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## TRANSFER OF CANAL SYSTEM PREVENTED

Judge Walters Grants the Injunction Restraining the Company From Turning Over the Dam and Canal Until Such Time as it Appears that the State Land Board of State Engineer Has Accepted the System, as a Completed Work and Until the Nelson Bennett Judgment and the 1905 Tax Judgment Are Satisfied.

Judge Walters has granted the injunction sought by P. J. Holohan and others, restraining the Twin Falls Land & Water Co. from transferring the dam and canal system to the settlers for operating purposes. The injunction, which is now in force, will continue until such time as it appears that the state land board or state engineer has accepted the system as a completed work and also until it further appears that the judgment against the company and in favor of Nelson Bennett and likewise the judgment for taxes due for the year 1905 are either paid or held void by the courts. On Monday next Judge Walters, at chambers in Shoshone, will hear the application of A. D. McKinley in order restraining the Twin Falls Land & Water Co. from turning the water out of the canal system until the commencement of the irrigating season next spring. The hearing upon the application for an injunction to prevent the transfer of the system was conducted before Judge Walters in Twin Falls last Friday and Saturday and the judge announced his decision late last night.

This court held that it did not appear that either the state land board or the state engineer had accepted the dam and canal system as complete. Judge Walters expressed no opinion as to the authority or power of the court to go into the question of whether the dam or the canal system was completed, but specifically held that this court could not at this time go into the question as to whether or not the dam and canal system was completed. It is held that this question could not be raised in this court until it appears that the state land board or the state engineer has either accepted or rejected the canal system and dam as complete.

The court held further that the injunction should be granted because of the unpaid taxes for the year 1905 against the company. Judge Walters said that the judgment obtained against the company by Nelson Bennett, holding, however, that the mortgage for \$600,000 and the debt given by the company to W. S. Kuhn were not liens or charges within the meaning of the contract.

Judge Walters likewise held that the refusal of incorporation for the operation of the dam and canal system was a violation of the law. The injunction is now in force and will remain in force, as stated, until the land board or the state engineer has accepted the dam and canal system as complete. Judge Walters will hear arguments upon the application of the Nelson Bennett judgment and the 1905 tax judgment are satisfied.

The company is still running water to the canals and an injunction is being sought to prevent the water being shut off. This injunction is in the nature of a friendly action to establish the legal status of the proceedings. Judge Walters will hear arguments upon the application in Shoshone next Monday.

The court room was crowded but its capacity when the hearing of the case before Judge Walters on for a restraining order preventing the transfer of the system opened last Friday afternoon. Counsel for the plaintiffs contended that the contract between the state and the Land & Water Co. did not contemplate the transfer of the system to the settlers until the works were completed and all its obligations. Evidence tending to prove that the works were not complete was offered.

Judge Hays, counsel for the company, admitted that there was work to be done on the canals, but he contended that the company had substantially complied with the terms of a contract, excepting with respect to those questions on which there was a conflict of opinion. In the matter of substituting concrete headgates for wooden headgates, Mr. Hays stated that the wooden headgates, which had been authorized by the state and the Land & Water Co., unless the courts held that the state engineer had no authority to permit the substitution.

Glenn P. McKinley, of counsel for the plaintiffs, strenuously argued that he viewed that it would not be equitable to turn over a canal system which was not complete, for the reason that there would necessarily be a conflict of interest between the operating company and the Land & Water Co. In other words it would be asked to attempt to construct and operate at the same time. Citing the testimony of Mr. Volgt, Mr. McKinley contended that it was a difficult matter to distinguish between construc-

tion expenses and operating expenses, and that the Land & Water Co. would in any event control the canal system for one year at least, the segregation of interests would necessarily be involved. The Land & Water Co. would occupy a true relationship to the prospective stockholders in the operating company and would virtually occupy the position of a receiver, except that a receiver would be under the direction of the court, while in this instance the company would have free rein to classify the work as it saw fit. Were the canal system completed and accepted by the state land board and the state engineer, Mr. McKinley asserted there could be no possibility of a conflict of interest. However, inasmuch as the proposed transfer was not a final acceptance, it should not be permitted until the system was completed.

The Land & Water Co. was represented by Judge Hays and the plaintiffs by Stockinger, Bowen and McKinley & Larson. Numerous affidavits and other documentary evidence was submitted. Judge Walters took the case under advisement and announced his decision, as stated, last night.

## FILED FARMERS' HOLD MEETING

Committee Appointed to Represent Them in Twin Falls.

At a mass meeting, held at Elmer last Saturday the ways and means of organizing a representative association of the settlers under the Twin Falls canal system were discussed. W. P. Shinn was elected chairman and D. A. Randall secretary. Attorney E. V. Larson addressed the meeting, after which a general discussion of the situation followed. Mr. F. R. Switzer and Mr. D. Connor were chosen as a committee to represent the people of Elmer at the next meeting to be held in Twin Falls on January 10th. It was decided to have the qualification for membership and representation in voting to the discretion of this committee. During the discussion it seemed to be the opinion of all who took part that one interested should attend the mass meeting in Twin Falls and assist the committee in securing a satisfactory organization and that in forming a general association the tract should be divided into districts in order to secure fair and proportionate representation.

## WARM WEATHER AT CLEAR LAKE

NO SNOW IN THE SNAKE RIVER CANYON.

School Opened on Monday With Miss Eveleth as Teacher—Ota E. Syster is Recovering From an Attack of Illness.

CLEAR LAKE, Dec. 31.—We had a black Christmas here this year and unless we have snow soon we will have an open winter as it is quite warm here for this time of the year. Dr. Monroe passed through the valley last week to let his friends know that he was soon to leave for Milner where he will be located in the future. Will Panell and wife have moved to the state to spend the holidays with her son, Mr. Panell, who is now carrying the mail from Abbey to Hagerman via Clear Lake.

Ota E. Syster, who has been confined to the house for the past six weeks, is slowly improving. Mrs. M. E. Briggs is on the sick list this week. Mrs. Briggs' son, Samuel D. John, of Salmon creek called to see her this week. John Christy and wife were visiting in Buhl the first of the week.

Mrs. Nancy Christwell, mother of the Christwell brothers of this place, spent the Christmas holidays with her sons, Mr. Christwell is 80 years old and very bright and active for a woman of her years. She is one of the early pioneers of the west.

Dr. Monroe passed through Buhl on a business trip the first of the week. Miss George Eveleth began teaching school here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Snodgrass were in from Elmer Sunday and spent the day on their ranch.

