Blow to Progressive Policies; Monarchists Supported.

BERLIN, Dec. 9 (AP)—The net result of Sunday's balloting for the Reichstag and the Prussian diet is not down by political observers as indicating a distinct setback for progressive policies and parliamentary government in that it leaves in its wake an inter-party situation which affords no basis for the construction of government pledged to a program of unadulterated liberalism. This condition is amply reflected by editorials appearing today in the nationalist and conservative bourgeois press which professes to see in the party lineup brought about by Sunday's national polling the long sought opportunity to eliminate the socialists and possibly also the democrats from participation in future governments.

No concealment is made in government circles of the fact that the Von Tirpitz-Von Dismarck party has not only been returned in its full former strength but also has enhanced its representation in the Prussian diet by 34 mandates.

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Renfro Beauty Shoppe. Phone 278.—adv.

MRS. JULES S. BACHE FINED \$26,000



MRS. JULES BACHE

MRS. JULES S. BACHE, wife of the multi-millionaire New York international banker, who has maintained a home in Paris since 1900 living there 11 months of the year, has been fined \$26,000 by New York customs officials on the ground she is a resident of this country. She came recently to visit her daughter, bringing \$100,000 worth of goods. Thinking the property free from duty, she did not declare it but made no effort at concealment. Customs agents seized \$17,000 worth of goods purchased abroad and in spite of her protest the fine was levied.

To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given of my intention to apply to the board of county commissioners at their next regular meeting in January, for such deputation as the business of my office may require.
SIGNED: S. CLAUD STEWART, Assessor.

READ THE TWIN FALLS NEWS.

PRACTICAL JOKER IS DEAD; WAS WIDELY KNOWN IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Bryan G. Hughes, 75, paper box manufacturer and president of the Dollar Savings bank, and widely known as a practical joker, died Tuesday at his summer home in Munroe, N. Y.

Probably his most famous joke was 20 years ago when he invaded one of Manhattan's exclusive horse show with an ancient steed that had for many years provided the motive power for a Madison avenue street car.

His entry had somewhat of a dojected grandeur about him, but he impressed horse show patrons and judges alike under the rather appropriate name of "Pulchra Orphan," whose sire was announced as "Metropolitan"—the name of the transit company, in whose interests he had long toiled—and his dam as "Electricity." The entry was awarded a ribbon, a token long treasured by Mr. Hughes.

A few years later he entered a carefully groomed grey cat in an eat show. This dubious character also was awarded a prize ribbon.

MURTAUGH

MURTAUGH.—R. B. True was a business visitor in Burley Thursday. Mrs. A. W. Nelson and daughter, Leona, were Twin Falls visitors Saturday.

Miss Ruth Brown, who is a patient at the county hospital, is reported to be improving.

The last meeting of the Ladies' Aid society was held at the home of Mrs. G. I. Curman. Delicious refreshments were served.

The Murtaugh school will give an operetta, "Sylvia," December 12 at the school auditorium.

Claus Clawson and family of Twin Falls moved to Murtaugh Monday and will make their home here.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual bazaar next Saturday at the Murtaugh Mercantile company.

Fry Cox shipped a carload of cattle from Murtaugh Saturday.

A. W. Nelson, who is working at Nevada, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Callen and family visited at the home of J. P. Henry of Kimberly last Monday.

Mrs. G. I. Curman was a Twin Falls visitor Monday.

The Mysterious Package

The auctioneer shows a package. In a raucous voice he cries: "In my hand I have an article of value. At any store, anywhere, you couldn't buy it under a dollar . . . I'll tell you what I'll do . . . The first lady or gentleman who hands me a quarter gets this valuable package. Now who'll give me a quarter?"

If you are in a good humor you may risk a quarter. You don't expect a quarter's worth, and you are not disappointed.

That's all very well once in a while. But you don't want to buy household goods, food, clothes, in this blind fashion. You'd laugh at the idea of your accepting a wrapped package and paying good money for it when it came to every-day necessities.

Yet you do. For example, when you buy some well-known breakfast foods. Of course you have a general idea what is in it. But you don't investigate the quality. You don't break open the package to see the contents.

That is what advertising does for you. It protects you against inferior products. You know that an advertiser must keep faith with the promise in his advertisement. That is why it pays you to read the advertisements. When you buy a wrapped package of advertised goods, you are not buying blindly.

Only worthy products can stand the
test of advertising.

YES, I KNOW MIN-LITTLE CHESTER SHOULD HAVE SOME NEW CLOTHES - BUT I'M AFRAID HE WILL HAVE TO WAIT A WHILE LONGER - WE HAVE BEEN SPENDING TOO MUCH MONEY LATELY - REMEMBER WE ARE POOR FOLKS AND MUST WATCH EVERY PENNY -

WELL, AFTER ALL, YOU'D BETTER BUY SOME CLOTHES FOR CHESTER AND I'LL TRY TO MAKE MY OLD OVERCOAT LAST ANOTHER SEASON - I'M SORRY I CAN'T SPARE A LITTLE MORE MONEY TO GIVE YOU FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS - BUT JUST BUY A TOY FOR CHESTER AND SOMETHING REAL NICE FOR DEAR UNCLE SAM AND WE'LL DO WITHOUT PRESENTS -

I KNOW HE SHALL NOT BE ABLE TO GET UNCLE SAM THE WONDERFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS HE WOULD LIKE TO GIVE HIM BUT WITH HIS NOSE NATURE HE WILL UNDERSTAND - IF I COULD ONLY GIVE HIM HALF WHAT HE DESERVES I WOULD LIVE ON BREAD AND WATER MYSELF AND BE AS HAPPY AS A KID ON CHRISTMAS -

