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NUMBER 7

ADMIRE TWIN FALLS SPIRIT

A. P. WILSON OF BOISE SAYS IT IS NEEDED THERE.

Praises the North and South Side Tracts and Puts in a Good Word for the Plucky Settlers of Minidoka—Compliment for Shoshone.

A. P. Wilson, returned from a trip several days in the southeast...

He made a trip into the Twin Falls county a little over three years ago...

"During my stay there I visited Harry T. West, and from him I learned that an average of 1300 trunks...

He also informed white at Twin Falls that the receipts of the railroad...

He also found the town settling up and people investing in lots...

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A cordial invitation to the Twin Falls farmers to attend the meeting of the Idaho State Horticultural association...

AUTUMN TERM OF DISTRICT COURT

OPENED ON TUESDAY WITH A HEAVY DOCKET.

Action Against James W. Shields for Alleged Defamation of Character is Dismissed—Ten Criminal Cases on the Calendar.

The fall term of the district court in Twin Falls county opened on Tuesday morning...

The calendar was read during the morning session, and a number of cases were either dismissed or set for trial.

The case against Patrick DeLoach, who was charged with burglary, was dismissed on motion...

The charge is conspiracy and the case will come up this morning.

The court also heard the case of Taylor and Holt, against whom there is a similar charge.

The case against Thomas Jones, Ray Kline, Joseph Stewart, Frank Melcher and Thomas Sawyer...

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SUGAR BEETS ARE PROFITABLE CROP

STATISTICS FROM THE PAYETTE VALLEY.

Handsome Returns Received by the Farmers in That Section of the State This Year Make Lands There Worth Over \$100 an Acre.

The following table, from the Boise Statesman, shows the results obtained for the year 1908 by 15 beet growers on the Plymouth bench...

The amount paid out included seed, plowing and labor.

Table with columns: GROWER, Acreage, Total tons, Total amount, Amount paid out, Net per acre.

These figures are very interesting and show the possibilities in the Twin Falls farmers for the reason that they show the possible revenue from sugar beets...

Conditions in the Twin Falls county and the Payette valley are more or less identical.

WEATHER REPORT FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

Table with columns: Date, Maximum, Minimum, Precipitation, Prevailing Wind, Character of Days.

Temperature—Mean maximum, 51.80; mean minimum, 22.60; mean maximum, 69, on the 2nd; minimum, 8, on the 25th.

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BIG CHRISTMAS TREE AT MILLNER

IS BEING PREPARED FOR THE CHILDREN.

It Will Be a Modern Affair, Lighted by Electricity and Loaded with Goodies—Splendid Musical Program Will Be Rendered.

MILNER, Idaho, Dec. 10.—The vaudeville and moving picture show on Friday and Saturday evenings was greeted by a large and appreciative audience.

The electric lights from Riverside Inn to be raised are a big improvement as well as safeguard on the very dark nights.

Miss Clara L. Vedder returned to Jerome Sunday after spending Saturday night on an extended visit in the east.

Elaborate preparations are being made for a Christmas entertainment Christmas eve at Riverside Inn for the children of Milner.

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BUHL IS GOING TO STAY CLEAN

SMOKE NUISANCE WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.

Use of Electricity as a Motive Power Will Do Away With the Smoky Smokestacks—Hazel Alired Wins the W. C. T. U. Silver Medal.

BUHL, Idaho, Dec. 9.—A meeting of the citizens and business men of Buhl was held in the Buhl Bank & Trust building last Wednesday evening for the purpose of considering the question of organizing a branch of the Western Loan association here.

The meeting was well attended and a representative of the association was present to explain the workings of the system.

The contest for the silver medal held under the auspices of the W. O. U. F. F. C. was a splendid success.

A lady whose name was mentioned in these items some time ago met the reporter on his ride to Buhl.

George Wade returned today from Washington with his bride.

Mrs. E. C. Kierstead spent Sunday with friends in Twin Falls.

Mrs. R. S. Fessenden and Mrs. C. M. Willey were shopping in Twin Falls Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

George Spencer and daughter went to Twin Falls Wednesday to see another daughter, Mrs. T. Palmer.

Miss M. E. Boyle and Hazel Kirkpatrick spent Wednesday afternoon doing some Christmas shopping.

Stanley Wilson of Jerome is transacting business in Milner today.

Miss Louise Kautchey of Jerome was a guest at Riverside Inn Saturday and Sunday.

Will occupy Nordling corner.

Handsome New Store Will Be Opened in a Short Time.

Miss M. Nordling has arrived from Chicago and will be in charge of a new stock of ladies' and infants' novelties, millinery, books and stationery.

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Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. A. Hill of Filer, Idaho, assignee of John H. Chisholm, who made entry No. 1979, 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 the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of section 26, of township 10 S., of range 15 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 20th day of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: John H. Chisholm, E. B. Williams, J. A. Hill, C. G. Bringham, all of Filer, Idaho. J. A. HILL, Entryman.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. Ernest Wilson of Twin Falls, Idaho, who made entry No. 2229, 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 the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of section 6, township 11 S., range 14 E. B. M., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 20th day of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: F. J. Crawford, C. G. Lillibridge, Lester Parker, all of Cephas, Idaho, and J. A. Yoehsen of Twin Falls, Idaho. ERNEST WILSON, Entryman.

Notice of Writ of Attachment. In the District court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls county. Brown-Hart company, Ltd., a corporation, plaintiff, vs. John B. Davis, plaintiff defendant. Notice is hereby given that on November 21, 1908, a writ of attachment was issued out of the above entitled court, in and for Twin Falls county, attaching the property of the above named defendant for the sum of \$237.57 and interest, and \$76 attorney's fees and costs. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office this 23rd day of November, 1908. Clerk of the District Court. R. H. ROYCE, Deputy.

Notice of Proof of Completion of Work and Application of Water to Beneficial Use. Notice is hereby given that at 1 p. m. on the 13th day of January, 1909, in the Creek county of Owyhee, state of Idaho, before Thomas Higgins, plaintiff will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 1.8 cubic feet per second of the waters of House creek, and of the application to beneficial use of said water in accordance with the terms and conditions of permit No. 1779, heretofore issued by the state engineer of the state of Idaho. 1. The name and postoffice address of the person holding said permit are Peter B. Davis, Butte, Idaho. 2. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 4.8 cubic feet per second. 3. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic purposes, and the amount applied to beneficial use is 4.8 cubic feet per second. 4. The place where said water is used is SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 6, township 11 S., range 13 E. B. M.; N 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 31, township 14 S., range 13 E. B. M. 5. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is December 28, 1905. JAS. STEPHENSON, Jr., State Engineer.

To All Land Owners and Water Users. At a meeting of the governing board of the Twin Falls Canal association it was decided necessary, upon the best legal advice obtainable, to procure a decree from the courts showing the standing of the water right for the land on the original Twin Falls tract. This is necessary in order to secure the rights of land owners in case a dispute arises as to the priority of the standing of the water right for the land on the original Twin Falls tract over the surrounding tracts which have made filings on the waters of Snake river, or in case any of the surrounding tracts show a disposition to be made a defendant in the case, making it necessary for him to secure legal help at a considerable expense. The secretary of the Canal association will be in his office over the Commercial Savings bank in Twin Falls every Saturday from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. and will receive the names of all those wishing to be made plaintiffs and answer any questions to them as to the standing of their water rights in the case. The secretary has also been instructed by the governing board to call upon as many of the land owners as possible for him to see and give them an opportunity to become plaintiffs in the case. Messrs. Stockeager & Bowen are the attorneys for the association and will conduct the case. They, as well as others who have given this matter much thought and study, consider an early action of the courts most important, and it is necessary in order that the decree be of benefit to any particular piece of land that the owner of that land shall signify his intention to join in the suit. The whole tract cannot be treated as a body, and the fact that your neighbor has a decree does not put your land in the same standing as his unless you are a plaintiff in the suit, so it is important to you that you are not overlooked. GEO. E. HARLAN, President.

Notice of Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use. Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of December, 1908, at Rock Creek, county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho, proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use of 3.1 cubic feet per second of the waters of West fork Rock Creek, Idaho, (set per second from Cottonwood and South Fork Cottonwood creek, in accordance with the terms and conditions of permit Nos. 3160 and 1999, heretofore issued by the state engineer of the state of Idaho. 1. The name and postoffice address of the person holding said permit are James B. Rice, Rock Creek, Idaho. 2. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation and domestic use. 3. The amount applied to beneficial use is 3.1 cubic feet per second. 4. The place where said water is used is: Permit 3160, SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 section 22, township 11 S., range 11 E. B. M.; permit 1999, SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 31, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 32, township 11 S., range 11 E. B. M. 5. The name of the canal or ditch or other works by which said water is conducted to such place of use is Rice's ditch. 6. The right to take the water from such works is based upon permits Nos. 1399 and 3160. 7. The source of supply from which such water is diverted is: Permit 1999, Cottonwood and South fork Rock Creek, county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho; permit 3160, West fork Rock Creek. 8. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is: Permit 1999, April 13, 1905; permit 3160, September 30, 1907. JAS. STEPHENSON, Jr., State Engineer.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. John E. Schmidt of Buhl, Idaho, who made entry No. 2247, 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 the NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 33, of township 9 S., of range 14 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 22nd day of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: Robert Crawford, Ed Braun, Harry Smith, Andrew Lundberg, all of Buhl, Idaho. JOHN E. SCHMIDT, Entryman.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. John H. Chisholm of Filer, Idaho, who made entry No. 2229, 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 the NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of section 26, of township 10 S., of range 15 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 19th day of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: Elsie M. Lynch, J. A. Hill, Fred Cressney, C. G. Bringham, all of Filer, Idaho. JOHN H. CHISHOLM, Entryman.