Henry Tushon brought in a load of hogs for Snodgrass & Hopkins this week. They were taken to the ranch for the Buhl meat market. Mr. and Mrs. George Allen of Hagerman spent Christmas with relatives here.

## AN UNWELCOME CHRISTMAS CALL

RANGE CATTLE WRECK ROSE'S DUGOUT.

Called When the Owner Was Absent and Kicked Holes in the Roof—Oliver Morrison of Griswold, Iowa, Purchased the Ricks Place.

HANSEN, Jan. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Rose are spending the holidays with their parents at Soda Springs. Miss Nellie Rauch, who is attending high school in Spokane, took part in the declamatory contest held last week. Miss Rauch, who is a daughter of T. J. Rauch of Hansen, is a member of the Junior class and received first honors in the contest. Oliver Morrison of Griswold, Iowa, is the purchaser of the Ricks place adjoining the townsite. Mr. Morrison is a fine horseman and will be here in the spring with a lot of stock to work his place. Mr. Cranston, professor in the high school has moved on to the place and will take care of the stock until the arrival of Mr. Morrison. S. T. Hamilton, accompanied by an Iowa man was looking over this part of the country last week.

The Sunday school Christmas tree celebration and entertainment was very successful and enjoyed by all who attended. Miss Bixler is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Heyburn.

Joseph Nelson spent Christmas with his parents. He will finish his north side contract in two weeks.

Jonathan Walton is home from Jerome where he has been with survey party the past few months.

George Crockett spent the holidays with his parents. Mr. Crockett is forest ranger for the Rock Creek district.

Miss Aloise Smith came over from Twin Falls the past week and will remain here.

A lot of excitement was caused on the street on an evening last week. A street car was carrying a grip along the street when she accidentally dropped it. A sudden buzz and a rattle followed which caused many to think that it was a bomb.

It is to our streets, but it proved to be nothing more than an ordinary alarm clock moved to sudden action as a result of the dropping of the grip. It was given with a stream of hard luck Christmas eve. He has a dugout on his claim east of town. During his absence some range hick walked on the roof of his house breaking it in and doing a lot of damage.

## ENTERTAINMENT AT ROCK CREEK

Enjoyable Five Act Drama Presented by Local Talent.

ROCK CREEK, Jan. 1.—The five-act drama, "Daisy Garland's Fortune" was given at the school here on Christmas night by local talent. A large number of people attended and a very satisfactory performance was given. Miss Olga Bross had the part of Daisy Garland and was ably assisted by Miss Kate Larson, Carrie Hansen, Frances Burke, Walter Drose, Monte Atkins, Henry Larson and Perry Jones. Between the acts specialties were given by Miss Hansen who played a piano duet, recitations by Mrs. John E. Hayes, song by Miss Emily Larson and harmonica solos by Perry Jones. Following the play dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Among those present were a large number of people from Twin Falls.

## CHRISTMAS TREE AT SUCKER FLAT

SPLENDID PROGRAM BY SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Odd Fellows to Organize a Lodge at Flater—A. J. Woods is Building a Dairy Barn—Frank Brown to Buy a Carload of Hogs.

The Christmas tree celebration at the schoolhouse in Sucker Flat was well attended, in spite of the rainy weather. A large tree was beautifully decorated and loaded down with lots of good things for the children. The program which had been arranged by the teacher, Miss Hall, was carried out under the direction of Miss Jessie Angel on account of the sickness of Miss Hall. The program began with a song by all the school children. This was followed by recitations and march by 10 little girls. A negro song by 12 boys whose faces were only visible was the hit of the evening. Santa Claus appeared after the concert and distributed candy and pecora to all who attended, the latter being donated by the Idaho store of Flater. John Anderson was on the sick list and confined to the house on account of an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan of Buhl spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Angel.

Miss Maybelle Moor has gone to Los Angeles for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor of Longmont, Colo. have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Nels Lind.

George Smith of the county clerk's office was out looking over his ranch the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Drake and Mr. Bryan of Sucker Flat spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Drake of Flater.

A. J. Woods is building a fine dairy barn on his ranch.

Odd Fellows lodge is to be organized at Flater in the near future. A charter has already been sent for. There are quite a number of Odd Fellows in this vicinity.

Mr. Whitney lost a valuable horse recently.

A. D. McKinley is feeding 1600 head of sheep on his ranch and they are all going nicely.

Frank Brown will leave shortly for Nebraska to purchase a carload of thoroughbred Poland China hogs for the Conover & Brown ranch.

Mr. McCann is still threatening over the Sucker Flat district.

Dr. George L. Crocker is going into the sheep business.

Mr. Vanocell and family who have been living on the George Smith ranch have moved to their farm near Rock Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Vanocell are visiting at present in Utah.

## FINE OPERA HOUSE AT OAKLEY

One of the Best Structures of its Kind in the West.

The city of Oakley has the advantage of possessing one of the finest opera houses in the west. The building, which was erected by County Attorney B. P. Howells of Cassia county, is 106 feet in length and 48 feet wide and has a seating capacity of 800. The stage is modern in all respects and the balcony is artistically arranged. The building has a perfect system of exits and is an near fireproof as possible. It is a credit to the city and would be an ornament to any town.

## JEROME ENJOYS FIRST CHRISTMAS

FAT TURKEYS OFFERED AS A SACRIFICE.

Landowners Are Still Coming in and Active Movement in Realty Still Continues—Three Crews of Engineers for West End.

JEROME, Ida., Dec. 31.—Christmas in Jerome passed off quietly. Chef Golden of the restaurant sacrificed some of his fat turkeys for dinner and a fine spread was enjoyed. Other preparations had been made for a celebration but the day had the bad roads prevented those from the out-lying camps attending and the day passed much as usual.

Three engineering crews, one each under F. R. Berry, S. D. Clinton and C. W. Focht, left town this week for the extreme west end of the tract where they joined the crew of R. G. Raby already busy in the topography of that section.

Harvey W. Hurlbut, chief clerk at the land office is visiting his mother and sister in Butte. Most Mr. Hurlbut will remain until after New Year's.

Lila and Roy Golden, Ida and Thos. Lile, who have been attending school in Shoshone, are at home for their vacation.

Fred F. Cockburn, cashier of the Jerome state bank spent Christmas with friends in Milner. He is sorry to report that Mr. Cockburn, who was in poor health when he came to Idaho last spring, is having a slight recurrence of his old trouble.

Samuel Channell after a visit with his sister in Shoshone has returned to his duties in the land office.

Daniel Beaton, mine host at Wendell, was down Monday for a load of supplies.

Irvine McConnell has rented the Paul R. Kartzke house on Lincoln avenue.

