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THE FINAL LAND OPENING

Five Hundred Applicants for Land Meet in Twin Falls to Take Advantage of the Opportunities Afforded to Secure Exceptionally Fine Land in the Last Opening of the Twin Falls Land Tract.

Five hundred men with money in their pockets and high hopes in their breasts stood around a wagon on Thursday afternoon for four hours waiting for Fortune to smile. Some of them elbowed their way out of the crowd early, triumphantly bearing red tickets which entitled them to their choice of the 100,000 acres of magnificent farm lands under the high line canal of the Twin Falls Land & Water company. Others waited until the sun was low over the western horizon and regretfully strode in the direction of the nearest restaurant. They had been disappointed in not having their names drawn out early and decided to take another look before making their locations.

The occasion was the last drawing for lands under the Twin Falls canal. It resulted in the sale of more than 20,000 acres of land and as many water rights. There still remains about 80,000 acres, in which are many sections, quarters and halves equal to the best, though further removed from Twin Falls.

C. D. Thomas, special agent of the state land department, superintendent of the drawing. George F. Redway of Boise stood on the opposite side of the wagon seat and recorded the names of the card holders as fast as the cards were drawn from the box. Alois Groh, a lad of 12 years, drew the cards from the box. When he drew No. 4, Senator Al Page of Wardner, the lucky holder, handed him a bright \$5 gold piece. Later in the afternoon young Groh gave way to Ivan Gilbert, who delved into the box as though he were trying to lift kittens out of a nest.

The drawing began at 1 p. m. and was conducted without a trace of confusion. The cards, 354 in number, were placed in a box in plain view of the spectators, and thoroughly mixed. The box had a slit in the top large enough to admit the boy's hand, but too small to permit a peep inside. As the cards were taken out they were handed to the owners, who took them into the Hall building, where the filings were made. State Bank Examiner C. S. Loveland, A. S. Bibbins, I. R. Darrow and B. F. Howe took care of the land purchasers, while General Manager Walter G. Filer and Chief Engineer Bickel of the Water company saw that the selections were marked off and announced to those in waiting.

At first it looked as though the drawing would last far into the night, but as the afternoon wore on and the interest subsided progress was more rapid. On the stroke of 5 o'clock the last card was taken from the box. It belonged to O. G. Kerr of Boise, and through a peculiar mishap it was wedged in a crack in the top of the box, where the boy could not have reached it had he tried.

The first card drawn was that of Pat McEntee of Spokane. Mr. McEntee had forwarded a certified check and power of attorney to the Twin Falls Investment company. The company could not act for him, and at his request the

check and power of attorney were turned over to a citizen of Twin Falls, F. W. Eickhoff, who made the selection. Jesse C. Poland drew the next card, and in order followed Fred H. Handley, Senator Al Page, John J. Hogan, R. B. Reynolds, Charles A. Leeper, Thomas M. Baird, W. A. Danielson, Frank L. Evans, Wm. Rouge, Arthur E. Booth, Julia B. Stodemeier, Jason Warren, R. C. Winslow, Abraham Bebout, Homer C. Pettijohn, Rachel C. Hamilton, and David L. McLean.

About 10 per cent of those whose names were drawn last decided not to select lands until they had made another inspection of the ground. A few drew down their certified checks and left the city. They had hoped for early choices with which they could speculate.

The early choices were no better than the late ones. Many a man whose card number was over 100 secured land equal to the first selection. The selections were mostly in the vicinity of Twin Falls City, township 11, range 17, being particularly favored.

NOTES.

It is not an easy matter for an eight months old city with a resident population of 1200, to accommodate more than 500 visitors, yet Twin Falls did it on the day of the drawing and not one of the strangers complained. Some of the plucky land seekers had to content themselves with hard pallets, but not a growl was heard.

Old timers who participated in many famous "rushes" declared they never knew an occasion of the kind to pass off smoothly as the last opening of the Twin Falls tract. Everybody was sober and in good humor. Not a disgruntled man could be found in the city.

The arrangements for the drawing could not have been improved upon. Everything had been carefully planned in advance and not a detail was overlooked. Even the few who were disappointed at not securing the low numbers they hoped for took their ill fortune, if such it might be termed, good naturedly.

One feature of the occasion which appealed strongly to strangers was the total absence of anything suggestive of a "hold-up." Although crowded beyond their capacity, the restaurants met all demands at regular prices. A meal good enough for any man was obtainable for 35 cents. The citizens threw their doors open and furnished the strangers with beds at the usual rates. Many of the visitors openly complimented their hosts and publicly expressed their good opinion of the community. The sentiment created by the hospitality of the Twin Falls people caused many a man to think better of the district and declare his intention of making his home among good citizens. A spirit of fair dealing prevailed on all sides and did much to elevate the already high reputation of the irrigation project, the state land department, the investment company and the residents of Twin Falls.