BUT I DON'T WANT TO WORRY YOU WITH MONEY MATTERS - I'M NOT COMPLAINING - I HAVE A LITTLE HOME, MY FAMILY, AND THE BEST UNCLE IN THE UNIVERSE - ANYBODY WHO WOULDN'T BE SATISFIED WITH WHAT I'VE GOT DESERVES TO GO THROUGH LIFE WITH A PERPETUAL BLACK EYE -

SIDNEY SNEYD

THE
CHRISTMAS
STORE

Today's Sporting News

TECHNICAL K. O. GIVES GIBBONS NEW YORK BOUT

Kid Norfolk Battered Into Submission by Crown Contender in the Sixth Round; Spectacular Fight.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Tommy Gibbons, pride of the middle west, and leading contender for Jack Dempsey's crown, battered Kid Norfolk, rugged negro light heavyweight, into submission tonight in Madison Square Garden. Gibbons scored a technical knockout over his dusky opponent when the referee stopped the fight in the sixth round of their 15-round match to save Norfolk further punishment.

Flashback a dazzling exhibition of footwork and punching skill, the St. Paul fighter outlasted Norfolk before a crowd of 13,000 that filled the garden to capacity and paid a total of \$107,500 to make up the "gate" for the Christmas fund raised by a New York newspaper.

Driving Attack.

Gibbons cut the negro to pieces with a relentless, driving attack that bent down Norfolk's rugged defense in short order. The kid was on the verge of a knockout in the fourth round, was saved from a final count in the fifth round when a terrific right to the jaw sent him down for the count of two and lasted only 55 seconds of the sixth and last round.

Norfolk was dropped for a count of six in the last round with another smashing right to the jaw. He recoiled backward as he got to his feet, staggered across the ring and fell to his back before Gibbons could land another blow. Norfolk was palpably unable to continue and Referee Sheridan stopped between the fighters, waving Gibbons to his corner.

Spectacular Climax.

Gibbons' victory was a spectacular climax to the charity show which kept the crowd in an uproar from start to finish.

Gibbons, in superb condition, quickly demoralized his foe over Norfolk, the negro mixing willingly, but he was unable to block Gibbons' swift attack or penetrate the St. Paul man's defense with any effectiveness.

Gibbons cut Norfolk about the eyes and nose with a rattling fire of jabs and hooks in the second round and started a fresh flow of blood from Norfolk's mouth in the third.

Starts in Fourth.

Norfolk's finish seemed imminent in the fourth when he was staggered by a solid left to the jaw and reeled a moment later by a right swing to the head. He weathered this gale, however, although visibly groggy and rallied in the fifth round, forcing the fighting and starting blood from Gibbons' nose until a terrific right smash to the head sent him to the floor.

Up at the count of two, Norfolk swayed toward Gibbons, but the bell saved him from further punishment, but he had only a brief rest before the finish of the sixth.

Promoters announced that profit for the Christmas fund amounted to approximately \$46,000 after the deduction from gross receipts of a state tax of \$75,000, and \$25,000 to pay the boxers. Of this Gibbons received 30 per cent of the gross receipts or about \$30,000.

ALCO BOWLING SQUAD BEATS GROSSMAN FIVE

Winners Take Two Out of Three Games in League Contest After Losing First by 38-Pin Margin.

Also bowling team defeated the Grossman bowlers, winning two out of three games in a Twin Falls bowling league contest. Tuesday evening after losing the opening round by margin of only 38 pins. Taylor with a total of 554, carried off individual honors for the Alco squad, while Towan with 536, made high score on the Grossman team.

Grossman:	1	2	3	Tot.
Fix	148	169	145	410
Raymond	158	169	157	513
Ford	163	123	147	422
Vogel	195	144	150	469
Towan	232	145	179	536
Totals	876	779	776	2431
Alco:	1	2	3	Tot.
Scilly	129	170	140	439
Stevens	136	163	121	419
Taylor	181	172	201	554
Asbury	197	138	188	523
Self	196	199	134	529
Totals	838	851	796	2479

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THOMAS W. LAWSON & HENRY M. DAWES. Below: MRS. LYDIA LOCKE MARKS & JOHN HENRY WHITLEY.

CONTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY

Henry M. Dawes, brother of Vice President-elect Charles Gages Dawes, has resigned and it is understood he is slated for the presidency of General Dawes' Pure Oil company.

RECENTLY DIVORCED from Arthur T. Marks, millionaire head of the Skinner Organ company, Mrs. Lydia Locke Marks has been married for the fourth time when she became the bride of her secretary, Henry Dornblaser, at Yorktown, N. Y.

THOMAS W. LAWSON, author of "Frenzied Finance," now poor and living in a modest retreat at Bar Harbor, Maine, is seriously ill, and a nurse has been rushed to Boston to give him treatment.

THE RECENTLY ELECTED British House of Commons has assembled and unanimously elected John Henry Whitley as speaker. He has held that post since April, 1921.

COURT OF INQUIRY TO INVESTIGATE DEATHS OF SAILORS ON BOAT

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Dec. 9 (AP)—Naval control of all civilian water taxis carrying United States sailors to and from the ships of the fleet was enforced tonight as preparations were made for a court of inquiry and a board of inquiry of the explosion aboard the water taxi LaMoine Monday morning. The check of the personnel of the boatships was still incomplete tonight, but officers aboard the flagship California reiterated their belief that no further casualties would be revealed. The list stands at one drowned, one possibly drowned, nine seriously burned and 15 slightly burned or injured.