Notwithstanding the ground is covered to a depth of six inches with snow, landowners are coming in every day and sales are constantly being made.

## PRETTY CUSTOMS PRESERVED

At the Wedding of Miss Dyer and Mr. Schneider.

Beneath a canopy of pink and white streamers and in the presence of a large number of invited guests, Miss Florence Dyer and Charles Friedrich Schneider were married at the Protestant church last Tuesday night by the Rev. John Gourley. The wedding party was met at the doors of the church by the ushers, John Gourley and Boyd Fuller, and escorted to the altar by the groom, who was wearing a suit of black and white. Music was rendered by Miss Fargo, organist, and George Rides, violinist. The best man was Samuel S. Chappman, maid of honor, Miss Elva McCann, best woman, Miss Mary Gouley and Miss Inez Dyer. Little Margie Baker acted as flower girl and Master Charles Dyer as ring bearer. The bride's gown was of antique lace and the groom wore a white suit of tulle. The dress was trimmed with lace and pearls from Mrs. Dyer's wedding dress. The bride carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The maid of honor and bridesmaids wore gowns of silk mull over pink satin and carried pink carnations. The bride's gift to her maid of honor and bridesmaids was a set of silk and chain while the groom presented his best man and ushers with silk pins. Following the ceremony at the church an informal reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dyer. All of the wedding party received. Mrs. Stalker, Mrs. Pike and Miss Parsons presided over the punch bowl. The table was pink and white with an abundance of white chrysanthemums and pink carnations. On a table in the dining room were displayed the presents received by the couple which were numerous and very beautiful.

## NOTICE

New Forms for Applications and Proofs. New forms of applications for homestead entry, as well as additional homestead entry, desert land entry and for timber or stone award statements, timber or stone final proofs, and yearling proof in desert land cases, have been adopted, and on and after March 1, 1908, no entries will be allowed in the class of cases above mentioned unless executed upon the new official forms or on forms which are exact duplicates thereof, both as to wording, arrangement and size. Each of said forms is a combination of the several forms and affidavits formerly required to be filed in such cases, and the use thereof will result in a saving of time, labor and expense to the local land office, proof-taking officers and claimants.

R. A. BALLINGER, Commissioner.

## GOOD SHOWING BY KIMBERLY BANK

ROADS MIGHT BE BETTER BUT TRAFFIC CONTINUES HEAVY—HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENTS WERE WELL ATTENDED AND WERE GREATLY ENJOYED.

Kimberly, Jan. 1.—Mrs. G. W. Kimberley, who is living out on her homestead, has been quite sick for some time past.

Geo. Holman has been unloading a car of lumber for the Weeter Lumber Co. during the holidays.

A carload of cedar poles arrived during the week which are being unloaded by Mr. Skinner and taken out to the Al Paso ranch, south of town.

J. E. Henley and C. W. Rice have been putting gravel on the gravel on the roof of the Hall building until froze over by the cold weather.

The doctor from Twin Falls was called to see the little daughter of Prof. Romig, who has the pneumonia. She is better at the present time.

E. M. Clay, of the firm of Nelson & Clay, leaves at once for Las Animas, Colorado, where he will visit relatives and friends until spring.

Mrs. D. M. Banta received a telegram Friday announcing the death of her father, who lived in Colorado. He left at once to be present at the funeral.

The dance in the hall Friday night was fairly well attended and a good time was had. The condition of the roads prevented many from coming in from the country.

Professor Heas has been spending the holidays painting his house when the weather permitted. He will be the birch at Stricker this winter.

Joseph Sudweeks left the last of the week for Rockland, Idaho, to take up supplies.

H. C. Pettiford has a position in a furniture store in Chicago, where he is spending the winter.

W. J. Calkins loaded a car of wheat ready for shipping, the condition of the rough roads prevented it from being shipped.

L. N. Williams has been hauling lumber from the Weeter yard at this place for his house east of town.

The annual report shows a gain of over 20 per cent in the business over its last published statement. This speaks well for the condition of the Kimberly farmers.

H. G. Young returned Monday from Payette.

The Ladies Pioneer club will meet with Mrs. Susie Prothero on Thursday, January 2. This is the time for the annual presentation of officers and a full attendance is desired.

This an ill wind that blows nobody good, according to the business around our black sheep shop. Mr. Bismeler is kept busy shoeing horses and repairing on account of the wintry roads.

John Cline's son and daughter-in-law arrived Saturday from Montana, and will be taking over the place on Rock southwest of here Sunday. John took a few days Christmas while over and left G. E. Batty in charge of the heavy stable in his absence.

Mr. Bismeler's son and daughter-in-law bought a lot from E. C. Crocker last week. The lot is situated on the east side of Main street in Kimberly. C. W. Rice has a clear view of the land north of the depot that was recently sold by Mr. Gouling. Get a few more pieces cleared up around town and Kimberly will get out from among the suckers.

The school children are back at hard work after a few days recreation. A good school is reported this time.

Mr. E. T. Tilley, a member of the firm of Kimberly Supply Co. and the Kimberly Produce & Implement Co., left during Christmas for his former home in Iowa, to visit relatives. He came west to take care of Washington 17 years ago and has never been back until the present time. Mr. Tilley came to Kimberly at the opening and has been here since. His many friends wish him a pleasant vacation which he has certainly earned.

T. T. Rutledge, the Hansen lumber man, was here on business Monday.

Ed Claborn has some nice fat hogs ready for market but the roads seem to have struck the hog market as well as other things.

Everybody is busy paying taxes these days. A larger portion of the farmers are meeting their taxes here they were due this year than last.

E. U. McIntire is supposed to be one of Kimberly's model horsekeepers. He has been here all kinds of furniture to his new house at the south edge of town. He has everything quite handy—even placed his elstern fence to fill in when the ditches freeze over and he has no means to back until the present time. Mr. Tilley came to Kimberly at the opening and has been here since. His many friends wish him a pleasant vacation which he has certainly earned.

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H. A. Kowal held a fat sow to Marshall Barnhouse for beef Monday. The Christmas entertainment and tree was well attended and a good time was enjoyed by the children.