Notice to Creditors. In the Probate court of Twin Falls County, State of Idaho. In the matter of the estate of Robert J. McKee, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Robert J. McKee, deceased, to all persons having claims against the said deceased, or the estate of said deceased, or the community composed of said estate and estate of J. McKee (now his surviving widow), to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after November 27, 1908, to the undersigned administrator with the will annexed, at his place of business, at the law office of Horritt, White, and Co., 3rd floor, Idaho Department Store building, in Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, state of Idaho. EDWARD J. MCKEE, Administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Robert J. McKee, deceased. First publication, Nov. 27, 1908. Last publication, Dec. 18, 1908.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. James Cumming of Seaford, Ontario, Canada, heir of Alexander M. Cumming, deceased, who made entry No. 119, 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 NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of section 26, of township 10 S., of range 18 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, Idaho, on the 2nd of Jan., 1909, by two of the following witnesses: E. T. Newbury, R. M. Newbury, Louis Oliver, all of Kimberly, Twin Falls County, Idaho. JAMES CUMMING, Heir of Alexander M. Cumming, deceased, entryman.

Blue Lakes Nursery. 150,000 of the finest one-year-old apple trees of the leading commercial varieties ready for orchard planting. Our trees are propagated from the fruiting trees in the Blue Lakes orchard, guaranteed absolutely true to name. General line of fruit and shade trees; 75,000 good strong strawberry plants; 12 varieties. Nursery located north of the Orchulara tract and 1/2 mile west of Blue Lakes boulevard. IRVING R. DARROW, Secretary Governing Board.

Auction. Every Saturday afternoon, 1:30 p. m. We sell anything and everything. You need not see us, but bring in your stuff. BRUNK AUCTION CO., Office & Doors South of Park Hotel on Shoshone Street. Phone 120. No stairs to climb when you go to Biebeck's studio.

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F. F. JOHNSON, President. S. H. WAYS, Vice Pres. First National Bank of Twin Falls. \$1 M. MAXWELL, Cashier. CAPITAL STOCK \$40,000.00. General Banking Business Transacted. Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent. COR. MAIN ST. AND SHOSHONE AVE. TWIN FALLS.

HEADQUARTERS FOR Blue Lakes FRUIT. Fresh Fruit delivered each day from the famous Blue Lakes Orchards and on sale at our store. Also a fresh line of High Grade Groceries.

Perrine & Burton General Merchandise. Twin Falls Lumber Co., Ltd. LUMBER (And Building Material). C. B. SHAW, President. H. O. MILLER, Sec. and Mgr.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. William H. Cullington of Twin Falls, Idaho, who made entry No. 1146, 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 NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of section 12, of township 11 S., of range 17 east, do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, Idaho, on the 2nd of Jan., 1909, by two of the following witnesses: S. E. Klein, C. P. Morganstern, Walter Melrs and Mike Dean, all of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, Idaho. WILLIAM H. CULLINGTON, Entryman.

Notice for Publication. Department of Health, Idaho. U. S. Land Office at Hatley, Idaho, October 30, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Ward M. Kimbly of Kimberly, Twin Falls county, Idaho, who, on June 8th, 1907, made homestead entry No. 6397 (ser. no. 01476), for the E 1/2 of NE 1/4 section 12, of township 11 S., of range 18 E., has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before John F. Hansen, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Rock Creek, Twin Falls county, Idaho, on the 12th day of December, 1908. Claimant names as witnesses: Marshall Barabouche of Kimberly, Twin Falls county, Idaho; Alexander Mc Dermid of Kimberly, Twin Falls county, Idaho; John Harrington of Rock Creek, Twin Falls county, Idaho; Henry Hansen of Rock Creek, Twin Falls county, Idaho. A. I. McMAHON, Register.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. Samuel C. Kline of Twin Falls, Idaho, assignee of John J. Hogan, who made entry No. 1223, 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 the NE 1/4 of section 14, of township 11 S., of range 17 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land board, at Twin Falls, Idaho, on the 19th of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: C. P. Morganstern, W. S. Collinston, Boyd Patrick, Frank Patrick, all of Twin Falls, Idaho. SAMUEL C. KLINE, Entryman.

Notice of Publication. Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at Hatley, Idaho. Notice is hereby given that Daniel E. Regan, of Twin Falls, Idaho, who, on November 26th, 1908, made "Final Proof" of Serial Testimonial 01823, for SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 2, and SW 1/4 NW 1/4 section 32, township 12 south, range 17 east, Boise, meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before John F. Hansen, United States Commissioner, at Rock Creek, Idaho, on the 9th day of February, 1909. Claimant names as witnesses: Bernard S. Rathburn, James H. Stillwell, Harry Stillwell and William Hughs, all of Twin Falls, Idaho. A. I. McMAHON, Register.

Special Stockholders Meeting. Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Twin Falls News Publishing Company, Inc., will be held at the office of the company in Twin Falls, Twin Falls county, Idaho, on Monday, December 21, 1908. GEO. E. FLASHER, Secy. Twin Falls, Idaho, Nov. 9, 1908.

The best equipped osteopathic office in the northwest is Dr. HUME'S, over the Pharmacy. Hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Phone 182.

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Christmas Candles. This is also an important Xmas item. We appreciate that fact, and have stock to meet the most fastidious. Choose from LOWNEY'S, McDONALD'S, CHURCHILLIAN'S and SWEDT'S. Fresh weekly arrivals, in bulk. Exclusive packages from 25c to \$5.00.

Kodaks. Many things are successfully imitated, but the world has stamped its approval on the Eastman Kodak as having no equal. We are sole agents for these goods for Twin Falls, and carry an assortment of Kodaks ranging from \$1.00 to \$25.00. Choose early and be in readiness to photograph the Xmas dinner party.

Hair Brushes & Combs. We have a fine line. Carry none but the best. Have also a nice assortment of Tooth Brushes. Toilet Sets. They make an ornamental and useful present. We have them in various grades, from \$1.00 to \$10.00.

Perfume and Toilet Waters. Perfume and Gallets. Pinauds, Guerlain's and Flory's, of Paris, Colgate's, Imperial, Palmers', Spelshier's and Darbo's, domestic. In bulk and in elegant cases. 50c to \$1.50 Oz.

Phonographs. You cannot choose a more pleasing present than a Victor. Music and gramophone. Clear and distinct. Brings highly cultured voices into your home. No home complete without music.

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Hand Bags and Purses. Direct New York City purchases. Handbags, Handkerchiefs, Purses, Cols, Purks, Cols Belts. Latest fashions and designs in finest quality.

CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS. Make your rooms cheerful by beautiful, inexpensive decorations. CALKINS & BOOTH, Proprietors.

WENDELL ENJOYS RAILWAY SERVICE

BOTH FREIGHT AND PASSENGER TRAFFIC STARTED.

Great Rejoicing Followed the Arrival of the First Train—Settlers Flocking in and Building Homes on Their Ranches.

WENDELL, Idaho, Dec. 8.—E. J. Ostrander of Jerome was in town Tuesday.

R. H. Trull, with a party of land seekers, spent Tuesday in Wendell. G. S. Longworth of Ohio expects to begin drilling for a well on his ranch this week.

W. F. Smith and H. E. Barrett were back as here in Gooding Saturday. W. B. Kirkpatrick was in town Monday.

Miss Marie Fusch of La Porte, Indiana who has been visiting Mrs. Ostrander at Twin Falls, came over to Wendell Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Dingler.

Dr. Perry went to Gooding Saturday to meet his wife and daughter, Frances, who came out from Chicago. The doctor came about two months ago and has a nice country home built and furnished for occupancy.

Mr. Brandt has the contract for erecting a cottage for the engineers stationed here. The cottage will be a two-story house, with comfortable rooms and will be made comfortable and convenient in every way.

Mr. Lind of Chicago spent Tuesday in Wendell. He has purchased 100 acres of land near Jerome, which he expects to improve at once. Mr. Lind is highly pleased with this country, and has great hopes for the future.

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Side Land Co. The investments they think of here show what they are up to. Governor Gooding some five years ago, J. H. Purdy, W. D. C. MacWalter, W. A. Gilmore and A. J. Wiley live with a special train and taken to Gooding over the new railroad.

Thursday will long be remembered by the owners of Wendell as a red letter day in the history of the town. For several days the settlers had been anxiously watching the smoke from the engine which carried the rails and the workmen on the new railroad. On Thursday the engine rounded the curve and the engine, engine, engine and other equipment have been ordered for the new road, and the supply is expected in about 10 days. Then comes both passenger and freight service to Gooding. This means a good deal to our business men, both in the saving of time and expense. It has indeed been a task for them, as well as for the settlers coming in, to have their goods freighted by team, but everyone has been working hard and made the best of things. Now they are to be rewarded by having freight service on the railroad much sooner than they anticipated. The Twin Falls North Side Land & Water Co. is being forth every effort to have things in readiness for the settlers. It has put competent men in charge of the work and will thus be enabled to finish it before the contract time expires. This speaks well for the company, which we consider the magnitude of the undertaking.

A BARGAIN

Our very best buy and no doubt the best buy in the state of Idaho. Farm of 200 acres, 75 miles northeast of Twin Falls; elevation 4200 feet; eight miles from the railroad; heavy timber; no rock; no alkali; no brush; good for irrigating; has splendid deep well water right; no water tax; one inch of water in the acre; fine hot spring at the door running 80 inches at a temperature of 122 degrees; good plunge for bathing; water in good hot streams; excellent winter and summer ranges for cattle and sheep; good fishing in three trout streams nearby. This is a place in the state which is the best for the money that can be had in the whole state. After my 10 years experience in this state, and after seeing practically all of it, I can recommend this place as being the finest stock ranch I ever saw. The water is pure and the feed and the ranges cannot be equaled in Idaho. As the soil was made by deposits from the mountain sides, it is a rich loam, containing an abundance of humus and nitrogen, making it ready for the production of from 60 to 100 bushels of oats per acre, good sugar beets or alfalfa, and any other crop to plant. We can sell this place in whole or in part for \$15 per acre on the following terms: One-half cash, balance on 12 months, with 10% interest. We will guarantee the above statements in regard to this land and pledge \$500 that they are true. By Don C. Bryan, Twin Falls, Idaho.