The two investigation bodies, expected to open sessions aboard the U. S. S. Tennessee in the harbor here tomorrow, will inquire specifically into measures of safety taken aboard the civilian water taxis which operate between ships and shore, what the regulations are against smoking aboard, condition of oil and gasoline used in their engines and whether they are overcrowded.

Jack Rabbit Surely Insane.

Out in Kansas a cruel Jack rabbit started up beside a passenger train making 40 miles an hour. The passengers crowded the platforms and the windows and whooped it up for the Jack. The Jack went completely insane and made the train for miles, never losing an inch of a jump. As the train and Jack dashed past the last mile post neck and neck the Jack curled up in the air in the middle of a jump and landed, squatted on his haunches, and rubbed one of his forefeet over his nose. The Jack rabbit is speedy, all right, but he's plumb crazy.—Los Angeles Times.

Rhyming Puzzles.

Picture the agony of the poet who, just as he is approaching the completion of a lyric which is to be a thing of beauty and a joy forever, finds himself suddenly brought up against a word that won't rhyme! The great poets are not easily baffled, says a writer in John O'London's Weekly. For them difficulties exist merely that they may be overcome. He would be a very confident person who would say that there is any word in the English language that is absolutely unrhymable, and it may even be (I know not) that "silver" has found its rhyme-mate.

READ THE DAILY NEWS.

LEAGUE OWNERS FORMER JUSTICE GIVE ARBITER DIES AT CAPITAL

Landis Wins Preliminary Skirmish in Battle With Johnson as Result of O'Connell-Doan Scandal.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Preliminary skirmishes of the baseball conflict in which Commissioner Landis and President Johnson of the American league, are central figures, was won today by the commissioner when National league club owners at the opening session of their annual meeting unanimously adopted resolutions giving a sweeping endorsement to the four-year administration of the veteran jurist.

Neither these resolutions nor a statement read to the meeting by John A. Heydler, president of the National league, mentioning Johnson by name, but by implication they struck back at the fire of criticism which the American league executive has leveled at the commissioner and his forces since the world's series and the Dolan-O'Connell bribery scandal.

Congratulatory Judge.

The resolutions, adopted by the club owners after a three hour conference, specifically congratulated Landis on his decision "to carry through the world series" in spite of the scandal, praised his entire course in handling O'Connell and Dolan from the game for all time and also singled out for praise the prompt action taken by President Heydler and the "integrity and courage of Heinie Sand," Philadelphia shortstop, who revealed that he had been approached by O'Connell in a dilemma between the Giants and Philadelphia near the close of the 1924 season.

The endorsement given Landis in connection with the world series and bribery scandal, was interpreted as the National league's reply to the stand taken by Johnson, who had urged that the championship be called off after making sweeping charges against the Giants, then refused to attend the games and also criticized the commissioner's procedure in handling the Dolan-O'Connell case.

Investigation Not Ended.

Referring to the scandal, the resolutions declared that the "National league is positive the investigation of the charges has not ended and never will end and that if any one else was really connected with those dismissed, the fact will eventually come to light."

STEAMSHIP IS SEIZED.

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 9 (AP)—The American steamship Munwood of the Munson line was seized today by federal authorities here because of the alleged presence of intoxicating liquors aboard.

Fire Sweeping Town of Naco in Mexico; Gun Firing is Heard.

DOUGLAS, Arizona, Dec. 9 (AP)—Gun firing following an outbreak of fire which threatened a portion of the town of Naco, Sonora, Mexico, tonight, according to reports received here. First reports did not say whether the shots were fired to arouse the populace or whether they were fired by robbers.

REPORTED SPREADING.

BISBEE, Arizona, Dec. 9 (AP)—Fire is sweeping a portion of the town of Naco, Sonora, Mexico, nine miles south of here, according to reports received here late tonight. The fire, which has destroyed two buildings, is spreading under a high wind.

Tree Ring Formation.

Trees that grow in well-watered soil, as in the neighborhood of a swamp, have rings of a generally even width, according to the director of the Steward observatory at Tucson, Ariz., who has made an extensive study of the subject. Trees that grow on soil more largely dependent for its moisture upon rainfall have rings of greater variability; while on high altitudes, exposed to drought, some rings are so small as to be hardly perceptible. In estimating the climatic changes indicated in the width of rings, it is obviously necessary to consider the degree of the tree's "sensitivity" to a greater or less rainfall.

READ THE DAILY NEWS.

MAHLON PITNEY, RETIRED 18 MONTHS AGO SUCCEUMBS TO LONG ILLNESS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Supreme Court Justice Mahlon Pitney, retired, died today at his home in this city after a long illness.

When Justice Pitney was forced by two strokes of paralysis to go upon the retired list 18 months ago, his physicians held out no hope of ultimate recovery. The income of the afflicted was so gradual, however, that after his retirement he was able at times to move about with assistance, and he was, in fact, conscious until the end came, unaware that death was approaching.

For the last six months the encroachment of his illness had held him closely to his bed and in the last week his weakness had increased but the announcement of his death came with all the shock of a surprise to his associates on the bench.

Justice Pitney's former associate and the new members of the supreme court plan to attend the funeral in a body.

COME AND SEE

Dolls, Junior togs, lingerie, aprons, fancy work from Freshy, Marian Bazar, all desirable, at Logan Music Store.

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The only place to get the perfect candy cane. Special price for 25 or more. HERBST & RAMBO

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Lodge opens at 7 p. m. All members be present.