## WEATHER REPORT FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER

Date	Maximum	Temperature	Minimum	Range	Prevailing Wind	Direction	Character of Days
1	55		23	32	E		Clear
2	53		18	35	E		Clear
3	52		14	38	E		Clear
4	50		19	31	SE	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
5	59		25	34	SW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
6	53		20	33	S	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
7	50		41	9	SW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
8	53		22	31	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
9	43		23	20	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
10	44		19	25	SE	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
11	42		36	6	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
12	53		31	22	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
13	45		31	14	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
14	53		23	30	SE	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
15	40		17	23	E	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
16	32		26	6	NW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
17	32		11	21	NW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
18	25		7	18	E	Clear	Clear
19	29		45	16	E	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
20	32		19	13	E	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
21	53		12	41	NW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
22	43		25	18	SE	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
23	43		20	23	SE	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
24	42		30	12	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
25	45		31	14	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
26	45		21	24	W	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
27	39		24	15	R	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
28	31		14	17	SW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
29	38		17	21	SW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
30	42		9	33	E	Pt. Cloudy	Clear
31	41		27	14	SW	Pt. Cloudy	Clear

Summary. Precipitation—Total, 1.55 inches; greatest in 24 hours, 1.23, on the 26th. Total snow fall, 5 1/2 inches; no days with .01 or more precipitation, 6; clear, 5; partly cloudy, 21; cloudy, 5.

# HOW TO REFORM CORPORATIONS

EXCELLENT PAPER BY EUGENE R. PRUSSING

Prominent Chicago Attorney Offers What President Roosevelt Terms the Most Sensible Suggestions Thus Far Advanced.

Eugene R. Prussing, a prominent attorney of Chicago, recently called upon President Roosevelt and discussed with the chief executive the conditions which led up to the financial flurry and the methods of reforming corporations. President Roosevelt was very much impressed with Mr. Prussing's suggestions which he declared "appreciated to him as being exceedingly sound and timely. Mr. Prussing's review of corporate conditions is the most concise and plainest statement of the conditions that has yet appeared. It can be comprehended by children. Mr. Prussing is a land owner on the Twin Falls tract of which he thinks very highly. He also took up farms for his sons on the first North Side segregation. He has visited Twin Falls two or three times and is a loyal friend of the project. His views upon corporation conditions are set forth in the following address which he delivered before the National Trusts Association conference on trusts and corporations at Chicago:

The present corporation panic is greater than any disturbance of the financial world since the bursting of the South Sea Bubble 200 years ago. It is not merely a Wall Street affair; that is only where the acutest symptoms manifest themselves. Its pains and penalties pervade the whole country and its effects for a long time must be world wide. The conditions which led up to the present situation have been well known to observing men for a long time, but their warnings have as usual fallen on deaf ears. From the day of Mr. Bryan's first defeat and the election of Mr. McKinley in 1896 successive denunciations of promotion and resulting fits of indignation of all kinds of securities have gradually weakened the people's resources and confidence. The extraordinary demands of the Spanish, Boer and Japanese wars have been the great stress, adding their share to the depletion of strength, and finally the San Francisco disaster and the insurance, railroad, industrial, bank and other corporate scandals unearthed and uncovered by long delayed legal investigations and prosecutions, have caused nausea, revulsion, fever and death.

The continued selling of securities is the evidence of this condition. The \$25,000,000 fine is comparable in its effect to the blast of Gabriel's trumpet. It opened all the graves apparently and there is wailing and gnashing of teeth. How many thousands of millions of paper and actual values have disappeared in the pit? The separation of the sheep from the goats by the people now going on in corporate life and the best ways and means to that end are the causes which have brought us together today. And as was well said by a great general after a great defeat, we must now begin all over again. The man who first applied the corporate form to commercial enterprise and the man who invented the artificial liability of stockholders therein are each entitled to a great monument as a public benefactor. Some commercial enterprise—some temple of industry or education ought to be dedicated to their memory, even if their names cannot be discovered. The corporation is the commercial application of the command to love one another, exemplified in combined enterprises for mutual advantage, and has aided the development of mankind almost as quietly and as greatly in modern times as the discovery of fire and how to preserve it, did in the pre-historic. The abuses there have been great abuses these inventions just as there are dangers in fire uncontrolled. Naturally, weak and wicked men have used these splendid instruments for unduly advancing and the oppression of their fellows. This is apt to be the case with privilege or privilege. It is to have the state put the breath of life into a more proper creation of the mind and endow it with power and facilities equal to the combined capacity of a regiment of men—yes—in many cases—of an army, with practical immortality and, above all, with the right to take tolls or the power to make great profits. We are met because the abuse of these great charters has become intolerable, and to endeavor to find a peaceful remedy calculated to remove the evils and to avoid those mad kindred ones in the future. The modern corporate organization has become, in the language of the law against monopolies, "an article of prime necessity." It is therefore a legitimate subject for strict legal control, police regulation, and unless we accept this frankly and guide it fairly we may have in the end a revolution, whether by law or otherwise, which will give us government ownership of all industrial enterprises. Now as one of those not content to see things drift or forced into the latter situation, but anxious, rather, to maintain corporate rights and individual liberty in proper balance, I am in favor of the greatest publicity and strictest regulation of corporate affairs compatible with practical operation. Only in this way, I think, can we save the honest usefulness of the

great inventions known as "Corporation" and "Limited Liability," as well as accomplish the protection of the innocent investing public, which is largely and helplessly tied to them, and of that larger public—the body politic. There is little difference, and that little in degree, between the extreme of municipal ownership public utility and all embracing industrial socialism. Socialists favor municipal ownership because it is in the line of universal public ownership. We have just escaped the recent tide of municipal ownership if we have escaped it. There is no difference in principle in the complaints against so-called private corporations, their owners and managers and the complaint against public utility corporations, their owners and managers. The substance of all is "You are abusing your high privilege to our detriment. We, the people, gave you these privileges for our benefit and in the public utility, gentlemen is the handwriting on the wall." The question is "Shall we meet it?" In an address to the Merchants' club of Chicago in April, 1906, while the insurance commission were still on President Eliot, of Harvard University, speaking of the "Ethics of Corporate Management," said "That this Merchants' club should ask one whose occupations have been teaching science for 15 years and educational administration for 37 years to address this club on the 'Ethics of Corporate Management' is an interesting manifestation of the prodigious change which has come about in the course of four or five centuries—gradually until recent times, but rapidly during the last half century—in regard to the responsibility of different classes of men for the maintenance and diffusion of sound ethical standards." The questions considered in that very able address lie at the foundation of our considerations here. They are indeed fundamental and like every fundamental question of policy or method are scientific and adjustment questions—ethical questions, and so unless we call in the assistance of moral philosophy and science in this seemingly practical and legal situation we shall lose the benefit of those guiding stars which should ever lead us, though we know we can never quite reach them. Other countries have had similar experiences with corporations and have solved, in their own way, the same problem. Every student of Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence looks at once in difficulties of this kind, for precedents, knowing their force as arguments, their value as examples, their wisdom as guides. Soon after this address the present speaker sent to the Chicago Legal News some suggestions upon the two main difficulties in the unsatisfactory conditions noted by President Eliot in