Ladies of the Methodist Aid will give a chicken pie supper Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1908, in the old Methodist church.

Dr. J. T. Evans, Practical Optician, of Boise, Idaho, will be in Twin Falls, at the Hotel Perrine, Dec. 2nd to 7th. I can correct any error in refraction and those having trouble with their eyes or nervous strain are invited to call. Fifteen years' practical experience. No charge for examination. J. T. Evans.

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Lost—At Kimberly, on Nov. 18th, one black mare colt, 5 months old, weighing 120 pounds. Address J. B. Keeler, Box 122, Twin Falls, Idaho.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. Francis MacDonald of Buhl, Idaho, who made entry No. 2318, 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 the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 24, township 9 S., range 14 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land Board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 22nd day of December, 1908, by two of the following witnesses: A. N. Ring, V. S. Boggs, John Couder, C. Tompsett, all of Buhl, Twin Falls, Idaho. FRANCIS MACDONALD, Entryman.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale. Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Probate Court of Twin Falls county, Idaho, dated November 16th, 1908, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, belonging to the estate of J. Noble McMaster, deceased, to-wit: The interest of said deceased in lots 15 and 16, in block 31, and lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, in block 18, of the city of Twin Falls, Idaho, according to the recorded plat of said city, said lots to be subject to all payments that may hereafter become due to the Twin Falls Townsite company on contracts made by the deceased with said company for the purchase of said lots, which said payments are to be assumed by the purchaser.

Desert entry No. 2148 of the west half of section 12, in township 13 S., of range 18 E. B. M., in the county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho. The NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of section 9; the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of section 9, and the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of section 10, all in township 11, south of range 18 E. B. M., in the county of Twin Falls, state of Idaho.

To be sold subject to unpaid installments on purchase price of said land that may hereafter become due to the state of Idaho, which are to be assumed by the purchaser, also subject to a balance of \$7.44 per acre on each acre of said land in contract of Twin Falls, Idaho, which are to be assumed by the purchaser.

The sale will be made on or after December 15th, 1908, and bids, in writing, will be received by the undersigned at the office of the Farmers Real Estate and Live Stock Co. on Main avenue, Twin Falls, Idaho.

Terms of sale—10 per cent of offer to accompany bid, balance on approval and confirmation of sale by the court.

Deeds at expense of purchaser. Dated Nov. 16, 1908. CHAS. A. McMASTER, Administrator of the Estate of Said Deceased.

Notice of Writ of Attachment. Lambert Iron Company, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Warren White, defendant. Notice is hereby given that on December 10, 1908, a writ of attachment was issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled action, attaching the property of the above named defendant for the sum of \$105.21, interest and costs.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office this 5th day of December, 1908. H. T. WEST, Clerk of the District Court. By R. H. ROYS, Deputy.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. I. Alva A. Slocumb of Buhl, Idaho, who made entry No. 2355, under the provisions of an act of the legislature of the state of Idaho, commonly known as the "Carey act," approved March 2, 1899, which embraces the SW 1/4 of section 5, township 9 S., range 14 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land Board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 12th of January, 1909, by two of the following witnesses: Henry F. Sandin, George B. Brainerd, William Peterson, William E. Brush, all of Buhl, Idaho. ALVA A. SLOCUMB, Entryman.

Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Halley, Idaho, Dec. 4, 1908. Notice is hereby given that Thomas Higgins, of Three Creek, Owyhee county, Idaho, who, on November 20, 1903, made homestead entry (serial No. 01034) No. 2458, for the E 1/4 of SW 1/4 and W 1/4 of SE 1/4 of section 24, township 16 S., range 11 E. B. M., has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before John F. Hansen, U. S. commissioner, at his office at Rock Creek, Owyhee county, Idaho, on the 16th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jerome N. Healey, Lloyd Reynolds, Mart S. Estes, and Leo R. Estes, all of Three Creek, Owyhee county, Idaho. A. I. McMAHON, Register.

Notice for Publication—Final Proof. J. Edward J. Meyer of Buhl, Idaho, who made entry No. 2318, under the provisions of an act of the legislature of the state of Idaho, commonly known as the "Carey act," approved March 2, 1899, which embraces the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of section 1, township 11 S., range 14 E., do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof 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, representative of the State Land Board, at Buhl, Idaho, on the 12th of January, 1909, by two of the following witnesses: A. N. Ring, V. S. Boggs, G. Chamberlain, James H. Sheldes, Herbert W. Pitt, all of Buhl, Idaho. EDWARD J. MEYER, Entryman.

Have Glass on your picture frame.

Notice for Publication. State Land Department, Boise, Idaho, Sept. 23, 1908. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Warren H. Heyl of Buhl, Idaho, contestant, against Carey act entry No. 1255, made by Paul Barr, contestant, on the SW 1/4 of section 24, township 10 S., range 13 E., by Paul Barr, Boise, Idaho, contestant, in which it is alleged that the contestee, Paul Barr, has not complied with the provisions of the Carey act or the laws of the state of Idaho relating thereto, or the rules or regulations of the State Board of Land Commissioners in the matter of acquiring residence upon said land, or the cultivation, improving or reclaiming said land; that the said Paul Barr did not within six months after notice was given that water was ready for delivery to said land establish a residence thereon; that he did not cultivate or reclaim one-eighth part of said land within one year after notice was given that water was ready, and did not irrigate, cultivate or reclaim one-eighth of said land within two years after said notice was given; that he has not cultivated, irrigated or reclaimed said land according to law. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 19, 1908, before the register of the State Board of Land Commissioners, in Boise, Idaho.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed November 20, 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice could not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

(Signed) M. I. CHURCH, Register.

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Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur Penzo, Jr., Jerome N. Healey, George D. Patrick and Grover Mallat, all of Three Creek, Owyhee county, Idaho.

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I. E. Perrine is working on a special rate for seed potatoes from Colorado, Minnesota and South Dakota to Twin Falls, and has received assurance that the rate will be put into effect. It might not be a bad idea to send a skilled potato grower from Twin Falls to the states named to ascertain how the seed is handled, where it is obtained and how the crop is graded and marketed.

Everything points to a record breaking immigration to the Twin Falls country next year, and the city of Twin Falls must be awakened to sustain its premier position. There should be a quickening of the public pulse all along the line. The streets must receive more attention, the city must be kept clean, and there must be a welcome for all who come in search of investments. As it is people come and go and unless they happen to meet some loyal enthusiast, they have to beg for information which should be at hand at the register of every hotel in the city.

Very little interest is shown in the approaching bond election. Nobody seems anxious to register, and there is no discussion of the questions at issue. For the past two weeks the streets have been very muddy and the urgent need of permanent crossings is quite apparent. The water pressure has been lower than normal because of the diminished flow in the low line canal, a splendid illustration of the need of a chemical engine or other fire fighting apparatus. Whether or not the city can afford to lay crossings or improve the fire protection at present is a question for the taxpayers to determine.

The Twin Falls Commercial club might warp itself out of the doldrums long enough to make an effort to secure mail service between Twin Falls and Jerome. There is a great deal of travel between the two towns and there will be more shortly. Two stages make daily trips and scores of private conveyances pass over the road daily. When railway service is started from Jerome to Gooding many travelers will drive over from Twin Falls and take the train at Jerome. Many residents of the south side are interested in the north side and vice versa. There are cogent reasons why the mail service should be improved speedily.

from this city and fermented an unneighborly spirit which lived for quite a while. It is necessary that friendly relations between the two towns should be fostered, and one way to do it is to have daily mail service between them. Jerome is only 12 miles from Twin Falls, but a letter had to travel 150 miles to get there.

TWIN FALLS AT FAT STOCK SHOW

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(From our Special Correspondent.) CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6.—The live stock show has been the particular attraction since the day of its opening, November 23, and it looks as if the coming week will add new honors to its already won glories, for without doubt this is the largest and most important stock show ever held in America. And what a gathering of exhibitors, and much more than 100,000 people into the show; and it is that in every sense. From all over the United States come a troop of intelligent exhibitors, anxious to see and be seen, to learn the scientific features of stock-raising. From Britain, Germany, France and Russia; from Canada, Mexico, South America, the Argentine republic, as well as from far away Japan, come delegates or representatives, to see, to question and to report back what scientific development of stock is doing for America.

It is an exhibition of champions of the animals that have captured the prizes at most of the agricultural shows throughout the country, many of them being the winners of honors at foreign stock shows. These breeds are not only of the highest quality, but also of the most diverse nature, as much pride as their owners. The cattle are scrubbed and brushed—[it is also charged that quite a few were marketed and some were performed—until the sheen of satin would have been out of commission by comparison. But beautiful they are and attractive in the very best sense in matters agricultural in general and of stock-breeding in particular. But the prize of those bovines is not a match to the man of the farm, which seem to feel their superiority of class. The former had endeavored under difficulties to make a correct exhibition; but it is not better than 15 per cent on investment. Easy terms. IRRIGATED LANDS CO., Twin Falls, Idaho.