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Idaho Theatre

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Across From Sales Grounds

PLAYGROUND MAN LIKES PROSPECT

G. W. Braden, Here to Make
Report to Harmon Founda-
tion, Gives Impressions.

Fate of Twin Falls' application for grant by the Harmon Foundation of New York for purchase of a community playground depends largely upon the report to be made to the foundation by George W. Braden of Pasadena, California, special representative of the western division, Playground and Recreation Association of America, who arrived here Monday to collect data for the preparation of his report.

Mr. Braden conferred Monday with Burton E. Morse, chairman of the Twin Falls Recreation association, through which Twin Falls' application for the playground grant was made. Twin Falls mayor, superintendent of schools, chamber of commerce secretary and other citizens. He was taken to inspect alternative sites selected for the proposed playground here, and asked for statistical information including figures as to the growth of school population since 1920, and particularly as to development of school population within a radius of one-half mile of the proposed sites.

Mr. Braden came here from Provo, Utah, where last week he completed a survey similar to the one on which he is engaged here.

He is to speak before members of the Rotary club and their guests at a meeting at noon today.

Twin Falls in Competition.

Twin Falls' application for the playground grant is one of 86 "class A" applications to the Harmon Foundation for 50 grants of \$2000 each for purchase of playground sites, each of which is to be known as a Harmon field.

"It is unfortunate for me," Mr. Braden stated in an interview Tuesday evening, "that this is my first trip to Twin Falls. I have been greatly surprised and much pleased over the evidence here of a progressive and charming city, as indicated by more than 15 miles of paved streets, more than 75 miles of concrete walks, splendid homes, substantial business blocks and ornate public buildings. I regret I shall not have an opportunity this time to visit the great natural playgrounds that I know to be just on the outskirts of the city."

Appreciates Attitude.

"The Playground and Recreation association greatly appreciates the progressive attitude of Mayor Hodgins, Superintendent of Schools E. D. Bloom, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce C. F. Dwight, Mr. Morse and others connected with the selection of play space and public buildings. I regard trained leadership for supervision of community recreation.

"Tremendous progress is being made nationally and internationally toward making leisure time more constructive and conducive to happiness and efficiency by providing wholesome recreational opportunities under competent and wide auspices. Recreational opportunities should be increasingly of, by and for the people, and not the special privilege of the few. It is a sad commentary on some American cities where private groups use hundreds of acres and the choice lands for golf clubs, polo and other sports with some comparatively few, while thousands of children are denied adequate playground space for health and moral safety."

Progress Indicated.

"Progress in the recreational movement is indicated by the president's conference on outdoor recreation held in Washington last May and by resolutions recently passed by the Federal Council of Churches, American Federation of Labor and other national bodies."

"Industry also is giving increased attention to the problem. In fact, during the past year several large industries have refused to establish branches in cities where there is not adequate provision for wholesome recreation. I am sure that business and trial leaders know the direct relation between leisure well spent and morale, contentment and efficient workers."

"Juvenile court judges, probation officers, teachers and others are thoroughly familiar with the relation between delinquency and supervised play. A recent study in Trenton, New Jersey, shows that all of the children haled into court were from three wards that had no provision for wholesome play."

"It augurs well for the future that William E. Harmon, one of America's great realtors, working through the Harmon Foundation, is assisting cities in such generous fashion to secure playgrounds. It has been well said that the gift of land is the gift of eternal life."

"My present regret is that my present stay in Twin Falls is so short, and I shall hope to return in the not distant future."

Gold Headed Cane For Dry Director Had Flask Inside

Prohibition Official in California
Decides Not to Send His
Chief Present Planned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9 (AP)—Samuel F. Butler, prohibition director of California, included in his list of Christmas gifts a gold-headed cane for Roy Haynes, national prohibition director, but the gift has been found unfit, because Mr. Butler failed to examine it closely.

After Mr. Butler had purchased the cane, Mrs. Butler started to bundle it for shipment to Washington, when she observed that the gold head might be unsecured. When the gold head was removed a circular flask containing a flask, dropped out of the hollow center.

The Butters held a family conference and decided not to send the cane to Mr. Haynes.

WITNESS TELLS OF \$5000 FORBES DEAL

(Continued from page one.)

For Frank A. Vanderbilt, New York financier, for examination as to details of a story involving details of the veterans' bureau administration under Forbes which Mortimer testified he gave to Vanderbilt in Washington last March.

The witness, when questioned by the court as to Vanderbilt's identity, replied:

Vanderlip Go-Between.

"Vanderlip was the go-between for Senator Wheeler during the senate investigations."

The cross-examination was halted by the court until it was stated by the defense attorney that a summons had been issued for Vanderbilt.

Mortimer's story today was that he arrived in Chicago on June 20, 1922, arrived a note for \$15,000 in Thompson & Black's office before noon, and given \$10,000 in new \$200 bills in the bathroom of his hotel suite by Thompson about 4:30 p. m., and gave \$5000 to Forbes, within an hour, in the same room. He asked Forbes if he wanted to sign a note for the "loan," the witness said. Forbes smiled and said: "We'll drink on it," according to Mortimer's testimony.

Bathub Angle.

Easy-Smith directed the attention of the jury to the claim that in his direct examination, Mortimer had asserted there was no bathtub room in which the money was handed over to Forbes. When shown a plan of the hotel suite, the witness placed a table in the room in which he had given the money to Forbes. The defense attorney then pointed to the bathtub indicated in the blueprint. He also called attention to the statement in Mortimer's senate committee testimony that he paid the money to Forbes in a room in which there was a bathtub.