Sale of University Lands.

The auction sales of university

lands occurred on Wednesday afternoon. A total of 3200 acres was disposed of in one hour and forty-five minutes. The highest bid was \$29 an acre, the lowest \$15, and the average \$12.50. Plus the \$15 for water, these figures would make the land average \$36.50. W. H. Wattis of Ogden paid the highest and lowest prices. In all he purchased 1040 acres and paid \$22,073 cash for the property. Mr. Wattis is an official of the Utah Construction company and it is understood that the company will establish winter quarters for its livestock on the lands purchased.

The university lands lie from seven to nine miles distant from Twin Falls and miles from the railway line. They contain many choice lots, but are no better than the Carey act lands and further away from the city than the earlier of the latter selections.

Hon. C. D. Thomas.

Hon. C. D. Thomas and family left Sunday for Boise, from which point they will shortly depart for Twin Falls, where Mr. Thomas has accepted a position on the state land board, which will require his absence from Nezperce for a period of two years at least. Mr. Thomas and his estimable family have filled a large space in our social and business life during their three years' residence here and they will be missed correspondingly. Nezperce and Nezperce prairie and the county in general appreciate the services of Mr. Thomas in the last two legislatures where his fidelity and ability brought him into prominence throughout the state, and when his law partner, Judge Stearns, concluded to reject the appointment tendered him by the state administration for purely business reasons, the governor had no hesitancy in tendering Mr. Thomas the same appointment. The Herald and the people of Nezperce regret the departure of Mr. Thomas and family, but feel sure that no difference in what position Mr. Thomas is placed he will not be found wanting in those qualities which make a tried and trusted public official. — Nezperce Herald.

The Power Plant.

I. B. Perrine returned the first of the week from his Chicago trip. He reports the power plant project being pushed with all possible speed. The machinery and water wheel will arrive in the very near future and will be put in place as soon as practicable. The poles for the feed wires and also the wire are arriving and will be set immediately.

In July the power and light will be ready for delivery to the people of Twin Falls and vicinity. The suburban electric street railway will also be launched about that time and plans will be laid to run cars to Shoshone Falls and Twin Falls via Blue Lakes. Tourists passing this place en route to Portland and the coast will have an opportunity to view some of Idaho's most beautiful scenery and to look upon the greatest water falls in the west, which will undoubtedly serve as an excellent advertisement of this favored section of Idaho.

SUFFICIENT WATER ASSURED

The Supply of Water Which Will Be Transmitted Through the Land & Water Company's Big Ditch Will Not Only Be Ample for Irrigation Purposes But Enough for Other Uses.

When are we going to get water?

This important question, so often asked, is easily answered. Unless Providence should chastise Cassia county with a cloudburst the Twin Falls Land & Water company's low line canal will be carrying water east of the city on April 1.

There have been no delays, no disappointments. Knowing that it is better to be safe than sorry, the Water company has not tried to force matters. Every inch of the canal has been carefully tested and pronounced as sound as human hands could make it. The puddling has been systematic and thorough and as a result the bed and sides of the canal were found in perfect condition when the water was shut off a few days ago to permit of inspection.

At the time of the shut off the water was coming in so fast at the head of Perrine coulee that it overflowed the banks of the coulee and flooded one of the company's camps. This was anticipated, the water being allowed to run in order that the engineers might learn just where it would go. A trench is being dug at the coulee in order to confine the flow. This trench will be completed by the first of next week. Meanwhile the bed of the canal is being inspected with gratifying results. Not a semblance of defect has been found.

Perrine and Twin Falls coulees will be living streams in a few days. From each of them laterals will lead over the tributary lands, a large portion of which are under cultivation. It will thus be seen that the laterals traversing the city and vicinity will be carrying water before the end of next week.

Perrine coulee empties over the grade opposite Blue Lakes on the south side, making a cascade 200 feet in height. The tumult of the cascade may frighten nervous horses, but it will furnish a beautiful spectacle for travelers. At the point where the water pitches over the rim rock the road is several feet under the overhanging rocks. It is possible that the spray will keep the roadbed in the cove moist, but there is no danger of a washout. The water has poured over there before and its course is well known.

Twin Falls coulee will be equally spectacular, though not so convenient to see. It is expected that both coulees will carry a heavy volume of water for some time to come.

At the time the water was shut off the canal was carrying 200 second feet; sufficient to irrigate 16,000 acres. The amount might have been doubled without the slightest trouble had necessity demanded.

Dry Creek reservoir is filled to a mark three feet above the level of the canal bottom on the west side. It contains sufficient water to irrigate twice every acre under the low line canal that will be cultivated this year. Thus the most remote possibility of water shortage, even though Snake river should run dry, is removed. Ultimately the reservoir will hold

enough water above the level of the canal bed on the west side, to irrigate the entire acreage under cultivation below for an indefinite period. It would seem that bountiful nature had provided the reservoir in the most convenient location for the convenience of man.