modern corporate affairs, namely, the twin evils, over-capitalization and extravagant salaries—the latter being simply one of the elements in the broader subject of mismanagement. These suggestions showed that remedies might readily be found for these matters—remedies which in England and on the continent of Europe had proved efficient. Before touching upon the details, I wish to give the principle underlying them: namely, "A corporation, as between its managers on the one hand and its stockholders on the other, is simply a trust in the good legal sense. The former are the trustees and the latter are the beneficiaries. As between the corporation and its stockholders on the one hand and the public on the other, the relation is the same for the grant of the great privileges of incorporation and limited liability, to my nothing on the right. It falls on the public to fulfill its duty, in the implied condition of the good use thereof for the public benefit as well as that of the stockholders. Now a trust has always been a favored child and most precious object of the jurisdiction of courts of equity or conscience and in many instances the arms of the court have reached out to protect the innocent and have seized upon the dishonest or incompetent corporate managers and their tool, the corporation, to compel accounting, correction, liquidation or dissolution. In its functions not an innovation of such magnitude nor is it adopting a new and radical principle or course when it is proposed that the jurisdiction of the courts with respect to corporations be broadened so as to include the birth, capitalization, development and ordinary management of corporations, as well as their extraordinary affairs of sickness and death. In the case of trusts involving the care of estates this plan has been evolved and expanded under the stimulus of manifest and growing necessity, so that now the widow, the orphan, the creditor and other, the beneficiaries, are all protected from the beginning to the end by the court, and the trustee, upon the appointment, treated, punished, removed and compelled to account fully and regularly whenever sound policy or a complaint justly requires it. Their affairs are regulated by independent officials of judicial character upon principles of equity and the common law. The same growing necessity confronts us respecting corporations, and as a prudent people, bred in the faith of the English and American common law—our noble heritage—we naturally look to it for guidance and help. The suggestions I am about to make were deliberately accepted by the great advocate of the popularization of corporations, Judge Grosscup, in his speech at Kansas City last winter.

They were unconsciously confirmed in the recent address of Mr. Robert M. Lizer, President of the Rock Island company before the Chicago Commercial association, wherein he declared that the railroads would now cheerfully submit to a plan of federal regulation rather than longer continue in the chaotic condition resulting from their own competition and the competition of regulating states, inspired by local interests, without sufficient regard to the rights of the corporation or the citizens of other commonwealths. The principles involved in these suggestions have been adopted in part in those laws of recent enactment for the control in utilization and management of public utility corporations in New York, Wisconsin, Iowa and elsewhere, following the older example of Massachusetts—so that, as I say, there are suggestions along familiar lines following ancient methods "Well understood of the people." As to the Creation of Corporations. Suppose it should be enacted as follows: In case of every corporate organization proposed a petition shall be filed by the promoters, not with the secretary of state, but in a local court of ample jurisdiction, as we now do in probate matters, setting forth the names of the promoters, the names of the proposed corporation, its capital stock, the number and amount of its shares, its length of life, the number of its directors, and its purposes, together with a statement of when, how and whereof the capital is to be furnished, whether in money, property, labor, good-will or what not, and praying for a rule on the matter, together with a statement of the names of the vendors, the purchase price, payable in shares or other value, are to be specified. In a separate specification shall be stated any sum or consideration which the corporation or anyone else is required to pay or furnish for the promotion or other services in preparation of or for the formation of the corporation. Every agreement upon the foregoing subjects, which is not as specified shall be void as to the corporation. Similar details respecting the purposes of the corporation shall be given so that the uses to which it may be put or it is intended to put it may be carefully investigated by the party most interested—the state. When the state's attorney has been notified, it shall be his duty to appear for the people, in all other cases, and a hearing shall speedily be had in

which evidence shall be submitted in support of the petition, subject to examination; and cross-examination and rebuttal, and a decree or judgment shall be passed as in equal cases, specifying in sufficient detail the course of the investigation, and either disallowing or allowing the incorporation and settling the details, especially those of the capitalization and its method, and the definition and intent of the corporate purposes, and the stock valuations and stock jobbing may be minimized, if not wholly prevented, and the public may not be the victim of false pretenses or vicious schemes, under claims of corporate privileges couched in general phrases, while the corporation will be protected against unstable blackmailers by injunction. In the case of additions to or reductions of the capital stock, or other changes in the constitution of the company, similar proceedings shall be had, and bond and other large issues of obligations shall be likewise adjudged and authorized in advance. Even compositions with creditors, or compulsory reductions of stock to avoid bankruptcy may be instituted by any sufficiently large interest. Thus the corporation will be fostered, guarded, enlarged and controlled in leading an honest life, public benefit, as the law always intended it should. Proper provisions should be made for the carrying out the decree and the dissolution of the company as cases of contempt of court, by the imprisonment of the officials, not by fine. The usual license fees are to be paid by the corporation to the state and the charter shall consist of a certified copy of the petition and decree duplicates of which shall be filed with the secretary of state. It needs no great acumen to perceive the advantages to the public whether investors or not, and to honest promoters, and corporations, thus having at the beginning a judicial certificate of good moral character and if sound constitution to offer to the investing public, while the general effect upon business morals, by removing both the temptation to water stocks and the corrupting example of large paper profits must be wholly good. Again, the possibility of organizing trusts or practical scheme is absolutely prevented, because not only the declared but the real purpose of the corporation is subject to scrutiny and adjudication under the plan at the time when it ought to be—before the mischief is done, before the supposed right to do wrong becomes vested. Illustrations of this will readily occur to all. The familiar cases of the reorganization of the Sugar company and the Standard Oil company after their trust agreement was condemned by the courts are suggested themselves. An application to incorporate them made and adjudged.

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ated as here suggested would have ended them.

The details of the plan I do not enlarge upon. They may be as varied and closely guarded as human ingenuity may devise, but they present no serious difficulty. It is the illustration of the principle of state supervision of the birth, constitutional endorsement and growth of its great offspring that we are now concerned with.

We come now to the second subject—

**Corporator Management**

Taking aside the ordinary dangers of direct theft and mistakes of judgment, we are concerned because officers and directors of corporations are disposed to take advantage of their insufficiently controlled powers over large funds and properties belonging to others and to use them for their personal advantage in the form of large salaries, excessive accounts, speculation, nepotism, dishonest contracts and otherwise, to the detriment of their stockholders, and to the demoralization of the public, and also because they are disposed to defraud stockholders by withholding or declaring dividends without notice, or by paying them from borrowed money without authority, because they are disposed to abuse the public by stock watering, by excesses of power, by unjust charges, illegal discrimination in services, or by various other short-handed methods of unjust and unscrupulous dealing.