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The packing houses are represented by their every-day wagons, spick and span of condition, fitted with four and six thoroughbreds of the draught horse type. Around the arena and along the sides, across it they show off in perfection, and no one of type on each team, one necessarily sympathizes with the judges at that critical moment when called upon to discriminate between them for the honor of first, second and third prize. Perhaps the exhibit in the pavilion calling forth the most spontaneous applause is the different from that of any other, is a troop from the Thirteenth United States cavalry. From the time they enter the arena with a swift, onward movement, there is an unflagging interest in everything they do. And the varied difficult and clever stunts performed by this body of picked men, seated to set the most experienced and famous circus rider gauding. Man and horse are in the closest sympathy with each other, and each looks the part of a superb and artistic whole.—The charger, of the kind familiar to us in the far west under the designation of pony, is much in the foreground with the rider as the latter is with the former, and both are equally well disciplined. Just preceding this exhibit there had been a show of so-called hunters, which had positively refused to hunt by sham. So they came up sideways and ugly to the obstruction of bars, etc., which they were supposed to clear with skill and cleanness, and talked with such vim of purpose as to almost unseat the rider. Finally they were forced to take the leap, by a cruel use of spur and lash, and treatment to any horse of spirit, but particularly so to that classed as "hunter." So the well-trained and fully disciplined "ponies" of this crack troop came as a relief to the fiasco made by the bunch of "hunters."

This show of live stock is of greater significance than one may at first suppose. It is of educational value, for these exhibitions are schools, so to speak, in the handling of stock. He who comes in the right spirit, and is broad enough to overcome sectional or local prejudices, is bound to learn something to his advantage regarding the feeding and breeding of stock. From crude beginnings developed this present showing. Each stockman, however, the earlier exhibitions, had resolved to show something finer at the next. And it is only his deest

that he is now allowed to exhibit. Committee and judges have grown wiser, and view the exhibits more from a scientific and educational standpoint. Then our colleges, by their departments of agriculture, are doing great things in fostering the study of the production of good stock. The farmer's son is no longer content to plod along as his father did. He becomes ambitious for a college training so that he may understand the science of farming and approach the matter of the tilling of the soil, and the production of crops, or the breeding of stock, in a more intelligent manner, gueswork being educated out of his system. So in this International Live Stock show we find the directors encouraging the students in the various agricultural colleges, as well as the farmer with no training but the farm, to compete in the grading of stock. Did the college student fail, think you? Oh, no. His career is not finished by judgment. He could give the why and the wherefore of his choice, could intelligently tell why one kind of feed would be beneficial and another harmful, while the universities themselves have been awarded stock show prizes, and the college bred farmer has the advantage over his brother in that direction only from the farm. It was but natural that your correspondent should be bent on finding something from Idaho, and learning the thing of the Union Pacific, the Oregon Pacific, the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Navigation Company had a joint booth, we wended our steps in that direction. There we found W. S. Guilford of Twin Falls City diffusing knowledge to those seeking for the same, as to the merits of your part of the country, whether he were a native to that part of the country beyond the Rockies, or who has tarried out there long enough to become imbued with the spirit of the West. Upon the list of judges in the sheep-breeding class we find the name of A. G. Butterfield of Weiser, Idaho. Mr. Butterfield's name appears with the judges of the Rambouillet sheep, a type that thrives exceedingly well in southern Idaho, we believe. During the coming week the International pavilion will be the scene of display of some of the finest thoroughbreds among horses, 200 having arrived today for the opening of the horse show on Monday, Dec. 6, and boxes and reserved seats have been taken in advance. Snow is now covering the ground to the depth of several inches, but the pavilion is all under cover and heated by steam.

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KIMBERLY WANTS MORE SIDEWALKS

CITIZENS CONTRIBUTE FUNDS TO BUILD THEM.

Lot Owners Will Put Walks in Front of Their Lots and Money for the Crossings Will Be Procured by Popular Subscription.

KIMBERLY, Idaho, Dec. 9.—W. E. Rogers left Monday on a prospecting trip through Oregon, Idaho, and perhaps part of California. If he finds nothing better than this country he will locate here, so his friends expect him to remain here.

He has been living on Silas Perkins' farm the past year.

Rev. Silas Perkins and family will return to their rented home at Kimberly about February. They have been living at Heyburn for some time past.

Frank Bigger reports the arrival of a little boy at his home Monday night. Another electrical fan for the power plant. Mother and son doing nicely, and it's cigars for the boys for awhile now.

Swearingen & Wilson have received an elegant cash register direct from the National Cash Register Co. at Dayton, Ohio. It is of the latest pattern and will be installed in their new store in a few days. Their building is ready for the lathers and they hope to have it plastered in about a week.

A mass meeting of the citizens of Kimberly was called Monday night to discuss the question of sidewalks. Several persons were constituted as a sidewalk committee consisting of W. F. Breckon, E. U. McIntire and others was appointed to solicit subscriptions for material for street crossings. Everyone was in favor of walks, especially from the Kimberly Supply & Produce Co.'s store to the depot by way of the Midway-Clay yard and the bank. Each lot owner is to place a six-foot walk in front of his lot, and enough money has been subscribed to put in the crossings. This will be a great improvement for Kimberly and has been needed for a long time.

Mrs. Susie Prothero is expecting her son and daughter-in-law this week who are coming to visit her.

R. J. Hummel and daughters are all better, but the son is now reported to be down with typhoid fever. The Woodmen and Odd Fellows have been sending one of their members out each night to assist in waiting on the sick.

Several members of the Odd Fellows lodge were here last Friday afternoon assisting the local lodge in the funeral of brother J. H. McKay. They met in their hall and marched to the residence, about 30 being in line. After a short discourse by Rev. G. R. Archer, the lodge performed the last rites over the body of their departed brother. The body was then escorted to the station and shipped to Vancouver, British Columbia, for interment. One son, Will McKay, arrived and accompanied the family. G. F. Peterson has been appointed administrator to close up the estate in Idaho and pay all bills and funeral expenses. The local lodge here contributing their usual \$50 to aid in his expenses.

A Christmas tree will be held at the Methodist church. A committee has the matter in hand and quite a nice sum has been raised to assist in the work, which will be greatly enjoyed by the children.

House movers are at work on the postoffice building. It will be taken about 75 feet south of its present location to make way for the new highway and feed stable.

Several of the plasterers who have been at work on the school building left this week for Twin Falls. Two or three are still here putting on the finishing touches. A full force of carpenters can now be put on and the building will be ready for occupancy by the first of the year.

The sick at W. McCreary's are reported better.

Mrs. C. W. Rice has recovered from her recent attack of bronchitis, or slight attack of pneumonia.

Several are still hauling in kral and hay. The roads are still slick and muddy, when not frozen, and small loads only can be hauled now.

E. W. Davis, the elevator manager, is very busy these days. He is driving his time between here and Piler, and looking after the carload shipments from Hansen.

W. H. Thomas arrived from Payette Tuesday where he has been visiting his family since Thanksgiving. He went on to Twin Falls on business on the day of his arrival.

President W. T. Jack of Oakley was here Saturday and Sunday looking after the interests of the L. D. S. church. M. P. Swan resigned and B. Williams has been appointed president of the local church for the present.

F. O. Cunningham is having new siding put on his residence. A. Dunken is doing the work, adding much to the looks of the house.

The nice car of Rock Springs lump coal received by the Western Co. did not last long this week.

H. M. Fletcher is assisting E. W. Davis with the elevator at Piler.

W. A. Ashdown was in town Tuesday from Rock Creek. He has recently built a new residence on his dry farm.

C. F. Romig is blasting on his ditch out of Rock Creek to cover his land with water the coming season.

E. W. Tilley's brother accompanied Charles and Herbert Romig to the mountains last week and the party brought back five deer.

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DO NOT NEGLECT THE PLEASURES

PEOPLE OF JEROME FIND TIME FOR ENJOYMENT.

Popcorn Party by Mrs. Chris. Dinner by Mrs. Christensen and a Moonlight Visit to Wendell Among the Events of the Week.

JEROME, Idaho, Dec. 9.—P. W. Davis left Monday in Jerome Tuesday on business.

Ivan Bennett, who has been assisting in the office of P. S. A. Bickel; has returned to Milner to take up his duties.

H. W. Hurlbauss went to Boise on Wednesday and expects to be gone for several days.

Mrs. Christensen, the popular leader of the younger set of Jerome, gave a large dinner the other evening. The decorations were yellow. Covers were laid for 12.

The Ladies' Aid society of Jerome will hold a Christmas bazaar in the tabernacle Saturday afternoon and evening.

J. T. Jackson was in town on Monday.

Mr. Leo and Mr. Bestos of Chicago are now grubbing their ranches, two miles from town, and have commenced building in order to prove up next spring.

"Chick" Fraser and Carl Lundgren of the Chicago "Club" were in Jerome Tuesday and Wednesday. They were entertained at dinner Tuesday evening by R. H. Trull. They expect to return to Chicago next week for training for their summer baseball season.

A number of young people went to Wendell last Sunday, returning by moonlight.

Mrs. Chris, nee Winterstoh, gave a popcorn party at her new bungalow on North Wednesday evening to a large number of young people of the town. It was something quite new, but very popular in the east. The decorations were green. The merry men lasted until quite late. All went home voting it the most successful party of the season.

Mr. Hammond of Boise has arrived to assist in the chief engineer's office, where his services are much needed on account of the great amount of work in that department.

Clay, Robinson & Co.'s Live Stock Letter.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 7.—We had pretty heavy receipts of cattle here all this last week and the market closed 15c to 25c lower on nearly everything, and even more on thin fleached and light weight stockers and culler stuff. The prices on the best grades of killers, both steers and cows, were not a great deal lower for the week, but there were not many cattle coming from the country. All of these western cattle show a pretty heavy shrink on account of storms and cold weather, and the packers claim they are not killing out satisfactorily. The steers or heavy, fleshy feeders is good, but light weight stuff is 25c to 40c lower than two weeks ago. Receipts of cattle were slow to get started and cattle changed hands at prices 10c to 20c lower than the close of the week. The commoner grades were neglected.

It looks as though this will be the last heavy run of cattle this fall, although there are quite a few which will show here today. The market was slow to get started and the early storms. Some of the feeders in northern Colorado who are running on a deal of trouble on account of the deep snow.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Presbyterian church, Rev. John Gourley, pastor. Services held every Sunday in K. P. hall Sunday service at 10 A. M. Preaching service at 11 Evening service at 8:00.