An important feature of the canal system to which little attention seems to have been paid is its facility for water power. Whenever power has been mentioned it naturally suggested Shoshone falls, the greatest power site in America with the possible exception of Niagara falls.

At the end of the main canal, where the high and low line canals diverge, there is a drop of 75 feet. Without interfering in the least with irrigation, 10,000 horsepower can be generated at this point.

On Rock creek, six miles east of Twin Falls, there is another drop in the low line canal which can furnish 2000 horsepower.

When the quality of the land in the vicinity of these power sites is considered it is natural that a shrewd man should talk of sugar factories.

In discussing the future of Twin Falls the remark is often made that cities supported by agricultural and horticultural communities can grow so much and no more. In this electric age power is the great developer, and no city in America is so well equipped as Twin Falls in this respect. Salt Lake now consumes 6000 horsepower. It is said to be unreliable at times, and complaint is continuous. In fact, when the announcement was made that Salt Lake would be supplied with electrical energy from Shoshone falls the business men of the city felt much more comfortable than before. Twin Falls will have 20,000 horsepower at her very gates before three months have passed. Unless an earthquake should rend the rocky canyon asunder and obliterate the falls no interruption to the power plant which I. B. Perrine and his associates are now constructing is possible. From intake to outlet the tunnel is in solid rock and the danger of annoyance from ice is so far removed that it cannot possibly be considered in the light of a menace. Should ice come down at any time a few hours' work would safeguard the tunnel.

Augur falls, Twin falls and Salmon falls are all within very easy reach of the city and their combined energy which almost surrounds the city of Twin Falls and makes it the ideal manufacturing center of the future.

Homesteaders' Rates.

The Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line railroads will sell round trip homesteaders' tickets to Idaho points on the first and third Tuesdays of February, March, April and May, 1905. These rates will apply from Missouri River points east as far as St. Paul, Chicago and St. Louis. The rate will be one first-class fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip. Tickets good 21 days.

Subscribe for the News.

Two of the Russian generals who were at Port Arthur have decided to go to Japan as prisoners of war rather than to be paroled. They may have private reasons for not wishing to meet their czar—or their wives.

—Brooklyn Eagle

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"What the future will bring I dare not think."

glistering red arms on her apron, she looked a picture of good nature, good cheer. Many a time had she given of her own limited store, rejecting vehemently Mrs. Reliance's objections. "Shure you'd do the same if you had it, darlint. Toosh—don't be foolish."

She was the life of the little party to-night, and little Margaret, clumping

They were alone in the deserted and empty outer room. The man leaped heavily against the door leading to the hall-way and thence to the street.

"Would you not rather have this than your own milk-brooch?" he asked rapidly, hurriedly. "See-it is a milk-brooch. The setting is beautiful. One of the best. You can have it to seize her hand."

"Stop!" she cried in a ringing voice. "I came here to pay the interest on my brooch."

He slunk toward the half-opened

A fox, being hard pressed by the Tidworth Hunt, washed through the large window of the dining room of the residence of Major Foyle, R. F.

at once for riotous living, so he fixed it so that he would get \$1 a week.

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It's Ours - Good Place.
Editor George N. Ift of the Tribune, through the intervention of Senator Heyburn, has been offered the consulship at Chatham, Canada. The position will pay about \$3,000 per year and also affords an opportunity for advancement in the service.
Mr. Ift had the endorsement of the state committee, the state administration and every member of the legislature of the state of Idaho, and was backed in his application for a position by Senator Heyburn and Congressman French. The appointment while not just what Mr. Ift wanted, is regarded as a very good one, considering the difficulty in getting such an appointment of any kind for Idaho.
Mr. Ift has not fully decided whether to accept the offer or not, but with the assurance that there will soon be a promotion for him to a place in the European service, he will probably accept the place. —Pocatello Advance.

Visits the Twin Falls Section.
A. S. Bibbins returned yesterday from Twin Falls, where he secured a ranch. He said two and a half feet of water is running through the canal as far as Dry Creek lake, a distance of about ten miles, and that the lake is filling up slowly.
The great apython ten feet in diameter and 452 feet long, crossing Rock creek canyon, Mr. Bibbins said, is now completed, except a little work on the approaches. It is a great work, as the canyon is nearly 100 feet deep where the water had to be carried across it. The main laterals in all directions appeared to be about ready for water, which is not expected to reach Twin Falls City for several days. Speaking of the development down that way, Mr. Bibbins said it was a great surprise to him to see a bustling village out on the desert, and to see so many people crowding in to get land. Sixty land seekers were at Twin Falls the day Mr. Bibbins was there, and as he came over to Shoshone he met over 50 loaded teams hauling lumber, groceries and all kinds of supplies to Twin Falls. The railroad has reached the river and gangs of graders are at work all along the route to Twin Falls. The days of the freighter and \$10 per thousand for hauling lumber over from the railroad are already numbered. —Capital News.