The underlying fault in our corporate constitutions, to my mind, is expressed in the single sentence, which forms the basis of our corporate law, namely: "The corporate powers shall be exercised by a board of directors or managers." This sentence has been held by the courts, and is now generally accepted as the law, namely: "The corporate powers shall be exercised by a board of directors or managers, such as electing directors and acts in respect to the increase or decrease of capital stock, and similar fundamental things."

I know that in some states there are numerous attempts at the limitation of directors' powers, but an speaker here generally, and the words I have quoted are the express provision of the statute in this state, and in many others, simply declaratory of the common law.

We all know the unlimited power produces abuses. We all know that a government of limited powers is a necessary thing; that representatives long uncontrolled or insufficiently controlled, tend to abuse their position, and that governments to be successful and long-lived, must have in them other checks and balances than the possibility of the loss of an election, for the proper exercise of the officials. We know that periodical review of constitution and strict control of officers by legislation and the people are essential to the preservation of liberty and that reserved powers are the safety of the people. Precisely the same is true of corporations, their officers and stockholders.

Corporate management should not be entrusted to a single body of directors or officers. Like our state and federal governments, it should be divided into parts, each actively exercising its functions to accomplish the desired end—long life and dividends. The stockholders, directors and officers, each of these groups or parts should have a substantial but separate and independent set of duties and powers, and should be subject to judicial control, although the latter should not be exercised until certain preliminary efforts of the others have been exhausted or refused.

Instead of autocratic government of corporations we should substitute constitutional government. One may now substitute a government of logically divided parts and proper checks and balances. Instead of the present oligarchy known as a board of directors or a single dominant plan of a single individual, require the cooperation of the officers, directors and stockholders in the chief corporate acts and give to each element of such government, separately, the powers and authority properly and necessarily required for it.

In respect to the management, the principle of limitation of powers should be that the stockholders should legislate for the company while the directors should supervise and determine, and the officers execute and carry the business.

In respect to the profits, the stockholders alone should control their application and declaration of dividends.

To go a little into details on each of these subjects: I take the case under my observation of a manufacturing corporation in which these principles have been applied with great success.

The by-laws of that company provide, among other things:

1. That certain accounts, balance sheets and public notices to the stockholders shall be regularly given in two specified newspapers in America, and one in Germany, where many of the stockholders reside.

2. The board of directors shall direct and supervise the management of the company in all its branches. For that purpose it may at any time create any office of the corporation to make it a report touching the business of his office. The directors may inspect the books and papers, examine the moneys, stocks and merchandise of the company, and do and require anything which they may deem proper for the business of the corporation.

3. A special examination of the check books, cash, moneys, vouchers and valuable must take place at least once each year. The board of directors is at liberty to entrust temporarily one or more of its members with the supervision and decision respecting single business transactions or branches of business.

4. The board of directors has the power to appoint, suspend or dismiss for cause any officer, agent or employee of the company, whether appointed by the board of directors or otherwise, and may fill any vacancy in any office of the company.

5. The members of the board shall be entitled to the repayment of their expenses incurred in the performance of their duties and shall each receive a salary of \$1,000, in addition to the percentage of profit hereinafter specified. Officers are not permitted to be members of the board of directors, which chooses its own chairman.

6. Respecting the minor officers—the usual provisions are made.

7. The president shall be the general manager of the business of the company and as such, shall have charge of its property and affairs under the direction of the board.

8. He must however, have the special authority of the board in the following instances:

1. For the acquisition, conveyance and mortgage of real estate.

2. For the acquisition, assignment, pledge or satisfaction of mortgages.

3. For borrowing money in excess of ordinary bank credits.

4. For determining the principles regarding the plans of manufacturing and management, for the change of these plans for all essential building plans and building contracts.

5. For the acquisition of machinery, tools and utensils, if the amount exceeds more than \$500, likewise for hiring or retention to be observed in sales of merchandise, and the regulation of the conditions of sale.

6. For contracts containing obligations of the company extending over more than one year.

7. For appointing agents or employees if the annual compensation amounts to more than \$500 or the notice of discharge agreed upon is more than three months.

8. To fix the banks of deposit for the funds of the company.

9. It is a principle of the law in pursuance of which those by-laws were framed that officers and directors of corporations are jointly and severally liable for the acts of the corporation and officers who may be found to be criminally, in cases of a disregard, neglect or violation of its provisions, and all such provisions, of which these by-laws are hereby a copy, are mandatory.

The law has developed a high and keen sense of moral and legal responsibility, and its prompt and vigorous enforcement in a few cases has resulted in most salutary effects.

We know from our own experience under the national and state banking laws the value of such provisions and to expand the policy of these laws by applying their principle with some modifications to all corporations, to practically make an end of corporate fraud and mismanagement, and to prevent the speedy repetition of prevailing conditions.

4. By-laws. It is customary with us to call the power of stockholders to the election of directors and similar fundamental acts. They should also have and exercise the power of making by-laws, as they have in some of the states. These by-laws should contain specific provisions, not general purposes, and the violation or neglect of these provisions by officers or directors should render subject to litigation in damages or punishment, criminally, all who participate in or tolerate the wrongful acts. The underlying provision of proper compensation to officers and directors is the basis for these limitations.

5. Another element to be considered is that of dual government. In Germany and in England, the chief executive of the corporation usually consists of two persons of equal power whose joint act is required to bind the corporation in important matters, while they act singly in minor matters susceptible of single action. This is the result of long experience and it makes for prudence and honesty. It is true that such dual representatives are usually of equal abilities, and that one of them more or less dominates the other. Nevertheless their inherent legal powers are equal, each has the right to call upon and report to the stockholders or, in case of appeal to the courts, and the result is most wholesome conservatism.

Independent auditors are to be elected by the stockholders annually, at the end of the fiscal year reports are to be submitted by officers, directors and auditors to the annual meeting of the stockholders with such recommendations as to the division of earnings, if any, as they may deem best.

6. Salaries and dividends. The by-laws from which I have quoted provide that officers shall receive moderate, good-living salaries; that each director shall receive a salary of \$1,000 a year; that there shall be deducted out of the profit for depreciation or renewals of plant, machinery, etc., whereupon the stockholders shall receive a dividend of four per cent upon their capital. Out of the remainder the directors and officers shall each receive a moderate percentage, usually 10 per cent to each class. This they do among themselves, the directors, usually, in equal parts, but the officers in varying proportions according to the importance of their services.