Methodist church, Rev. Henry W. Parker, pastor. Services held in the Bickel school. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Preaching service at 11. Evening service at 7:30. Junior Epworth league at 8; Senior at 8:30.

The Church of the Brethren (or Dunkard) church, Rev. C. C. Gentry, pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Christian workers' meetings 7 p. m. Evening service, 8 p. m.

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FARMERS' WANTS ARE EXPRESSED

SUGGESTIONS BY THE PRESIDENT DISCUSSED.

Topics Agreed Favoring Legislation for Better Roads, Better Educational System, Postal Savings Bank and Parcel Post.

In accordance with the request of President Roosevelt, a number of Twin Falls farmers met in K. P. hall Saturday afternoon, December 5, to discuss the topics suggested by the president. Resolutions expressing the sentiment of the community were passed and were taken by McPherson to the meeting of the commission on Country Life in Spokane.

President W. S. Starr of the Federation of Farmers' associations acted as the chair and A. McPherson acted as secretary in the absence of Irving Row, who was in attendance at the meeting of the Canal association, which he is also secretary.

E. E. McClain spoke emphatically in favor of the parcel post, postal savings banks and rural telephone as necessities in the upbuilding of farming community, and the betterment of conditions in the country.

Rev. John Gourley emphasized the value of studying home life, especially native to mothers and children. He stated that wives were often unwisely mismanaged by their husbands through neglect and lack of thoughtfulness, and that home life could be made more pleasant if more thought were given to the conveniences and how saving devices in the home. The girls and children should be taken care frequently to entertainments and to give more social amusements.

James A. Waters spoke on the school garden, emphasizing the good that could be done to the young by enabling them to study plant growth, and the pleasure which they would gain by seeing things grow. School gardens, he said, not only instructed the children but also awakened their taste to the sense of life and beauty which were an ornament to the schools and a benefit to the children.

P. P. Custer gave his ideas on how to keep the boys and girls on the farms. He advocated making home pleasant for them and to interest them in the mysteries of plant growth by the part that each plant took in the natural process for manufacturing food for the world.

Woman's Rights. Frank Russell followed with a brief talk on the rights and privileges of women on the farm. He expressed the belief that women did not enjoy the social privileges to which they

were entitled in the country. They worked early and late, illustrating the old saying, "Man's work ends with the sun; woman's work is never done." Especially is this true in a new country, said Mr. Russell. Men should be thought of and should save their wives every possible step. Children should be taught to assist around the house with the chores and to assume a certain amount of responsibility at home. They should be encouraged by giving them chickens or stock or something for their own individual profit. The man could come to town, visit his friends and smoke a cigar, said Mr. Russell, but too often he forgot to bring his wife with him in order that she might enjoy a little recreation. Too frequently the wife was too busy with her household duties to enjoy social liberty. Mr. Russell's talk was very interesting and it illustrated a phase of farm life too much neglected.

Sanitation. Dr. Ellis talked on farm sanitation. He declared that under present conditions where people were so careless about contaminating the irrigation ditches it was a wonder that epidemics was not more prevalent. Slops and debris were scattered indiscriminately about the house in many cases and if it were not for the constant sunshine and pure air we would be constantly afflicted with disease. In many instances, said the doctor, he observed that manure was used to stop breed in small laterals. This should not be permitted. Poisoned grain, dropped in gopher holes, and which eventually washed into the ditches, was not conducive to good health. He advocated cesspools on the farms; care in avoiding contamination of ditches, and the practice of cleanliness and sanitation.

More Thought; Less Work. A. McPherson urged the farmers to devote more thought to their work. He said the tendency on the farm was to develop muscle rather than brain. Both should be developed together. The result of this condition was that the brains went to the legislature with an imperfect knowledge of the requirements of the farmers, hence the failure to legislate for the farmers, who are the backbone of the country. He illustrated his remarks by mentioning the wave of thought scattered broadcast by Gifford Pinchot, ably seconded by the president. This thought had aroused the farmers and the meetings held in every county in every state of the Union on the same day resulted. If the farmers thought more, he declared, they would work less and their condition would be greatly improved. Hand and mind should work together. Equal development of mind and body produced the balanced man and balanced men ruled the world.

Mr. Leonard spoke on the need of railway legislation. Upon transportation facilities, he said, depended the welfare of the grower and producer. The farmer and the manufacturer sup-

ported the railroads and had a right to demand fair treatment from them. Markets should be made accessible to farming communities. Farmers should be careful to send to the legislature only those representatives favorable to agricultural interests.

Smaller Farms. E. R. Sherman advocated smaller farms and more care in cultivation. He said few men stopped to think that a small farm, well tilled, was more remunerative than a large one mismanaged. Unless a farmer was exceedingly fortunate in securing the right kind of help, he was more than likely to lose money by trying to farm too much land. Weeds should be kept from the fields and ditches, and there should be a rigid law compelling farmers in irrigated sections to keep down the weeds. One foot farm in an irrigated section would contaminate a whole township. Experience has shown, asserted Mr. Sherman, that 40 acres, properly handled, will bring in revenue sufficient for any man to live comfortably, educate his children and enjoy the luxuries of life, besides putting something away for the future.

Good Roads. B. A. Baker made a strong plea for good roads. He gave as an illustration the prevailing conditions in Twin Falls county. The school board had been compelled to put an extra team on one of its wagons because two horses could not pull the vehicle through the mud. Nothing developed a tract better than good roads. They enabled the farmer to market his produce at the most opportune time, instead of waiting until the roads improved so that he could get to town. When the roads were bad, nothing came to market and prices went up. When the roads improved after a bad spell the market was glutted and prices were lower than they should be.

F. E. Chamberlain seconded the remarks of Mr. Baker, pointing out many reasons why good roads should be built and maintained. George Fraser urged the farmers to cooperate in the formation of a producers' association. He cited the success of similar organizations in other communities and declared that the Twin Falls tract was sadly in need of an association at present. It would result in better markets, better rail-road rates and better produce.

Institute Meetings. It was decided to work for an institute session of two weeks on both the north and south side tracts and possibly the Mindoko tract. The speakers will be alternated and every subject will be thoroughly covered. Mr. McPherson was directed to arrange the details and to give notice when the meetings will be held.

Resolutions. The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That we, the people of the Twin Falls tract, should ask the commission appointed by the president to investigate country life that it recommend to the nation-

al congress that such legislation be enacted as will give the rural communities better roads, better systems of education, a general community life, a system of postal savings banks and a limited parcel post, believing that such legislation will go a long way in aiding the citizens of rural communities to reach a higher standard of development and prosperity.

Resolved, That it is the sense of the meeting of the farmers of the Twin Falls tract, held in the K. P. hall, Twin Falls, on Saturday, December 5, that every effort should be made in encouraging the cultivation of smaller farms in a more intensive manner; that better sanitary methods be used; that rural telephones be advocated; that we have better roads; that we, as members of the Farmers' federation, pledge our support to bring about the desired ends.

RECENT INVENTIONS. (Scientific American.)

CHURN.—A. Barber, Waterville, Cal. More particularly the invention relates to churns such as are provided with improved dashers whereby a more effective action is brought about in churning. The device is provided with a dasher having three vertical blades, the intermediate blade serving pivotally to mount the dasher in position and to facilitate its coming winter.

COTTON-COMPRESS.—T. B. Lee, Charlotte, N. C. This improvement provides a dense and uniform bale and completes it before releasing any pressure. It provides means for neatly and conveniently covering the bale with bagging and securely hooping the same with the wires or bands. It also provides a bale which can be sampled at any part of the same, so as to show the character of the cotton in the entire bale, leaving no chance for false packing.

BALE-TIE.—D. Margolis, Norfolk, Va. The improvement is more especially in such ties as are employed on cotton bales, the improved feature residing primarily in the connection between the ends of the tie. The fastening between the overlapping ends of the tie is made so that the tie will not catch in the press. It is applicable not only to joining the ends of new ties, but also in joining one or more pieces of an old tie together.

COTTON CHOPPER AND CULTIVATOR.—R. H. Furnell, Rosedale, Miss. A special feature of this machine lies in the means for preventing stubble, weeds, or trash of any kind from being drawn inward by the shoe in its revolutions, whereby the latter would become clogged and its work rendered imperfect. Another is the rotary bevel disks that when set in one position serve to throw dirt toward the row of cotton plants, whereas when arranged at an opposite inclination they serve to scrape the sides of the cotton row. It is an improvement upon the machine for which Mr. Furnell formerly obtained letters patent.

ORGANIZATION OF NATIONAL GRANGE

IS NOW BEING PERFECTED IN IDAHO.

Nearly Thirty Granges Have Already Been Formed and the National Organizer Has Appointed Five District Deputies for the State.

The National Grange is being systematically organized in Idaho. Nearly 30 granges have been formed, and National Organizer Charles B. Hoyt of New Hampshire has appointed five district deputies to carry on the work. It is expected that eight or 10 granges and a county grange will be formed in Twin Falls county during the coming winter.

The topics suggested for discussion at the meetings held last Saturday, by request of President Roosevelt, were of an excellent character. They are educational, social, legislative and business co-operation. President Roosevelt, in a message to congress, two years ago, called special attention to the work of the Grange and the good it was doing. He frequently called the legislative committee of the National Grange in consultation on proposed or needed legislation affecting the farmer.

It is largely due to the persistent efforts of the Grange that we have today a department of agriculture, represented in the president's cabinet; large appropriations by congress for experimental work along agricultural lines; rural free delivery of mail and many other benefits to the farmer.

Among the men prominent in pushing the Grange in Idaho are Professors French and Elliot of the agricultural college, A. E. Gipson of Caldwell who does excellent work along agricultural lines; rural free delivery of mail and many other benefits to the farmer.