"I do not remember exactly how the room looked," the witness replied to Easy-Smith's rapid fire of interrogations. "I was more interested in getting out in the room where Forbes was with my wife than in examining the equipment of the room."

"Then Forbes was not in the bathroom with you when you handed him the money?" the attorney asked.

"Thompson was in the room with my wife while Forbes and myself were out," Mortimer replied.

"Your honor," Easy-Smith continued, addressing himself to the court, "I had intended to ask that the question and answer be stricken from the record. I think I will let them stand."

Mortimer also repeated today his story that when he arrived at his hotel suite with Thompson he found Forbes and Mrs. Mortimer "shooting craps on the bed."

"He had his coat off, was in his shirt sleeves, and was working hard," the witness testified.

"It cost me \$220 to pay for his fun that afternoon."

Not Certain of Payment.

In answer to further questions, Mortimer said he was not certain whether the money ever had been given to Forbes by Mrs. Mortimer.

"They were close, I doubt if he got it," Mortimer said.

"The \$15,000 given him by the construction firm on his note, the witness said, was for Forbes and himself, and "the expenses of the trip" to the Pacific coast in the summer of 1922 was when Forbes took Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer and a few close friends and assistants from the veterans' headquarters on a tour of inspection to the west."

After a sharp tilt between opposing counsel, the defense was granted permission by the court to examine Mortimer's personal banking account records for the three months following the \$15,000 payment.

Checks Show Nothing.

A number of personal checks, monthly statements from three Washington banks were handed over to the defense attorneys for inspection at

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The Baptist Ladies' Aid will hold their Christmas bazaar and cooked food sale Saturday, December 13, next door to Umbaugh's jewelry store.—adv.

SEEK TO SHIFT PUMP OPERATION

High Line Project Directors
Request Canal Company to
Take Over System.

Directors of the High-Line Pumping project made request to Twin Falls Canal company directors at a regular monthly meeting here Tuesday afternoon that the canal company take over operation of the pumps through which water is supplied to several hundred acres of land under the high-line project. The canal company directors took no action on the request.

Canal company stock was issued for lands under the pumping project for which the town of Clover is the commercial center, when the pumping project was established about 15 years ago. Water users under the pumping project are stockholders in the Twin Falls Canal company, and about three years ago the canal company assumed responsibility for maintenance of the ditches under the pumping system, leaving to the pumping project management the responsibility for operation of the pumps through which water is lifted from the Twin Falls canal system to the lands under the pumping project.

NEW YORK PUBLISHERS ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF USING TAX RETURNS

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—After a federal court jury today had acquitted the New York Tribune Company, Inc., publishers of the Herald-Tribune, on indictments charging unlawful publication of income tax returns, William Hayward, federal district attorney, announced he would ask a grand jury tomorrow for a new indictment so that he could take the case to the United States supreme court.

Judge John C. Knox directed the jury verdict of not guilty in order, he said, that the government might be in a position to appeal directly to the United States supreme court.

Later it was discovered that the criminal appeals act barred an appeal to the United States supreme court as Hayward had planned, making a re-indictment of the Tribune corporation necessary.

**M'CALL WINTER SPORTS
CARNIVAL SET MARCH 13**

SALT LAKE, Dec. 9 (AP)—The second annual Idaho winter sports carnival will be held at McCall, Idaho, March 13 and 14. It was announced here today at the general offices of the Union Pacific system. The carnival includes professional ski jumping exhibitions, dog races and other wintery and ski events. A new ski and toboggan slide course will be constructed near McCall, it was announced.

The close of the session. They represented a hurried survey of the transactions indicated in the statements and checks revealed nothing bearing upon the case. The checks were mostly for personal expenses, the attorneys believed.

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**WEST PREVENTS CLOSE
OF 39 LAND OFFICES**

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bill had been read when the house adjourned and not an amendment had been offered. Items approved included \$1,140,000 for agricultural experimental stations; \$1,308,540 for farmers' co-operative demonstrations; \$1,300,000 for cooperative agricultural extension work; \$2,243,192 for weather bureau activities; \$4,345,150 for the bureau of animal industry, the bulk of which is to be used for meat inspection and for the eradication of various diseases of livestock; \$4,834,538 for the bureau of plant industry.

**MUSCLE SHOALS BILL
TO PASS SENATE SOON**

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After an extended argument between Senator Underwood and Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, the senate voted down an amendment by the latter to require that power development at Muscle Shoals should come under the regulation of the federal water power act. The vote was 34 to 29.

STEAMER CREW SAVED.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 9 (AP)—The Mexican steamer Oaxaca's crew of 30, together with 12 passengers, all landed safely when the vessel was beached near Mazatlan, Mexico, after fire broke out aboard last night, radio dispatches received here tonight stated. It is assumed that the stranded passengers and crew have by this time made their way by land to Mazatlan.

POWERS TO BACK CHINA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Diplomatic representatives in China of the United States, Great Britain, France, Japan, Belgium, Italy and the Netherlands, advised the Peking provisional government today that the powers they represented would give full support to the new Chinese government provided it fulfills all treaty conventions and other engagements entered into by its predecessors.

**JEALOUSY HELD AS
MOTIVE FOR MURDER**

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fore down on August 12, when a policeman took him to the apartment in an intoxicated condition.

MOVEMENTS TRACED.

The alleged movements of McCoy were then traced in detail to the Mrs. Seventh street art shop the following morning, where, it is charged, he robbed the store and patrons with a subsequent shooting and wounding of three.

During the raid, according to the prosecutor, McCoy sought to call up Mrs. Mori on the telephone and later said, "The only woman I ever loved was Theresa Mori, and I am going to the chair for her."