The surplus profits then remaining are subject to the vote of the stockholders for additional dividends or other purposes, such as increase of working capital, new construction or business changes. Provision is made for an interim dividend until the following annual meeting.

These are some of the results of English, French and especially German experience. The latter country, after the great "Promoters' Swindle" of 1890, in the middle twenties, freed upon fraudulent promoters, officers and directors of corporations and their advisers and abettors posing in the form of voters, dummy directors, underwriters and bankers, severe civil and criminal liabilities, the latter especially of the most distasteful kind, uniformly and vigorously enforced by

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There are many other pleasant features connected with the institute work which serve to attract. The farmers are brought together; they find out the facts regarding success or failure and they spend at each others mistakes. Time spent at institute meetings can well be spared.

Mr. Harriman must have made some good resolutions for the new year. Both the passenger and freight trains were on time today.

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The toasts covered the various features of ever since, to the life of Idaho men on the Rhodes scholarships at Oxford, responded to by L. H. Gipson, who only this year returned from his course there. In every way the function was a most enjoyable success. Forty-seven covers were laid and the students lists included—Savidge, the foot ball captain, and Stein, the center, and a number of others new in Boise for the holiday vacation.

F. A. Rapp, a civil engineer of considerable note in the middle states, comes to the city to take part in railway engineering and surveying at the university. This is another ad-

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along rivers. The seed ripens in May or later and unless it falls on a favorable situation it quickly loses its ability to germinate.

Propagation by seedlings or cuttings may readily be carried on. Large numbers of seedlings annually sprig up on the sand bars, where 2-year-old trees are re-establishing a plantation can be easily secured.

Planting. Seedlings or cuttings of the cutting should be set out in the spring as soon as danger from severe frost is past. In the middle west this time ranges from the latter part of March to the first of May.

Seedlings may be quickly and cheaply planted by a man and a boy working together. The man makes an opening in the ground into which the boy slips a tree. The spade is then withdrawn and the soil about the tree foot cuttings, however, can rarely be used and are often desirable where the erosion is very severe.

Two-thirds of the length of the cutting should be below the surface of the ground. The ground there should be at least two or three good buds.

Planting groves on permanently moist situations is profitable. It is best to set 8 to 12 feet apart each way. This gives 1210 to 680 trees per acre.

Cultivation and Care. The growth of the locust is so rapid under conditions are all favorable that it is seldom, if ever, subject to the crowding or overtopping of less desirable species.

Plantations should be used for pasture for at least five years. Grazing animals not only eat the tender shoots and leaves, but expose and cut up the roots, thus trampling the ground around the trees.

Fire is one of the most serious enemies of this tree, both in planted groves and natural forests. It can be readily secured by plowing several furrows around the plantation. If the furrows are kept free from weeds, fire will be effectively checked.

The black locust known also as "yellow locust" or often simply "locust" is a forest tree, which attains a height of from 40 to 60 feet, with a diameter of from 1 to 1 1/2 feet. Under most favorable conditions it may reach a height of 75 feet and a diameter of 3 feet.

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according to the local severity of damage by the borer. In case this insect or others seriously injure a forest or other valuable growth, the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture would be consulted.

The most common use of locust is for fence posts, for which purpose it has been extensively grown. The timber of the young tree is almost as durable in the soil as the old.

Locust reproduces itself abundantly by seeds and by stump sprouts. It is a fast grower, and its wood is used for posts, rails and fence rows.

The wood may be collected locally by the individual planter or may be purchased from dealers. It may be left in the pods and stored in a cool, dry place for as long as two years.

Since the locust has a wide-spread root system, it reaches plenty of water for the proper development of the tree.

In the middle west careful preparation of the soil and cultivation for several years after planting are essential for the best growing of the locust.

Locust does well in pure stands, but in the semi-arid region of the middle west, where the forest plantations are not so protected by character, it may be mixed with Russian mulberry, Osage orange or green ash.

Cultivation and Care. In the middle west careful preparation of the soil and cultivation for several years after planting are essential for the best growing of the locust.

Locust is a rapid-growing tree, but is relatively short lived. In good situations it makes an average annual height growth of 2 1/2 feet.

The value of the locust is practically destroyed in many parts of the United States by the locust borer, which attacks the tree in its early stages.

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cows. Inquire of W. W. Cantlon, 1/2 mile west and 1/2 mile north of Twin Falls Nursery.

Notice for Publication—Notice of Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use. Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of February, 1908, at Rock Creek, county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 2 cubic feet per second of the waters of Dry Creek in accordance with the terms and conditions of permit No. 1027 heretofore issued by the state engineer of the state of Idaho.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person holding said permit is Sarah D. Fowler, Rock Creek, Idaho. 2. This to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic use.

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C., November 25, 1907. Notice of Restoration of Public Lands to Settlement and Entry. Notice is hereby given that the acting secretary of the Interior has vacated department order of withdrawal in so far as the same affects the subdivision of the land under the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388), for use in connection with the Mindooka project, Idaho, of the following lands, to wit: Township 12 S., Range 10 E., and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. Desert land—final proof. United States Land Office, Halley, Idaho, Nov. 27th, 1907. Notice is hereby given that Ida E. Conover, assignee of Henry S. Lower, of Roseworth, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho, has filed notice of her intention to make final proof on her desert land claim No. 1078 for the W 1/2 of SW 1/4, sec. 20, T 12 S., R 10 E., and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, sec. 20, T 12 S., R 10 E., before John F. Hansen, U. S. Commissioner at Rock Creek, Idaho, on the 11th day of January, 1908.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. I, John Dolise, of Kimberly, Idaho, hereby enter my claim under the provisions of an act of the legislature of the state of Idaho, commonly known as the "Carey act," approved March 2nd, 1899, for NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of section 22, township 10, range 18, N. do hereby give notice of my intention to establish my claim to the land above described, and that I expect to prove that I have resided on, reclaimed and cultivated said land as required by law, before E. B. Williams at Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho, on the 11th day of January 1908 by two of the following witnesses: W. C. Newland, Joseph W. Williams, R. E. Williams, P. J. Falk and W. McCrery of Kimberly.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. I, Clarence E. Crandall, of Twin Falls assigned to Arnold Schreiber, who made entry No. 1220, under the provisions of an act of the legislature of the state of Idaho, commonly known as the "Carey act," approved March 2nd, 1899, which embraces NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 4, of township 11, of range 17, do hereby give notice of my intention to establish my claim to the land above described, and that I expect to prove that I have resided on, reclaimed and cultivated said land as required by law, before E. B. Williams at Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho, on the 11th day of January 1908 by two of the following witnesses: W. C. Newland, Joseph W. Williams, R. E. Williams, P. J. Falk and W. McCrery of Kimberly.