Another Power Company.
John A. Bagley, who had been here as attorney in the Cassia county damage case, left for Salt Lake yesterday afternoon. He stated he was going down there to attend a meeting of stockholders and directors of a new power company that had been organized to generate electrical energy at Shoshone Falls and convey it to points in Utah.
Mr. Bagley stated the company was known as the Shoshone Power company. Its articles of incorporation had been filed in Cassia county, and would be filed with the secretary of state in a day or two. The company was capitalized for \$5,000,000, he added, and there were about 70 of the leading business men of Salt Lake among the subscribers to the stock.
Continuing, Mr. Bagley said the president of the company was Francis M. Lyman, the apostle. Other officers and directors were: John A. Bagley, vice-president and general counsel; L. R. Martineau, secretary and treasurer; F. M. Lyman, Jr., chief engineer, and A. L. Woolley. Among the stockholders were Eber J. Grant, John Henry Smith, B. F. Grant and Spencer Clawson.
Mr. Bagley said the company had a power site on the south side of the river, and a right to 3000 second-foot of water. It was the plan to take the water from the river through a tunnel 400 feet in length bored through the solid rock and drop into a pen-stock with a fall of 200 feet. It was calculated to generate 65,000 horse-power.
The estimated cost of installing the power plant and building the transmission line, Mr. Bagley added, was \$1,000,000, while another million would be expended in the building of distributing stations and equipment of

subsidiary companies. The length of the line to Salt Lake would be 165 miles.
It was the intention to supply power not only to Salt Lake, but also to Ogden, Provo and many other points. The company would sell the electrical energy at wholesale, Mr. Bagley explained, and would deliver it wherever it should be needed in sufficient quantity to justify the construction of lines.
The company, it was said further, would make an application for a franchise in Salt Lake for supplying electricity for light and power purposes. Among the patrons of the company would be a number of interurban railway companies in Utah. Mr. Bagley made the further statement that they had a market in sight for all the power that could be generated by the proposed plant.
The new company is not to be confused with the Shoshone Falls Power company, which was organized four years ago, and has rights to 10,000 second foot on the north side of the river. —Boise Statesman.

An Experimental Farm.
Idaho is to have a model farm where farming will be engaged in by the general government, co-operating with the state. The general plan was agreed upon in Salt Lake the first of the week, when State Engineer James Stephenson was called in consultation with Elwood Mead, chief of drainage and irrigation for the government reclamation department.
The state engineer returned to Boise yesterday morning, well pleased with the result of his visit. The problem of how much water is actually required to grow and ripen certain crops has never been settled in this section. One farmer's claims one figure and another a different one. Neither has the most economical way of using water been decided, whether by flooding of by small ditches. In order to learn something reliable on what Mr. Mead calls the "Duty of Water," important experiments are to be made.
Through the co-operation of the Twin Falls Land and Water company, a tract of 80 acres has been secured and the company will furnish free all the water that may be desired. The farm will be divided into eight 10-acre fields, each field to be treated differently. Crops of all kinds will be grown and all the different methods of applying water will be tested. Careful measurements of the water used on each field will be made frequently so that at every stage of growth the amount of water used will be known. The result of this investigation, on account of the care that will be given to the use of the water under all conditions and to the keeping of the records by experts, it is expected the knowledge gained will be of great value to every resident of the arid belt.
The reclamation department will furnish the seed and will begin work on the "scientific farm" as soon as the water is available. It will probably be located near Twin Falls City on account of convenience for those engaged in the work as well as for those who desire to visit the farm during the summer. Government experts from the agricultural department are likely to be placed in charge of the agricultural features, but the measurements of water will be under Mr. Mead and the state engineer.