**PEACEFUL MEETING IS
CONFERENCE OUTCOME**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9 (AP)—The wage dispute conference between officials of the Southern Pacific company and the Brotherhoods of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers closed its first session here today after a "very peaceful meeting," during which "considerable progress" was made. No comment or discussion of the details of the conference was made by officials of the two factions.

The conference is the outgrowth of a strike vote affecting approximately 6000 rail workers in which, according to official announcement, 96 per cent of the workers voted to leave the service of the company unless the conference was held.

The conference will reconvene tomorrow morning.

**VETERAN OF CANADIAN
FORCES FINDS MOTHER
AFTER 4-YEAR SEARCH**

OSHAHA, Dec. 9 (AP)—Ellsworth Newberry, veteran of the Canadian forces in the world war, mounted for dead by his mother for nearly five years, was welcomed by her here Sunday when he arrived from England, where he had been since the cessation of hostilities.

The Newberrys lived in Akron, Ohio, at the beginning of the war, and Ellsworth enlisted in the Canadian army and was severely wounded August 29, 1918, resulting in his confinement in English hospitals for four years. His parents lost trace of him in 1921 and gave him up as dead when letters addressed to English hospitals were returned. They later moved to Omaha.

The Akron chapter of the Red Cross kept working on the case and the boy was finally located in London. It developed that Ellsworth had been trying to get in touch with his mother, who also was lost to him by her removal from Akron.

Ellsworth bears only a slight scar from the wound that so long kept him under treatment.

**FIGHTS SCHODDE
CLAIM TO WATER**

Twin Falls Canal Company Opposes Alteration in Terms of Foster Decree.

Twin Falls Canal company, as an interested party in the suit instituted by Miss Schodde and other heirs of the late Henry Schodde to establish claim to right to 100,000 feet of Snake river water, filed in district court here Tuesday its answer to plaintiff's complaint in the suit.

The canal company in its answer makes formal denial of all the claims of the Schodde heirs to the water in dispute and stands on the decree of 1913 in the case of the Twin Falls Canal company against Charles N. Foster and others wherein priority of claims to Snake river water was adjudicated.

The Schodde heirs seek in this action to obtain a supplemental decree under the decree in the Foster case and allege that the water in question was filed upon by the late Henry Schodde in 1895 and used thereafter by means of water wheels and electric pumps for irrigation of lands in Minidoka county.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

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MRS. E. B. WILLIAMS
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The meeting of the current events department of the Twentieth Century club at the home of Mrs. O. V. Witham on Tuesday afternoon was an exceptionally interesting one, responses to roll call being extremely entertaining. The regular order of business was presided over by Mrs. Kennedy Packard, the president. The entire club sang "Holy Night," and "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing." Mrs. H. C. Dickerson read "The Other Wise Man," by Henry Van Dyke. Mrs. E. G. Sturdivant and Mrs. F. T. Kolligs sang a duet, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." The program was in charge of Miss Minnie Farrar. Dainty refreshments were served cafeteria style, with Mrs. J. D. Kautz presiding at the coffee urn. Hostesses for the afternoon in addition to Mrs. Witham, were Mesdames J. D. Kautz, W. G. Chapman and P. J. Costello. Mrs. Frank Howson and Mrs. Barker, who is a guest at the Farrar home, were visitors at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Asher B. Wilson entertained with the second of a series of dinners Tuesday evening at their home on Shoshone street. The first was given a few days ago and covers were laid for ten each evening. The centerpiece for the table was a beautiful lighted Christmas tree. Following dinner the evening was spent with cards.

The Woman's Pan-Hellenic club has been obliged to change the date of their annual dance for the college young people from December 20 to December 22 because of the difficulty in getting music and a hall during the holiday season.

ACCUSED BY FORMER WIFE

Burley Man, Charged With Theft of Automobile, Is Taken Here by Sheriff's Office Operatives.

H. A. Fornwall, accused by his divorced wife of grand larceny of an automobile, was Tuesday arrested by sheriff's office operatives on a farm south of Knoll and was Tuesday afternoon delivered into custody of Sheriff S. Mahoney of Cassia county to be returned to Burley to answer to the charge. The automobile in question is said to be claimed by the former Mrs. Fornwall.

POWER BOAT BURNED.

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 9 (AP)—The power boat Woodall, owned by the Marine Transport company, was reported to have burned to the water line in Chesapeake bay late today while enroute from Philadelphia to Baltimore. The Woodall is said to have carried a crew of eight or nine men. The coast guard cutter Winnoset was sent to the scene.

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LEGION WOMEN AND VETERANS MEET TOGETHER

Posts' Representatives and
Auxiliary Members to Hold
Joint Sessions, Convention
Decides.

Members of the American Legion Women's auxiliary will convene with American Legion members at district conventions to be held hereafter at the same time and place. It was determined at a convention and annual business meeting of the American Legion district organization held here Tuesday evening, at which nearly 150 members of the legion and auxiliary, including delegates representing six out of the nine legion posts in the district, were assembled. The place of the next quarterly meeting of the district organization to be held next March was not determined at this meeting, but invitations are to be addressed to the newly elected officers.

Kimberly Man Commander.

E. N. Pettigrove of Kimberly was the delegates' choice for district commander to succeed A. Wilton Peck of this city. Leslie Fay of Kimberly was elected district adjutant-financial officer and O. S. Peet of Buhl, district vice commander.

The business session which was held in the Elks' club rooms, was preceded by one of the most elaborate banquets in the history of the district organization. It was served at the Hotel Portland, covers being laid for 120 persons. Holiday decorations were employed of festivity, a group of white candles and carnations forming the centerpiece.