Pioneer Grange of Twin Falls, which was organized two years ago, is one of the most thrifty members of the national body. It has worked quietly and effectively, constantly increasing its membership and the scope of its operations until it succeeded in arousing great interest and enthusiasm. At the regular meeting of Pioneer Grange on Friday evening, December 4, in the grange hall, two miles west of Twin Falls, 11 new members were admitted. The question of needed legislation for the farmer was discussed during the early portion of the meeting, the remainder of the evening being given up to games, music and refreshments, the latter being prepared by the ladies.

C. E. McClain is master of Pioneer Grange and D. F. Redman is secretary. Mr. McClain will be glad to furnish information to any farmer who wishes to join the Grange or to send an organizer wherever needed in the country. His address is R. F. D. No. 1, Twin Falls. The National Grange was organized in session in Washington and the delegates were received by President Roosevelt to whom they were presented by Gifford Pinchot, the farmer worker in the interest of the farmer.

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SUGGESTIONS BY SENATOR BORAH

REGARDING ADMINISTRATION OF RECLAMATION LAW.

Settlers Should Not Have to Wait so Long for Title and Should Not Be Evicted Because of Their Inability to Meet Payments.

In an address to the members of the Boise Commercial club, Senator Borah gave his views on the administration of the reclamation law as follows:

It is my purpose as I now view the matter to ask congress some time in the near future to consider the proposition of amending the reclamation act and I call it to the attention of the club at this time in order that it may have the suggestions of those who are interested either for or against the amendments which I think

desirable. It is a matter in which the state of Idaho is greatly interested and a subject which cannot receive too much consideration at our hands. The reclamation law was designed in theory for the poor man. As it was actually enacted and as it must be carried out under its terms it takes a rich man to avail himself of its provisions. I would like to see the law so amended as to make it what it was intended to be, a poor man's law. A law which would assist the man of limited or no means in getting a home which would protect him in his honest effort to get a home to the extent of his endeavor, although through some misfortune he might fall to do so. I am thoroughly in favor of the theory and the principle that it should be a home-building law, a law which would invite to our domain those desirous of becoming bona fide home-builders and which would exclude as near as practicable the speculators or those who visit occasionally a piece of land with a view of utilizing it for speculative purposes. In other words, I want it to be what it was intended to be, for the man of limited means who wants a home. As it is now enacted it is not so. It is harsh, incompetent and in many ways whole-

ly at war with the theory upon which it was framed.

Residence Requirement. The first objectionable feature, to my mind, is that it requires five years' residence. Time is not the only essential in proving a home-builder's good faith. There are other conditions which make it just as much a matter of good faith as the question of time. While, on the other hand, the long length of time deprives the home-builder of an opportunity to see the results of his own avails himself of the real assets. Three or four at most would be quite sufficient in time. If a party goes upon his ranch and in good faith makes there for three years improving and taking care of it as a bona fide resident and not as an occasional visitor, in my judgment he has shown sufficient evidence of good faith to be entitled to title to his land if he can make the payments. This, however, is not a controlling matter with me, but I believe it to be the better way.

Furthermore, the law should provide, if it does not already provide, and there seems to be a contention that it does not, that a man should upon full payment be entitled to absolute title at the end of the five years provided for. After the first year has resided upon the land for five years and has made or is able to make his payments in full, he should, upon final proof, be entitled to a patent. There was some doubt for a time as to whether or not a person was entitled to title for ten years or to deferred payments for water. I understand the department has now held, however, that he may make full payment at the end of five years. There should be no question about this and the law should specifically provide for title at the end of five years, should enable the settler to make full payment for land and water and take his title.

Extension of Time. The most important amendment, however, is the one which will enable the man who is unable to make full payment at the end of five years to utilize at that time the improvement or benefit of his labor and his efforts. It seems to me that when a man has gone upon the ground and resided there for five years and has done the best he could, in good faith undertaken to improve his land and pay for it but is unable to make full payment for the water at the end of five years, that he should be permitted, if he feels so disposed, to sell by assignment his interest. An assignment could be made through the United States land office which would enable him to get the benefit of his improvements and of his work or his investment to some extent, at least, while at the present time if misfortune overtakes him and he is unable to pay, he loses the benefit of his entire effort. This is a piece of injustice which only a government too busy with other matters to attend to the details of her citizens could provide for. This kind of law is the law which favors so heavily the poor man. If we are going to have a poor man's law, let's take care of the poor man when through sickness, or we will say, through want of proper business methods he is unable to finally pay it. Why should he not have the benefit of his honest efforts, why should the government of the United States say that simply because a man has been sick or because he himself, as some wise legislator may say, has been imprudent, that he should not have the benefit of his honest efforts to make a home. If you would make it necessary for the assignee to go upon the place or attach to him the qualifications of an original entrant, certainly the government cannot be injured in any way. It is not difficult at all to provide such an amendment and I have no doubt that the department would be glad to do so although I do not speak authoritatively, as the law now is, of course, the department can do nothing of that kind. The defect is in the law and not in the administration.

Good Injustice. As the law now is, a man may remain upon his ranch for four or five years, struggle along as best he can to make a home, deprive his family of comforts and his children of education, finally succeed in making improvements to the amount of a thousand or fifteen hundred dollars and at last find himself unable to hold on any longer. The scheme seems to be that when that transpires his labors shall be taken from him, forfeited, and the man himself and his family driven forth to go—where? Where does society or the government offer him a place of refuge or where can he find compensation for his four or five years' effort which to him means a great deal? I do not know of any place in God's world where such a doctrine prevails outside of the land-lord and tenant system of Ireland. I sincerely hope the law may be so amended that such an infamous doctrine will not secure a foothold in the state of Idaho. If there is any man in the world the government is to be favored in it is the man who is honestly trying to make a home but who through one cause or another may not be able to do so within a limited period of time. A law which deprives the department of any leniency of the exercise of any discretion with reference to such matters is unfair and unjust and should be amended. The department should have the power to exercise some discretion as extending time to a man who has earned the extension. I have heard it said in the discussion of these matters with reference to the man who was unable to pay, "Oh, well, you expect to root out one or two crops of settlers and get a good yield." Such a statement is unjust in the extreme. The first settler, the man who undertakes in the first instance to build up a home, the cultivation and who endures the hardships that attend the making of a new home without excessive means is not necessarily any less a good citizen than the man who comes with advantages comes after and succeeds. If I am satisfied that a man is acting in good faith and is really there to build a home, my sympathies are with

the first settler and the law should be extended so as to particularly protect the man of good residence and good settlers through harsh and unjust laws; should not be necessitated by any terms of the law and if it should be done after the terms of the law do not necessitate it the man who would do so would be unfit to execute any law. My observations both with reference to the Mindoko project and to the men who have come in under the Bannock project are that these first settlers are as a rule an exceptionally good class of citizens. I think if you would go among them and see what they are trying to do and the sacrifices they are making and the good faith which is evident that you would entirely agree with me.

There are other suggestions which I might make if I had time to take up the matter to make. I invite an expression of opinion upon these matters and should be glad to have the views of all parties as I am quite aware that error of judgment may easily creep into such matters.

SLAKE INDIANS RAPIDLY DYING

ONLY REMNANT OF FORMIDABLE TRIBE LEFT.

Southern Idaho. Now Supports the Few Remaining Members of the Once Famous Shoshoni or Snake Nation, the Friends of the Whites.

One of the dying tribes—a race that is fading away and will be only a memory in a few more years—is the widely scattered Shoshoni nation, which, in its history, ranged over an enormous territory, but is now fast passing from existence.

The Shoshoni, or Snake Indians, are of unknown origin and primal habitat. They may have come down from the north when the Apache and Navaho swept south from the arctic regions, or they may have always lived where they do today—on either side of the Rockies.

One branch of the tribe, centuries ago, left the mountains, spread over the south-western plains, and grew to great fame as the Comanche nation. Part of the Shoshoni remained in the old homes of the various bands and held their own as best they could against other tribes.

Living in the mountains of Wyoming, splendid race physically and mentally, the eastern Shoshoni fought the Cheyenne and Sioux and, made friends with white men. Lewis and Clark, the first white men to see the splendid treatment from them, due to the fact that Sacajawea, "the bird woman," guide to the expedition, was a Shoshoni girl.

The Shoshoni and the great plains confederacy of fighting tribes began the terrible struggle that only ended with the conquest of the Sioux by the Cheyenne and the Shoshoni. Their chief, Washakie, who died not long ago, was wise in counsel, able in war, and of great help to the military.

Although the young men of the tribe went with all the expeditions of Crook and Miles, the soldiers gave no protection to the Shoshoni camps, and the Cheyennes wreaked grim vengeance on them. One Cheyenne led by Col. McKenzie's troopers had a necklace made from the hands of twenty-three Shoshoni babies.

In 1872 the Shoshoni on the Wind River reserve, in Wyoming, numbered 1,023. They have decreased steadily and now total about 750. Lazy, good-humored, living poorly, the best way they can, the eastern Shoshoni are receiving a poor reward for their more than 100 years of generous friendship to the white man.

With the Bannock, at Fort Hall, Idaho, is another section of the Shoshoni tribe. These Indians were suspicious of the whites, and had to be crushed by Gen. Connor some forty-five years ago. After the death of their ruler they settled down quietly, and have made no trouble, even refusing to go on the warpath when the Bannock took the field in 1878. There were about 950 of these Shoshoni in 1878, and some 875 are now living.

At Lemhi, amid the spurs of the Rockies, some 450 mixed Shoshoni and Bannock live, scattered out a living for centuries. These people moved to the Fort Hall reservation only last summer. A fair estimate of their number in 1878 was 550.

Some of the Shoshoni physically, mentally and financially, are those who rove over western Utah and eastern Nevada. These people have many best-poor and -depleted or -other bands. Living in the desert, feeding on lizards, grasshoppers and sage-hens, they were much inferior to their eastern brothers or to the adjoining Utah and Nevada tribes.

A reservation at Duck Valley on the Idaho-Nevada line, is open to them, but less than 250 make it their home, the balance wandering wherever they can make a living.