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BUHL FARMERS ARE INTERESTED

IN TRANSFER OF THE CANAL SYSTEM.

Gather to the Number of 300 to Discuss the Situation and Select Representatives—Two Jolly Holiday Dances Are Enjoyed.

BUHL, Ida., Jan. 2.—Mrs. W. D. Southworth and Pearl Grossman came in from Castle Ford to enjoy the Christmas dinner in Buhl.

E. A. Milner, W. S. Harris, L. H. Duroman and F. E. May brought the Twin Falls business visitors last week. Henry Thompson went to Twin Falls last week to bring home his daughter, Olive, on whom an operation was performed some time ago for appendicitis. She was sufficiently recovered from the effects of the operation to stand the journey. She is getting along well, and will soon be wholly recovered.

Chas. Coker, superintendent of construction on the west end of the canal system, having shut down the works for the present, is in Twin Falls during the winter.

John Talley and Herman Goss returned from Nampa on Monday. They spent the holidays visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jacoby at that town. They report having had a royal good time. They brought home presents from Mrs. Jacoby for some of her old friends here whom she has not forgotten. Those who received the presents enjoyed them very much.

Willy T. Snowflake and his little daughter left for Tekoa, Wash., on Tuesday, where they will make their home in the future.

The meeting held here on Monday for the purpose of organizing the canal association, was well attended, standing room in Anderson billiard hall being at a premium. There were about 300 persons present. Judge Stockinger addressed the ranchmen and gave a lucid explanation of the situation respecting the legal status of the settlers and the company, their relations with the state and land, and also their legal rights under the several contracts and the law. He expressed himself as being confident that the court would grant the injunction prayed for by the settlers, which was at that time under advisement by the court. Mr. Larson of the law firm of McKinlay & Larson, attorneys of Twin Falls, read the proposed constitution for the reorganization of the Twin Falls Canal association and made a few remarks, laying stress on the necessity of every land holder on the tract becoming a member of the association. Mr. Larson also presented some sensible remarks on the general subject. The meeting was presided over by P. W. Monahan, with G. E. Harlan as secretary, G. E. Harlan, M. M. Koppelman, H. H. Payne, H. Sonner and P. W. Monahan were

requested to act as spokesmen for the Buhl end of the tract at the meeting to be held in Twin Falls Saturday, the 4th instant. But it is more than likely that there will be more than one value a fun for their benefit, and the crowd was large. The ball was a complete success in all respects and a nice sum was realized from it.

The farmers' dance Christmas night was a brilliant affair. Every body enjoyed it. The first night was a fine fun for their benefit, and the crowd was large. The ball was a complete success in all respects and a nice sum was realized from it.

F. A. Hutto, county attorney, was in town Tuesday on official business. J. H. Seaman left town at the end of the week. Warren White is under the weather.

Fred H. Hartwell was over from Rosworth the latter part of last week. Blackwell and J. C. Calloun of Blue-Gulf were Buhl business visitors Monday.

Miss Christina Larson of Twin Falls was a guest of Hotel Duhl one day last week.

W. E. Mitchell of Rupert registered at Hotel Buhl Wednesday.

Ed Vieth and his brother John are in Twin Falls for a few days visit.

A. J. Simpson of Nampa, Idaho, was a Buhl business visitor Thursday.

Virgil Dickinson of Pullman, Wash., was among the landseekers on this end of the tract last week.

W. E. Ferguson came up from Twin Falls Friday on a short business trip. Mr. McPherson is quite a stranger on this end of the tract. There was a time when he was a frequent visitor.

Don't forget an altogether nice. G. B. Frasier of the Noya was looking for ducks on the Snake river in this vicinity Saturday. We are not as yet informed whether or not they may be coming and his out.

E. A. Dobral was in from his ranch last week on business.

B. J. Bradley of Heyburn took in the scenery on this end of the tract, Saturday.

J. C. Gates and Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Neor, of Castle Ford were in town Monday buying New Year's presents for their friends.

H. E. Bryant of Filser spent several days of last week in Buhl.

Mrs. A. E. Harris and little son, of McCammon, Idaho, were guests of Hotel Buhl for three days last week.

G. J. Byerson and A. Byerson came in from Castle Ford Tuesday for lumber to build stables with.

P. P. Bowley has leased his ranch for a year to Mr. Shurgis and intends departing for Washington in the near future to remain there until next fall, looking after large interests that he has there.

Another dance was pulled off at Anderson's billiard hall Tuesday night. The old year was danced out and the new one in amidst fun and frolic.

Superintendent Conway reports that some persons who skate on the lake in City Park stop up the spillways to raise the water higher in the lake, and endanger the safety of the dam by overflowing it and causing a wash which will soon destroy it. Mr. Conway says, that unless the practice is stopped, he will be compelled to drain the lake and allow no water to remain in it during the winter in order to save

the safety of the dam. H. O. Milner came up from Twin Falls Monday to look after his interests here.

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MILNER FOLKS HAVE GAY TIME CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION WAS GREATLY ENJOYED. Consisted of a Christmas Tree at the Hotel Grinnell followed by a Dance in the Evening—Ben Nelbaur of Rupert Died New Year's Night.

MILNER, Ida., Jan. 2.—Despite the rain and muddy weather, Milner was very gay for Christmas. At the Hotel Grinnell, a Christmas tree was gallily bedecked in honor of the boys, of camp No. 1, the company boys, and friends of Mrs. Grinnell. Not one of the boys was forgotten. A present of some sort, happy or unhappy in its application, was given to each, and it usually was of a character that evoked a howl of merriment from the others.

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good Christmas dinner with his brother, returning to Milner in time for the dance, of course. The New Year's Eve dance was certainly a success. Everyone had a pleasant time and no ladies' choice after the Old Year had passed out caused much merriment. Some of our friends evidently caught on Christmas as one or two have been ill since. C. Armour McClelland was taken ill Saturday last and today leaves for Twin Falls for expert medical attention. Miss Clara L. Vedder, the third stenographer for the North Side company, arrived December 27, and is already a great favorite. Mrs. W. H. Hoyer spent New Year's in Salt Lake City—Humors are broadcast. Miss Blanche Boynton spent the New Year out of town. Mr. W. H. Hoyer has joined her husband in Milner. Mr. and Mrs. Hoyer have a cosy bungalow on Electric avenue. We are glad to welcome them.

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