Mr. Stephenson said he met G. L. Swenson, district engineer for Utah in the reclamation service, and the Government Bear river project was talked over. This project is a large one, but so many obstacles are found that it will take a long time to overcome them. Mr. Swenson, he found, was a most agreeable gentleman, disposed to take a reasonable view of matters with no desire to run counter to the wishes of the public.
It was arranged with Mr. Mead for the government to furnish a man to make investigations along the Malad and Wood rivers during the summer to obtain measurements of the flood waters, low waters and general conditions. —Capital News.
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United States Land Office at Idaho Falls, Idaho, March 20, 1905.
Department of the Interior.
NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settlers of Idaho, who are entitled to make final proof on their respective claims before the Register and Receiver at Idaho Falls, Idaho, on Thursday, April 13, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
WITNESSES: L. B. Perrine of Blue Lakes, Idaho; S. D. Burton of Minner, Idaho; S. B. Miller of Salt Lake City, Utah.
HARLEY O. MILLNER, assignee of John Stephenson, of Boise, Idaho, on Desert Land Entry No. 339, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
WITNESSES: L. B. Perrine of Blue Lakes, Idaho; S. D. Burton of Minner, Idaho; S. B. Miller of Salt Lake City, Utah.
STANLEY B. MILLNER, assignee of John Stephenson, of Boise, Idaho, on Desert Land Entry No. 339, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
WITNESSES: L. B. Perrine of Blue Lakes, Idaho; S. D. Burton of Minner, Idaho; S. B. Miller of Salt Lake City, Utah.
HULDA HILZ, formerly HULDA JOBERG, of Salt Lake City, Utah, on Desert Land Entry No. 372, for the NW 1/4, Sec. 8, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
WITNESSES: L. B. Perrine of Blue Lakes, Idaho; S. D. Burton of Minner, Idaho; S. B. Miller of Salt Lake City, Utah.
LULU MILLNER, assignee of William L. Stephenson, of Boise, Idaho, on Desert Land Entry No. 337, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
WITNESSES: L. B. Perrine of Blue Lakes, Idaho; S. D. Burton of Minner, Idaho; S. B. Miller of Salt Lake City, Utah.
WILLIAM D. PERRINE, of Twin Falls, Idaho, on Desert Land Entry No. 337, for the SW 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 10 S., R. 18 E., B. M.
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Thos. Costello in Salt Lake.

Vice-President and General Eastern Manager Thomas Costello of the Twin Falls Investment company is in the city from Chicago. He is just down from Twin Falls City, and will go back in a day or two. He states that the town now has a population of about 1500, and is rapidly growing. About all the land thrown open on the initial opening has been taken up and cabins dot the landscape for miles around. Crops are planted in many cases and in eighteen months the former desert will, he states, look like a garden spot. In all there are 271,000 acres to be cultivated under the great canal, and the whole will undoubtedly be settled and the railroad will traverse the entire tract within another two years, making it the finest agricultural region of Idaho.—Salt Lake Tribune.

Ladies' Friday Afternoon Club.

Some of the ladies of Twin Falls, deploring the lack of social intercourse, quietly formed a club of eight members. Since no member had a house large enough to entertain as many as they would like, it was agreed that each as hostess would invite as many of her friends as her home could accommodate. In this way it was proposed that nearly every card playing lady would enjoy an afternoon with them; still placing the guest under no social obligation to any one but her hostess. The club consists of Mrs. McCollum, president; Mrs. Cloucheck, treasurer; Mesdames Boyd, Wisely, Williams, Milner, Burrington and Miss McCollum.

Twin Falls Boom.

A special from this place to the Boise Capital News says: This remarkable town in the desert, thirty-five miles from the railroad, started last October, now has nearly 2000 inhabitants. The two miles of sidewalk are thronged with people now here in attendance at the state land sale of five sections which began an hour ago. The lands are bringing from \$25 to \$60 per acre and are from eight to fifteen miles from town. The larger part of the crowd is here to attend the opening of the last of the Carey land in Cassia county, amounting to 30,000 acres.

No. 7608.

Report of the Condition of

The First National Bank of Twin Falls, at Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, at the close of business, March 14, 1905:

| RESOURCES. | |
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| Loans and Discounts..... | \$ 2,750.00 |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... | 6,250.00 |
| Premiums on U. S. Bonds..... | 296.88 |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures..... | 951.65 |
| Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)..... | 32,536.18 |
| Due from approved reserve agents..... | 12,280.00 |
| Checks and other cash items..... | 1,634.85 |
| Notes of other National Banks..... | 2,040.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents..... | 21.62 |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:— | |
| Specie..... | \$1,392.30 |
| Legal-tender notes..... | 2,975.00 |
| Expenses account..... | 226.13 |
| Total..... | \$62,774.61 |

| LIABILITIES. | |
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| Capital stock paid in..... | \$15,000.00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check..... | 41,941.76 |
| Demand certificates of deposit..... | 3,644.65 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding..... | 1,888.20 |
| Liabilities other than those above stated..... | 400.00 |
| Total..... | \$62,774.61 |

STATE OF IDAHO,
COUNTY OF CASSIA, ss.
I, J. M. Maxwell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
J. M. MAXWELL, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
I, B. PERRINE, President,
S. H. HAYS, Secretary,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March, 1905.
(Signed) S. T. HAMILTON,
Notary Public.

Legal Notice.

Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
Washington, D. C.
Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that
The First National Bank of Twin Falls, in the town of Twin Falls, in the County of Cassia, and State of Idaho, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with by national banks, and is authorized to commence the business of banking; Now, therefore, I, Thomas B. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that
The First National Bank of Twin Falls, in the town of Twin Falls, in the County of Cassia, and State of Idaho, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty-One Hundred and Sixty-Nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this thirteenth day of February, 1905.
(SPECIAL AGENT) J. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.
To Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership, heretofore existing between O. H. HARRIS and CHAS. P. DIEHL, under the firm name and style of Harris & Diehl, was on the 25th day of February, 1905, dissolved by mutual consent, and the property, books and accounts thereof, and all bills receivable turned over to the said CHAS. P. DIEHL, by whom all the accounts due said partnership will be collected, and who has assumed and will pay all bills payable by said partnership.
Dated this 25th day of February, 1905.
(Signed) O. H. HARRIS,
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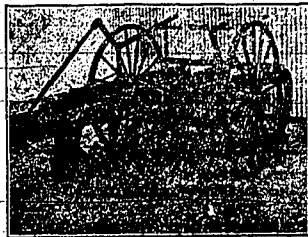
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Commits Suicide in Pocatello.

A stranger was found dead in a room in the Salt Lake lodging house Saturday evening, with evidence that he had committed suicide by taking laudanum and that he had been dead since Friday night. He had taken a room at the place Wednesday and it has been learned that he purchased laudanum. Papers found on his person indicate that his name was S. H. Pore and that he had been working at Minidoka as a carpenter. He was about 50 years old, sandy complected with freckled face and hands, red hair and mustache and about 5 feet, 8 inches in height.—Pocatello Advance.

Mr. Pore is well known here and has been doing carpenter work here for the past two months. The news of his death comes as a great surprise to his many friends and acquaintances here, who are unable to account for his rash act.

Bade Her Good Night.

A party of travelers with vigorous appetites alighted from the stage at Blue Lakes a few evenings ago. Among them were three or four friends of Mr. Perrine. The young lady who manages the dining room so capably was informed by Mr. Perrine, who hurriedly repeated their names, that his friends must not be allowed to pay for their meals. Not wishing to make a mistake, she asked each guest his name.

"What is your name, please?" she inquired of a robust gentleman.

"Good night," he replied, as he thrust a half dollar in her hand and hurried away.

The young lady found herself one guest short and she remarked:

"I wonder if it wasn't that eccentric gentleman who bade me good night and rushed off when I asked him his name?"

The guilty man, who was none other

than Representative Goodnight of Nez Perce county, had a hearty laugh over the incident, but he thinks of going out by way of Shoshone falls instead of Blue Lakes for fear the young lady might insist on refunding his money.

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Every person who comes to Idaho to make a home or do any kind of farming, should secure the Gem State Rural. It covers all branches of agriculture, and is the only paper in Idaho that does. Irrigation is given special prominence. The paper has also a good household department and reliable market reports. It is published every week, with 12 pages of fresh, up-to-date matter and illustrations. Price, only \$1 per year. It is the best dollar investment in Idaho. Give the paper a trial. Address, Gem State Rural, Caldwell, Idaho.

Attempt to Break Jail.

A special dispatch from Shoshone to the Boise Statesman, under date of March 24, says:

An attempt to break jail was made last night, and but for its timely discovery by Deputy Sheriff Purdum would have been successful. The three prisoners sentenced this week to the penitentiary, and the two charged with counterfeiting had the run of the corridor of the jail. They succeeded in getting an axe and attempted to work a hole through the brick wall between the jail and the coal cellar of the court house.

Deputy Clerk Anderson first noticed the prisoners with an axe while passing the building and notified the deputy sheriff, who searched the jail and found a place in the wall under a cot where the bricks had been taken out, making a hole large enough to admit the body of a man. Had the prisoners gotten through the wall they could have walked out of the court house at night without being detected.

When the discovery was made the prisoners were locked up in cells and the traveling guard from the penitentiary secured his three men this morning, taking them to Boise.

Motive Power in China.

From time immemorial the Chinese have depended upon draft animals and man power for transportation by land. The wheelbarrow and the clumsy bullock cart are still used and it is no uncommon sight to see a "freight train" consisting of barrows, with men pushing at the heavy handles and each man's wife walking ahead, pulling bravely at the load. Railroads are coming in slowly. Between Canton and Fatsan are a number of the little old locomotives that did good service for so many years on the elevated railway lines in New York city. These locomotives, by the way, are now pretty well scattered all over the habitable globe.

Mark Twain's Answer.

Mark Twain received a letter from New Zealand the other day, in which a small correspondent, in the midst of the enthusiasm of the days of Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn, asked him plaintively if his name really was Clemens. It probably was not, as Clemens was the man who sold patent medicines in Wellington, and besides, the writer was fond of the name Mark—was there not a Mark Anthony in the Bible?