Reception for Women.

Visiting members of the auxiliary were guests of the Twin Falls auxiliary members at a reception in the Elks' club rooms during the progress of the legion business session.

Delegates and convention visitors were guests after the convention's close at a motion picture show at the Idaho theater.

Convention arrangements on the part of the Twin Falls post were delegated to a committee composed of Carl D. DeLong, Ralph Pink, H. G. Lauterbach, Donald Bussell and Chester Wise.

The auxiliary's committee on arrangements for the reception for visiting auxiliary members was composed of Mrs. S. H. Graves, Mrs. A. Dorman Johnson, Mrs. A. Wilton Peck and Mrs. J. L. Hodgins.

Posts represented at the convention here were those of Hamilton, Paul, Kimberly, Buhl, Piler and Twin Falls.

COURT RELIEVES JURY IN SUIT OVER CHECK

Progress in the trial in district court in the case of E. W. Porter, state commissioner of finance, against C. M. Bailey of Murtaugh, and C. D. Brown of Kimberly, Tuesday developed the fact that only questions of law were to be decided and the case was by Judge W. A. Babcock taken from the jury that had been impaneled Monday. Members of the jury were excused by the court for further attendance during the present time.

Judge Babcock indicated that some cases might be set for trial before the court next week.

Suit in the case that was taken from the jury had been instituted by the finance commissioner to recover approximately \$170 on account of a check issued by Brown in favor of Bailey and deposited by Bailey in the Bank of Murtaugh on the day before that institution closed its doors, June 15, 1922. It was alleged that payment was stopped on the check which was claimed as an asset of the defunct bank.

EIGHT BELOW IN WYOMING.

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., Dec. 9 (AP)—The temperature dropped to eight below zero here this morning, the coldest so far this season. A light snow preceded the temperature drop and alleviated drought conditions which have been prevailing here for some time.

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Detailed Vote for Directors of Salmon River Irrigation District

Directors.	Bogerson	Hollister	Bergeson	Altenale	Haggard	Total
Bogerson District—						
Kunkle, Beryl	97	21	43	33	17	211
Caldwell, A. E.	1	1	1	10	1	14
Leency, A. E.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Kunkle, A. D.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Hollister District—						
Troendley, J. H.	52	33	21	32	11	149
Gertler, Joe	26	23	27	13	7	106
Bergeson District—						
Carlee, R. A.	88	51	43	26	17	225
Powell, W. W.	1	1	1	12	1	14
Ryan, J.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Haggard District—						
Parrott, O. E.	88	53	37	29	17	224
Crookham, H.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Schugler, L.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Morgan, C. B.	1	1	1	1	1	5
Altenale District—						
Hayward, Nelson	33	24	12	15	8	92
Ingraham, Elmer	35	29	35	31	9	139

INGRAHAM WINS POST ON BOARD

Salmon River Irrigation District Voters Make Single Change in Directorate.

Elmer Ingraham of Altenale was elected a member of the board of directors of the Salmon River Irrigation district to succeed Nelson Hayward of Altenale, all other members of the present board being re-elected, as the result of an election Tuesday. Approximately 250 voters expressed their choice for the five directors to be elected.

The election result here out predictions of opposition in some instances, although margins were ample in the case of the re-elected directors, who were Beryl Kunkle, Bogerson; J. H. Troendley, Hollister; R. A. Carter, Bergeson; O. E. Parrott, Haggard. Names of candidates opposing the present directors were written in on the ballots, no nominations having been made of opposing candidates.

At the Hotels

ROBERTSON—R. J. Taylor, Pocatello; P. B. Garretson, M. G. Kappel, St. Paul; H. P. Tracy, Salt Lake; W. M. Hillis, Portland; J. R. Barkman, Ogden; George P. Lewis, Salt Lake; E. E. Anderson, St. Paul; George W. Braden, Pocatello; Fred Siefert, Santa Ana; G. P. Mikseel, Kansas City; H. H. Volton, Salt Lake; J. E. Hiestand, Denver; John A. Bryan, Salt Lake; Fred Williams, Boise; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Pratt, E. E. Kroll; Bert Paulson, Pocatello; W. M. Madson, Spokane; Margaret Smith, Caldwell; D. H. Christensen, Bogerson; J. A. Ream, Dick Quincey, Salt Lake; H. Turner, Hollister; E. M. Loy, Boise; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Thometz, Jr., Twin Falls; J. H. Thomas, Pocatello.

PERKINS—Robert Emy, Jarbridge; E. M. Hutchings, Helms; Fred Timoth, Duluth; D. H. Evans, Lava of Springs; Mrs. M. Marquand, Jarbridge; J. T. English and wife, Mr. Frouer and wife, Ogden; H. L. Moyns, Hailley; A. O. Cox, P. W. Jacks, Denver; F. S. Luff, Salt Lake; L. L. Dible, San Francisco; Albert Barrett, Pocatello; L. A. Conch, Guy B. Edmonds, Boise; Frank Simpson and family, Hazelton; E. D. Caroleen, Salt Lake; C. H. Chapman, Mrs. Chapman, N. H. Chapman, Craig Colo.; J. W. Elliott, city; H. P. Goodman, Shoshone; P. C. McDonald, Spokane; August Rosa, Pocatello; C. O. Dier, Oleana Ferry; Oliver Baker, W. E. Matthews, Oakley.