In 1873 a careful count of the western Shoshoni put them at 1,945. Today, including those at Duck Valley, ranging in Nevada and living in Box Elder county, Utah, there are not more than 900 surviving.—W. A. Phenix in the Chicago Journal.

Boosting the West. The Salt Lake Tribune is engaged, as it has been for years, in boosting for the interior mountain west. In the past few years it has expended much time, energy, space and money in this work. It is of and for the west. It is not the least the greatest of the vast interior region comprising the states of Utah, Idaho, Nevada and Wyoming, and is doing its utmost to build up the west and bring the people into them, men and money for the development of their wonderful agricultural, mineral and other resources.

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Hardships Caused by Failure of Government Reclamation Service to Deliver Water for Irrigation Must Be Borne by Farmers.

In a ruling on an appeal of a contest case of special interest to settlers on the Mission tract and 62 lands under other reclamation projects, the department of the interior holds that the requirements of the homestead laws as to residence will be enforced where the failure of the entryman to maintain a continuous actual presence on the land is due to the failure of the government to supply water within the time expected.

The decision is in the case of William Roberts vs. Jacob T. Spencer, involving about 50 acres of land near Burley, in the Halley land district. The local officers held the entry for cancellation upon the ground of failure to establish and maintain residence upon the land.

Findings of Fact.
Referring to this conclusion, Assistant Secretary Pierce, who passed upon the appeal from the commissioner of the general land office, says: "The findings of fact show that the actual home of the entryman from the date of entry until date of hearing in Salt Lake City, Utah, and that his short and infrequent periods of occupancy of the claim were merely visits and not the establishment and maintenance of a residence thereon."

"Following the general rule of the department, decisions of your office and of the local office upon questions of fact will not be disturbed unless such decisions are clearly contrary to the weight of testimony; your decision might be affirmed without further comment. But, as it is vigorously urged by applicant that the requirements of the homestead laws as to settlement and residence in their application to entries generally should not be enforced as to entries with irrigation projects, where the failure of entryman to maintain a continuous actual presence on the land is due to the failure of the government to supply water within the time expected, the case will be examined with reference to that contention."

"While it is held that he has, within the meaning of the homestead law, established and maintained his residence upon the claim from date of entry to date of hearing, claimants contend that because of the heavy burdens imposed upon homesteaders by the reclamation act in the payment of charges for building the irrigation works, maintenance charges and other necessary expenses, the right of such claimant should not be adjudicated in accordance with the provisions applicable to ordinary homestead entries, but should be adjudicated with equitable regard for the circumstances, financial and otherwise, of the claimants, appreciation of the extraordinary and heavy obligations imposed by said statute, and in light of the evident fact that the homestead laws are merely auxiliary to the execution of the prime purpose of the act of June 17, 1902, viz: reclamation of arid and semi-arid lands of the United States."

Improvement on Claim.
"It may be stated in this regard that claimant has improved the land by having a house constructed, all the land placed under fence, and has the land cleared, plowed and seeded to wheat, which, at the date of hearing, was about eight inches in height. If improvement and cultivation of land, which has been made at a cost of about \$490, is sufficient compliance with the law, this entry could be sustained without further reference to the record, and it is only necessary to consider the question, whether the claimant is exempt from the requirements of the homestead law as to residence in its general application, and the character and extent of his occupancy of the land."

After a review of the evidence in which the conclusion is reached that the claimant never established a residence upon the land, the assistant secretary continues:

Important Question at Issue.
"As to the contention of the claimant that the act of June 17, 1902, did not contemplate that the requirements of the homestead law as to actual residence upon the land should be strictly enforced against entries of land within irrigation projects until the government is ready to supply water, the department, as early as May 17, 1904, instructed your office that the secretary of the interior had no authority to change any condition of the homestead law to the extent of tolerance of residence or to extend the time in which the entryman must make full compliance with the law and make final proof, and you were instructed to notify all persons who apply to make entry of such lands that they will be required to comply fully with the homestead law as to residence, cultivation and improvement of the land, and that the failure to supply water from the irrigation works in time for use upon the lands would not justify a failure to comply with the law and to make proof thereof within the time required by the statute."

"It was also held in the case of Jacob Fiat (33 L. D. 257) that there is no authority to grant leave of absence to a homesteader within an irrigation project on the ground that no crops can be raised on the land without irrigation, and that it is impossible to procure water for irrigation of land prior to the completion of the proposed government works."

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The average man would little suspect that the humble barrel plays so important a part in the expense accounts of the American farmer and manufacturer, yet figures compiled by the census in co-operation with the United States forest service develop this interesting truth. Moreover, statistics taken directly from reports from 465 cooperage mills in all parts of the United States show an increase of \$1,565,638, or eleven per cent in the value of last year's product over that of the previous year.

In distinct contrast to light cooperage stock, which in the main, requires oak timber for its raw material, slack cooperage stock, particularly staves and heading, utilized in a greater or less degree, most of the commercially important trees in the country, and for this reason its manufacture was far more widely distributed than in the case with that of light cooperage stock. Twenty-one species of wood contributed to the total slack stave production last year. Nearly two-thirds of the output, however, was manufactured from the four species, red gum, pine, elm and beech, in the order named.

The figures disclose an interesting movement in the industry in the substitution of less expensive woods for those which, for many years, were drawn upon most heavily for slack stave material, but which, owing to a progressive and advancing cut, are rapidly being displaced. In 1906 elm staves were manufactured in larger quantities than those from any other wood, and constituted nearly one-fourth of the total production for that year, with pine and red gum occupying second and third places, respectively. Last year gum jumped to first place, pine to second, while elm, with a falling off of 35 per cent in production, dropped to third place. Beech, maple, spruce, chestnut and oak followed in the order named.

While slack staves and heading production was reported last year from practically all the states engaged in the production of these products, a considerable percentage of the stock, in fact, being turned out as a by-product of lumber, the industry was to an extent localized, the five states of Pennsylvania, Missouri, Michigan, Arkansas and Virginia, in the order named, contributing 63.8 per cent of the total production. The distribution of the industry of heavy manufacture is much more limited than that of staves and heading, and is due primarily to the fact that this commodity is made chiefly from elm timber. Ohio led in the quantity of hoops manufactured, closely followed by Indiana, the output of these two states forming 67.3 per cent of the total production.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The postponement of the declamatory contest last Friday evening is much regretted by the high school. The contest had been advertised and all arrangements for it had been made by the local school. When the visitors arrived it was learned that the executive committee of the league had failed to provide judges for the occasion. Not being able to satisfy the visitors with anything available Friday, it was necessary to delay the contest.

A fair crowd was out Saturday evening and everything went off well. The contestants were all at their best, and did good work. Miss Worthington of Pocatello took first place in the dramatic, Mr. Mahoney of Albion was first in oratory and Mr. Castilhart of Pocatello won in comic recitation. Other contestants ranked high, there being close seconds in each class.

The music furnished by Grace Barber, Ollie Van Meter, Ethel Davies, and Willie Coburn was first class, and the entire program was much enjoyed.

Musicale by School.

The following musical program will be given by the school Friday evening, Dec. 13:

1. Piano solo.....Willie Coburn
2. Song.....Girls' Glee club
3. Piano duet.....Willie Coburn and Ethel Davies
4. Song.....Boys' quartet
5. Song.....Helen Musgrave
6. Piano solo.....Vesta Thomas
7. Song.....Girls' quartet
8. Violin solo.....Isidor Friedman
9. Song.....Lynn Beauchamp, Arnold Hutto
10. Piano solo.....Grace Barber
11. Song.....Lydia Boyd
12. Sing song.....Boys' chorus
13. Piano solo.....Ollie Van Meter
14. Song.....Norma and Gladys Musgrave
15. Cornet solo.....Sterling Oakley
16. Song.....Double quartet
17. Song.....Ethel Davies
18. Song.....Willbur Quigley, Arnold Hutto, Lynn Beauchamp, Galen McMaster, Paul Robertson.

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BUHL IS GOING TO STAY CLEAN

(Continued from Page 1.)

George L. Eveleth, who moved out of town, S. O. Kerley was appointed marshal and street overseer in place of Sam Nihart, resigned.

The Milner-Peterson Lumber Co. is building another large addition to its lumber sheds and grain warehouses. They are expecting big business during the fall and winter and that it will increase more next spring.

Mrs. Charles McQuown arrived from Heyburn last week to join her husband, who is manager of the Buhl Lumber Co. They are living in the dwelling house adjoining the lumber yard on Ninth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Oliver were Twin Falls visitors today.

George L. Eveleth has a crew of men baling hay on this end of the tract. He has contracts enough to keep him moving around until the first of the year.

Dr. W. E. Aaron of Oakley, uncle of Ross Elison, is visiting his nephew, and thinks so well of Buhl and its future bright prospects that he is inclined to locate here. It is him all the same way. To see Buhl is to fall in love with it.

A. W. Hartwell of Roseburg was a Buhl business visitor Thursday.

W. H. Clifford was up from Hagerman the latter part of last week on business.

J. F. Evans, optician of Boise, is holding court at the "Buhl" hotel.

J. F. Thompson, L. A. Jones and A. H. Thompson of Pullman, Wash., are guests of Hotel Buhl.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sprugel of Twin Falls are visiting in Buhl.

J. R. Davidson of Loganport, Ind., registered at Hotel Buhl Friday.

Peter Hanks was up from Friday on business.

H. F. Smith of Orleans, Neb., was a land seeker on this end of the tract Saturday.

John McDonnell came over from west of the Salmon Monday. He has been running lines for the water com-

pany over there, but had to let up for a while on account of the squall of bad weather we had a week ago. He says that the country over there is a dandy.

Roy Scott of Omaha, Neb., is a prospective land purchaser on this end. He is looking over the country for a suitable piece of sagebrush territory.