The humorist was immensely pleased with the whole thing, and sent out an answer that may yet become an heirloom in the New Zealand family. And one of the things he said was: "As Mark Antony has got into the Bible, I am not without hopes myself."

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Idaho's Future Railways
 The length of time being taken up by Mr. Bancroft and other officials in their trip over fields in Idaho soon to be penetrated by the rails of the Short Line indicate a season of activity in that state on the part of its pioneer railroad. Since its inception the Oregon Short Line has very naturally concentrated its effort toward building up Idaho, as that state contains the greater portion of its mileage and the state itself has presented a most alluring region for those who know how to build up a new country. It seems but a few years ago that state was but sparsely settled and in those days a person who had predicted that the Snake river desert would one day be a rich agricultural valley would have been ridiculed right and left. Today, however, the whole selection under the new canal is being turned into just such a valley and the rails will be there when the thresher turns out the first car of wheat.
 But the Minidoka line, the Malad Valley branch and the Boise extension are not the only new lines the Short Line has in view. The Mackay branch can be put through in time to both the Salmon river region and the Thunder Mountain country. It may not be this year or next, but there is every reason to believe that the Short Line secured all its information as to the region beyond each of its termini long ago and when the time comes the road will be ready to extend.
 Just at present the company is devoting its time to the two branches already planned and now being built, but it has its eyes on all the other regions and it is freely predicted that the Short Line will in the next five years increase its Idaho lines by at least 500 miles and every mile will add to the state's production.—Salt Lake Tribune.

Licenses Required to Sell Liquor.
 County Attorney Frank T. Disney secured another conviction for the state Tuesday, and by so doing "put another spoke in the wheel" of those who have been selling liquor without license at the Minidoka dam site. The case was that of the State vs. I. D. Alphin, and was tried before Judge Barger. The defendant was represented by Guy C. Barnum, and a jury trial was demanded. After hearing the evidence the jury brought in a verdict of guilty, and Judge Barger fined the defendant \$300. Notice of appeal to the district court was given and the defendant was released on \$450 bonds. This is Alphin's second offense in this line. Last month he was before Judge Barger on a similar charge and pleaded guilty and was fined \$100. County Attorney Disney is to be commended for the vigorous effort he is making to break up this illicit trade at the government works near Minidoka.—Shoshone Journal.

The Substance of Plants.
 Strange as it may seem, most of the structure of a plant comes from the air. The man who has not investigated this thinks that the woody part of the plant comes from the earth and that the very insignificant portion comes from the air. Air is such a very light thing and it takes so large a volume of it to weigh a little that it is exceedingly difficult to realize that the very hardest part of our plants are made out of pure air, and that only a very small part comes from the soil. The leaves of plants catch the carbon from the air and transform it into cellulose, out of which the soft cells of the developing plant are made. An illustration of which we see in the tender buds of trees and tips of celery. The cells are so soft they may be eaten and digested. But in a short time the cells harden and resist the operation of the digestive processes. The hardened cells make up the trunks of trees and the stems and main structure of most plants. If we want to know how much substance a plant gets from the air and how much from the soil, we have but to weigh the plant, burn it, and weigh the ashes. The ash is what came out of the earth. With most plants this is a very small proportion of the whole plant.

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But the average man buys an accident insurance ticket whenever he goes on a railway journey of any length, and never thinks of such a thing as getting the insurance to him to his office. Whenever a railway accident occurs he fears for days about the great loss of life. But he never thinks of the proportionately greater loss of life every day from accidents that befall men at home in their own houses. The returned missionary who publicly complained the other day that, after living entirely unharmed for four years among the wildest savages of Africa, he had not sooner returned to civilization than he met with a railway accident, that kept him in a hospital for six months, curiously illustrated the habit of the human mind to dwell upon remote dangers and ignore those near. Yet the fact is indisputable—the accident insurance companies have proved it to their financial loss and gain—that one of the most dangerous places a man can be in is at home, whereas one of the safest is in a first-class railway train at full speed, while the most safest place on earth is aboard a first-class steamship in the middle of the Atlantic—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

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BREVITIES

Buy your coffee at the Twin Falls
Grocery and have it ground.

J. M. Burnett's family arrived in
the city Wednesday to make their home
here.

Miss Crismon of Salt Lake has ac-
cepted the position of stenographer
with the firm of S. T. Hamilton & Co.
L. E. Gotrell and Dr. Coburn left
overland Tuesday morning for Twin
Falls, Idaho, to investigate that coun-
try.—See Perce Herald.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E.
Church will meet at the home of Mrs.
C. O. Morrell Thursday afternoon,
March 31. All are cordially invited.

It will bring rich, red blood, firm
flesh and muscle. That's what Hollis-
ters' Rocky Mountain Tea will do.
Taken this month, keeps you well all
summer. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.
For sale at Pioneer Drug store.