DEATHS

M'CALLISTER—Alice Jane McCallister, 10 months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCallister, died early Tuesday morning at the family residence from whooping cough complicated by pneumonia. Funeral services conducted by the Rev. H. G. Humphrey of the Methodist church, are to be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Blue & Sturdivant chapel here. Interment is to be in the Twin Falls cemetery.

SOMETHING NEW IN STATIONERY—Crane's Cudlinen paper and stationery, with lined envelopes at Closs Book Store.—adv.

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BREVITIES

On Business to Burley—Burton E. Morse was a business visitor in Burley Tuesday morning.

Enters Hospital—R. Glavin has been admitted as a patient for medical treatment at the county general hospital.

Makes Business Trip—S. Straus of the Straus Clothing company went to Burley Tuesday morning on business.

On Trip to Omaha—J. W. D. Smith, one of the proprietors of the Royal bakery, is to leave today on a trip to Omaha.

Former Official Here—John W. J. H. Barker and H. K. Wylie Chosen to Serve New Terms in Election With Less Than 150 Votes Cast.

Leaves for East—Miss Georgia Brown expects to leave Wednesday morning to spend the holidays in a visit at Kansas City and Topeka.

On Business for Stores—Miss Helen Kieffert went to Burley and Rupert Tuesday morning on a few days business for Wright's & Sons company stores.

To New Mexico for Visit—Mrs. James D. Whelan and daughter, Jean Carroll, left this week on a visit to their former home at Artesia, New Mexico.

Leave Hospital—Mrs. O. M. Burson and baby, Mrs. E. N. Gish and baby, Millie Middlestadt of Buhl, left the county general hospital returning to their home Tuesday.

Leaves for Visit—Mrs. T. F. Warner left Tuesday evening for Palo Alto, California, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Bolton, and Miss Harriett Warner during the holiday season.

Conclude Visit—Henry Brockman and daughter, Miss Ella, who have been the guests of his cousin, Mrs. A. Putzier, left Tuesday morning for their home in Mitchell, South Dakota.

Returns From Lava—T. H. Irwin, director of the Idaho highway district, has returned improved in health from Lava Hot Springs, where he spent several days taking treatment for rheumatism.

Returning From Alaska—Jack Tritt, proprietor of the Twin Falls bowling alley, is expected to return this week from Alaska, where he has spent several weeks as sales representative of a mercantile concern.

Returning to Yakima—Mrs. Margaret Day is to leave today returning to her home at Yakima, Washington, from where she was summoned to attend funeral services for her mother, the late Mrs. Mary E. Owens.

To Visit in California—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stafford left Tuesday evening for San Francisco on a visit to their daughter, Miss Ida Stafford, a student at Stanford university. They expect to be away about two months.

Injured Man Recovers—Burton E. Eberhart, who was severely wounded by accidental discharge of a shotgun on a hunting trip some weeks ago at Derlo, Idaho, has returned to his work as manager of Werner's repair shop, Second street east.

Continues Trip—Mrs. Ida F. Gladstone, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Kieffert, of the Bogerson hotel left Tuesday morning for Salt Lake where she will visit a few days and from there to Colorado Springs to visit relatives before she returns to her home in Hollywood, California.

In Critical Condition—Roy Bryan of Mackay, who was taken about 10 days ago to the county general hospital from the county jail here where he was serving a sentence imposed in federal court for violation of prohibition laws, was reported Tuesday evening to be in serious condition from pneumonia. His wife, who arrived last week from Mackay, was in attendance upon him.

Mercury's High Mark Just at Frost Line

Forecast for today: Generally cloudy; somewhat warmer.

Temperature in the Twin Falls region fell to new low levels for the season Tuesday when mercury's high mark for the day was recorded at 32 above, a decline of one degree as compared with Monday's high, with low at 15 above, representing a decline of nine degrees.

FALLS DISTRICT VOTERS RE-ELECT DIRECTORS

The vote at the several voting places reported was as follows:

Springfield—Barker 14; Wylie 14.
Wendell—Barker 12; Wylie 12.
Jerome—Barker 16; Wylie 15; J. McGowan 1.

Buhl—Barker 51; Wylie 46.
Ellis—Barker 17; Wylie 17.
Twin Falls—Barker 36; Wylie 36.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Pan-Hellenic club has completed plans for its annual Christmas dance for the home-coming college students, which will be given December 22 in the Parish hall.

The Blue Lakes Boulevard club will meet with Mrs. Carlyle Pickett Friday, December 12. Come prepared to sew.

The Women's Council of the Christian church will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Tucker, 229 Fourth avenue east. There will be annual election of officers and a good attendance is desired.

The Episcopal Guild will meet with Mrs. W. Trentowsky on Third avenue north Thursday afternoon. Mrs. J. R. Bothwell will give a paper, "Famous Madonnas," which she gave at the last meeting of the art department of the twentieth century club. This was an exceptionally fine paper and it is hoped all the Guild members may be present to enjoy it.

CANDY STORE PROPRIETOR TO ANSWER TO ACCUSATION
Peter Georgopolis, proprietor of a confectionary store at 130 Shoshone street west, is to be given a hearing at 2 o'clock this afternoon before Judge O. P. Duvall in probate court here on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Georgopolis was arrested early Sunday morning at his place of business by police officers.

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COINER TO BE CANDIDATE

Hansen Man Indicates Readiness to Try for Canal Company Directorship; Has Served Previously.

Charles W. Coiner of Hansen, who served for a number of years as director of the Twin Falls Canal company, stated to friends here Tuesday that he was willing to become a candidate for canal company director to be elected at the annual meeting of stockholders to be held here next month.

Previously D. J. Koenig of Hansen had announced his purpose to make the race.

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