H. Wadman of Logan, Utah, is a guest of Hotel Buhl.

J. J. O'Brien of Cammings, Iowa, is among the land seekers on this end of the tract at the present time.

The moving picture show at the opera house is having a fine run. The house is crowded every night, and the show is good and enjoyed by all who see it.

Bishop Funston of Hoke is in town looking after the interests of the Episcopal church. He is entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Albree during his stay in Buhl.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Horniston have been very successful in building the new Baptist church. It will be an ornament to the town and is modern in every way. It is 40x26 in the main room and 22x18 in the Sunday school room, with raised floor and Gothic windows. It now has 50 members and a colony of Baptists is expected in spring. Mr. and Mrs. Horniston have been very kindly received and have made a host of friends in Buhl. They expect to spend Xmas in Los Angeles with their little daughter Marjorie. The Ladies' circle will hold a bazaar on December 16.

The Pound social held at Mr. Towne's last Friday night was well attended and the various "pounds" brought various prices when auctioned off to the highest bidder. The collection consisted of beans, dried apples, nuts, etc. The receipts of the evening amounted to \$19.40, which will be expended for a Xmas treat for the children of the community. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served.

Mr. Henderson has been assisting George Dixon with the brick work on the Townsite Co.'s building for the past week. Mr. Dixon has the front ready for the roof, which will be put on at once. The work of completing the building will be rushed and a Xmas ball will be the dedication.

G. H. Dixon has started the fire in his kiln of brick and will have a supply of home-made building material at an early date.

Twin Falls visitors Saturday were: Mr. Hill, Joe Froehlich, C. E. Edwards, W. H. Browning, John Walton, Professor Hinton and Mr. Whicker.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Eichenlaub took a train Saturday evening for Hot Lake, Ore., where they go for Mrs. Eichenlaub's health.

Mrs. Falk Smith and niece took train for Murtaugh Sunday evening.

Commissioner and Mrs. Hansen were passengers to Twin Falls Monday, returning via stage to Rock Creek Tuesday.

Mr. Roraback of Rock Creek was hauling hogs to J. W. Frabm this week.

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The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Crater last week. The next meeting will be at Trueblood's.

Rev. Archer delivered a sermon at the schoolhouse last Sunday. Next Sunday Rev. Gourley will preach at the same place.

Mrs. H. Lacours arrived home Tuesday from Lander, Wyo., where she had gone to see her mother, who was dangerously ill. Mrs. Lacours reports her better.

Charles Wise and Archie Miller of Colorado Springs were calling at the Griswold and Edward homes Tuesday.

Madan Rumor states that Hansen will have a depot at an early date. Let the good work proceed.

A delightful dinner party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rose Monday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Upton, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Good, Master Vivian and Miss Helen Good, and W. F. Brewer. Each one gave special attention to the baked duck, especially ye-writes.

Mrs. Ezra Williams was the victim of a surprise Tuesday evening, the occasion being the 53rd anniversary of her birth.

Mr. John Harmonson of Montana came Tuesday to spend the winter with his father, Mr. Harmonson is employed during the summer months driving train in the National park.

J. O. Kaneaster has been appointed special director in place of Nick Smith, resigned.

Mr. Boren of Provo, Utah, came in from a visit at Oakley and took train for home Friday.

Mr. Jaycox of Colorado Springs was a Hansen-sight-see-Wednesday.

Wm. Baker, C. Upton and W. N. Rose were business visitors to Twin Falls Wednesday. The two former purchased 2 1/2 acres each of residence property and will erect buildings on same for their future homes. Mr. Upton will be in the employ of the Twin Falls Land & Water Co.

F. M. Towne received the sad news of the death of his father in Minnesota Wednesday. Mr. Towne has the sympathy of the entire community in the sad hour.

Professor Morley will give an entertainment at the schoolhouse on Friday evening--fun for the little folks. The professor is highly entertaining, with his magical tricks and comes highly recommended.

ALL INTERESTED IN TWIN FALLS

A. C. Coburn Tells of the Twin Falls Movement in the East.

A. C. Coburn of Sprague & Co. returned on Tuesday from Chicago. He spent five weeks in Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Michigan, boosting for Twin Falls.

"Aside from the 2000 people who will settle on the North Side tract next summer, we will have the biggest influx of settlers next year we have ever had in southern Idaho," said Mr. Coburn. "Everywhere I went they had heard of Twin Falls and were eager for more information. The North Side company, through the office of Mr. Hollister, is doing great work in advertising. I attended one of Colonel P. E. Hoop's illustrated lectures, under the auspices of the Chicago Daily News, and it was one of the very best talks on southern Idaho I ever heard. Colonel Hoop is not only a gifted lecturer, but he has all the facts at his finger tips and he presents the advantages of the Twin Falls country in the most convincing and truthful manner."

"The North Side company's exhibit of Twin Falls products in Chicago frequently blocked Adams street. From 5,000 to 10,000 people visited the exhibit daily. I noted scores who came back day after day, for more information. I got worked up myself and I stood and talked Twin Falls for five days until I was so hoarse that I could not give it up. People are turning away from every lecture, so great is the crush. The people interested, I observed, are not of the cheap class. While I was around the exhibit rooms I had hundreds of cards handed me by men who are well up in the business world of Chicago and vicinity. The Twin Falls country is attracting the best class of people and we will have lots of them with us next year. I look for a heavy immigration from Iowa. I scarcely think we appreciate what is being done for us by the North Side company in the way of advertising. They make no discrimination whatever, giving a square deal to all. People here in Idaho say it was worth a great deal to me as it has greatly strengthened my already strong faith in this part of the country."

ADVERTISED LETTER LIST

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Twin Falls postoffice for the week ending December 8, 1908. Parties calling for these letters will please say: "Advertised December 11, 1908."

Allen, Doll
Allen, Mrs. W. K.
Bennett, Gordon T.
Bishop, J. T.
Boston, J. T.
Campbell, Gilbert
Chalbone, E. J.
Carlton, Gus A.
Fowler, A. W.
Gaby, John H.
Grant, J. W.
Gregory, C. N.
Hutton, Henry H.
Kennison, David
Lambing, Herbert
Lickey, Mr.
Mack, George
Marshall, Joseph
Miller, E. I.
McGivern, Larnce
Parson, Miss Della (2)
Robb, C. S.
Roth, Rudy
Schiffman, J. A.
Scheck, C. W.
Smith, Alice C.
Tracy, Klorn
Walters, Jern

Package due on the above letters, 10 each. Letters remaining at the end of 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office. W. H. GREENHOW, Postmaster.

Hosley, Hooley
for old and young at The Famous Shoe Store, first door east of postoffice.

Ladies of the Methodist Aid will give a chicken pie supper Tuesday, December 28, 1908, in the old Methodist church.

To Rent--3 large furnished rooms with electric light and bath. Mrs. A. Silbhart, Block 18.

Blabe studio, Commercial and Savings Bank building, 1st floor, no stairs.

Blabe always gets your photos done on time.

Wanted--To buy 100 head good ewes at once. L. E. Jennings, Boise, Idaho.

The Mosler Safe Co. Factory representative at the Perrine for a few days. Address C. F. Field.

The new jewelry store, new goods opens Saturday, Dec. 12th, 1908, 300 building on Main street, west of Nordling hotel. O. B. Baptist, proprietor.

RAMS FOR SALE.
300 Rambouillet rams for sale; 50 head of registered ewes. JAMES PORTER, Oakley, Idaho.

Carolyn Fargo is now ready to give music lessons. She is a post graduate of Nebraska, and of Berlin, Germany. Phone 104 1/2.

FIRES-LIGHTED IN HANSEN KILN

AND THE TOWN WILL SOON HAVE HOME-MADE BRICK.

Pound Social for the Children's Christmas Treat Proves a Success--Rumor that the Short Line Will Build Hansen Depot Soon.

HANSEN, Idaho, Dec. 10--F. D. Brown of Filer, accompanied by C. C. Wyatt of Denver, were Hansen visitors last Friday, calling on, Nick Smith.

C. A. McMaster of Twin Falls went with Nick Smith's hogs to Portland market.

R. D. Harris, who is a partner in the Rowe & Cowan ranch, arrived last Friday from Chicago. Mr. Harris is a contractor in Chicago.

G. B. Cowan was a Twin Falls visitor Friday.

F. M. Towne loaded a car of hay for Rupert last Saturday.

G. M. Shumell loaded a car of oats for Barberton, Idaho, last week.

Many Hansens attended the funeral of Mr. McCoy at Kimberly last Friday.

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For Sale.
A fine large Guernsey cow, fresh December 4th; gives five to seven gallons daily; gentle and easy to milk. T. W. POTTER, Maple Hill Farm.

I will pay five (5) cents per pound for good hogs, not culls, free on board, Twin Falls. DR. C. BRYAN, Don C. Bryan Realty Co., Twin Falls.

Notice.
The Royal Neighbors will give a Christmas dance. Watch for posters.

Lincoln pants stand this climate best. Water Lumber Co. Ltd.

\$50,000 to loan on improved farms; easy terms; lowest rate of interest. IRRIGATED LANDS CO., Twin Falls.

For Rent--40 or 50 acres, 1 1/2 miles from town, 5-room house; barn and outbuildings, 1/2 mile from R. F. D.; 1/2 mile from Twin Falls school wagon. Address Box 619, Twin Falls.

Private board and rooms. By Baptist church. Phone 118.

Blabe studio opens every Tuesday and Friday evening; other evenings by appointment.

RABBIT DRIVE.

The farmers have planned a mammoth rabbit drive and coyote hunt for Friday, December 18. The entire territory between the high line canal and the Snake river will be covered from Rock Creek to Cedar draw. Every man who can possibly take part in the drive is requested to be at Filer at 9:30 on Friday morning, December 18. The rabbits are very numerous and are doing great damage to young fruit trees. The coyotes are also plentiful and bold and make costly visits to the chicken houses.