Measrs. Wright of the Wright Merc.
Co., Snyder of the Griffith Hardware
Co., and Brunt, grocery merchant, all
of Idaho Falls, arrived in the city Mon-
day to be present at the land opening
and investigate business opportunities.

L. C. Doty, superintendent of the
Bullion-Beck mine, accompanied by
John Anderson, assayer, and F. R.
Kimball, manager of the McCornick
bank, all of Eureka, Utah, arrived
in town Sunday to be present at the
final land opening.

C. B. Hurtt, who served as commis-
sioner for the state of Idaho at the St.
Louis exposition, and is interested
with Geo. F. Sprague in the Twin
Falls lands, was in the city a few days
this week, leaving Wednesday.—Delle-
vue News.

A state bank will shortly be opened
here by W. S. McCormick & Co. of
Salt Lake. Frank Kimball, who will
be cashier of the institution, was in
the city on Wednesday and selected a
building site on Main street near Shos-
hone avenue. A handsome building
will be erected at once.

There will be an entertainment
given in the schoolhouse, Saturday
evening, March 25, consisting of rec-
itation, singing and speaking, under
the auspices of the Woodmen of the
World. General Organizer F. R.

Pettitt of Boise is in the city in the in-
terest of the W. O. W., and expects to
organize next week with 100 members.
All members of the W. O. W., their
families and friends are requested to be
present.

O. V. Allen of the Allen Merc. Co.
departed for Boise Sunday.

Rev. Silas Perkins, resident pastor
of the Presbyterian church of Notus,
Idaho, was in town this week.

Mrs. J. R. Conway and daughters
Marguerite and Mildred arrived here
from Clarkston, Wash., last Wednes-
day, consequently J. R. is happy.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E.
Church will serve a ten cent lunch-
eon at the home of Mrs. Dr. Boyd
Thursday afternoon, April 7th. All
are invited to attend.

If you cannot eat, sleep or work, feel
mean, cross and ugly, take Hollis-
ters' Rocky Mountain Tea this month. A
tonic for the sick. There is no remedy
equal to it. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.
For sale at Pioneer Drug Store.

Mr. Geo. B. Fraser, who for some
time past has been the city editor of the
Boise Statesman, arrived in town this
week and will make this place his
future home. Mr. Fraser will have
charge of the News after April 1, and
will make of it a metropolitan paper.

C. S. Loveland was in town this
week from Boise rendering valuable
services at the land opening.

T. R. Jones of Blackfoot was in
town this week to attend the land open-
ing and also to distribute advertising
matter about the Carey act lands along
the Snake river near Blackfoot, which
are now open for settlement. Mr.
Jones states the lands are excellent
there and they are being taken quite
rapidly.

A movement is on foot to place a
base ball team in the field this season.
At a meeting held Thursday night at
The Liberal, J. E. Hayes was elected
acting manager of the Twin Falls
Base Ball club. Mr. Hayes immedi-
ately issued a general call for more
players and earnestly requests all ball
players to meet at The Liberal Satur-
day night, March 25.

W. D. Garlock who arrived in the
city a few days ago has decided to lo-
cate here permanently, and is busy at
present getting ready to open a real

estate office, having secured quarters
on the second floor of the Jones block.
Mr. Garlock is a thoroughly up-to-date
real estate man and comes to our city
well recommended, and the manner in
which he takes hold of matters in gen-
eral is assurance that he will succeed
in this line of business. The News
welcomes him to our city as such men
are needed in building up Twin Falls.

On Saturday, April 1, Mesdames
Hilyard & Brunk will have their mil-
linery opening, which they invite all
ladies of Twin Falls and vicinity to
attend. Many nice things to look at.

Frank Harger leaves Saturday for a
trip to Minidoka to look after his land
interests in that vicinity. While in
that town he will call on "Fatty"
Evans and say a few words of cheer,
which will hasten the advent of the
great "family journal" soon to be
launched there.

The meeting which was called at the
school house last Monday evening for
the purpose of considering the matter
of incorporation resulted in the de-
cision of the movers and those present
that the time was not ripe yet for such
a step. Incorporation will not be
effected for some time to come.

Chas. E. Miller, a carpenter and
builder of Shoshone, has opened a
shop next to Page's Transfer stables
and is making all kinds of kitchen
furniture, doors, windows, etc. Mr.
Miller is a first-class workman and
will no doubt be kept busy filling the
many orders he will receive.

Mrs. Wisely entertained the card
club Friday afternoon, at which time
the following ladies were invited
guests: Mesdames Baker, Eickhoff,
Baker and Diehl. High-five was the
principal amusement, at which Mrs.
McCollum was awarded first prize.
Refreshments were served and the af-
ternoon was enjoyably spent by all
present.

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