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POSTAL BANKS OPEN JANUARY 3

Statement Made by Postmaster General Hitchcock.

PREPARATIONS COMPLETE FOR OFFICE DETAILS.

Experimental Office Is To Be Opened In Each State and Law Given Good Trial.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Postmaster General Hitchcock said tonight that everything will be in readiness for the postal savings banks to receive deposits on January 3, the first working day of the new year.

One experimental office will be opened in each state territory to make the first test of the service as thorough as possible under the limited appropriation.

The offices designated are all of the second class and in localities where conditions are exceptionally favorable for the development of a postal savings business.

Within the next few days postmasters at the remaining 36 offices will come to Washington for a similar drilling.

TEDDY GETS A BOX.

Idaho Spuds Will Be Part of the Dinner for the Ex-President.

If Wall street is scared of Teddy Roosevelt, he has no terrors for Twin Falls people. In fact they regard him as a brotherly man.

The following letter sent in advance of the Christmas breakfast:

Dear Sir: Day before yesterday, when we had a high school girls wrapping Idaho spuds in tissue paper to send to the president and governors of the various states.

TO TEACH TAFT.

Sen. Borah To Explain to "Smiling Bill" How to Eat Idaho Spuds.

Senator Borah has been requested to show the president-elect how to eat Idaho spuds and how to big red apples.

When Senator Borah sinks his teeth into those hot potatoes, he will be reminded of the city which has a name to give a big push to the move.

CONTEST CASES ARE TRIED.

Government Brings Suit To Cancel Entries at Bepert.

The first hearings ever held on the Hildroth project in which the proceedings were brought by the government to secure cancellations of entries on reports of special agents, who made the investigations and reported the claims for cancellation, were held before Commissioner DeHary last week.

In every case the entryman appeared, were represented by attorneys and put up the very best showing possible.

One case was tried at Burley which occupied two days, a great deal of testimony being offered by both sides.

These cases followed the same course as private contests. The Hildroth land office first passing on the case.

MORE TOWNS INCLUDED.

Will Bush Work On The New Power Line To Glenns Ferry.

It is announced that the Great Shoshone & Twin Falls Water Power company will build a power line from Lower Salmon Falls to Glenns Ferry.

The line is to be in operation to Glenns Ferry by early spring.

The building of this plant means a great deal to the people of this section.

BOXING MATCH ARRANGED.

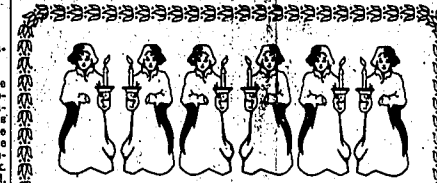
Three Battles Planned For Christmas Eve.

Twin Falls followers of the padded arena will have a chance to see some of the best boxing on Christmas eve as a result of the negotiations concluded Friday night.

NEW ORCHARD COMPANY.

800 Acres To Be Divided Into Tracts For Orchards By Local Men.

H. E. Rounds, C. M. Gates, C. H. Gates and J. O. Gates have organized a stock company to develop an orchard tract of 800 acres.



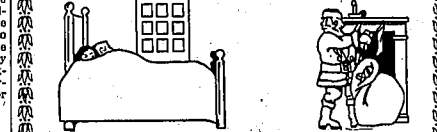
See that when they start on their Christmas Morning exploring tour—

THE "KIDDIES"

If you want to drink to the dregs, the cup of all that is good in this life, and so unfortunate as not to have at least one kiddie of your own, then adopt one and this falling, pick out some forlorn little like who has either lost his natural protector or whose parents are too poor to gladden his or her little heart, and make of yourself a real Santa Clause, and then tell me if I have not given you the real secret of real happiness.

The man or woman who has never had a pair of short, chubby arms clasp tight round his neck, while a voice so eager that it came in little gasps, whispered their ear a message for old Santa—'Who has never watched a tiny hand half print, half scrawl, a message to old Kris Kringle for you to take and mail on your way to work—this man or woman has missed much.

It is a night of tom-tommed procession scamp into the living room to see what wonders the good old Saint has done while they slept.



that they realize all their dreams of Santa's visit.

TWIN FALLS IN PRINT.

Western Monthly Gives Prominent Space To Twin Falls Article.

"Happy, Prosperous Twin Falls Folks" the caption of a six-page article in the current issue of the Western Monthly. The author is Robert Spangler, secretary of the Commercial club.

The article is descriptive of the scenic, agricultural, industrial and social advantages of the city and territory.

The second trial in the case of Hutto vs. Spofford, appeal for trial in the judicial court Saturday. The first trial resulted in a hung jury.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Theatrical Company Lose Case—Will Appeal.

The dispute is over what is alleged to be a violation of agreement in the part of the Colonial players to use the Shoshone theatre. The defendant claimed that he was not bound to any agreement and that a smaller amount over the control by F. A. Hutto and Mrs. Patrie warranted his changing of his plans.

HEAVY MAIL SHIPMENTS.

Christmas Packages Increase Normally Heavy Business.

Postmaster Greenhow stated to The Times this week that this year's Christmas business was a surprise as the previous Christmas season.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Sunday Schools of City Give Annual Programs.

Twin Falls churches are making preparations for special services in token of the Christmas season.

Friday evening the Sunday school of the Methodist church will hold their exercises. The special music will be furnished by the newly formed orchestra.

The Presbyterian Sunday school exercises will be held Saturday evening when a Christmas tree will be one of the attractions for the children.

Rock of Ages (Van de Water)—Night of Nights (Van de Water)—Miss Elsie Glendon.

Christmas services at the Lutheran church will be conducted next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in the German language and next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the English language.

Christmas services at the Baptist church will be conducted next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in the German language and next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the English language.

BEATEN WITH REVOLVER BUTT

Hansen Man Seriously Assaulted In Milner Pool Hall On Saturday.

In a row occasioned over a dispute regarding some raffle tickets, James Pearson was seriously assaulted at Milner Saturday night.

When it came to this the proprietors produced two tickets that Pearson said were not good.

BOWEN COMES TO TWIN FALLS

French's Opponent for Congress Will Make Permanent Residence Here.

Hon. A. M. Bowen, member of the law firm of Stockstill & Bowen, has decided to make this city his permanent headquarters as well as his place of residence.

LAWYERS TO ORGANIZE.

County Association For Legal Professionals Is Expected.

At a meeting held Tuesday afternoon preliminary steps were taken towards the perfecting of an organization among the lawyers of the county.

MASONIC BALL AND BANQUET

House Warming Dance the Event of the Season.

TWIN FALLS SOCIETY TURNS OUT IN FORCE.

More Than Two Hundred and Fifty Couples Dance In the New Masonic Temple.

One of the gayest social events of the season was the grand house-warming ball and banquet given by the Masons at the new Masonic Temple, on Tuesday evening.

Both floors of the big building were gorgeously lighted and decorated for the occasion, and with 250 beautiful gowns worn by the women, furnished one of the most brilliant spectacles ever witnessed in Twin Falls.

The committees in charge of the affair are deserving of great credit for the splendid time shown their guests.

The arrangements were in charge of two committees, the executive committee, composed of Dr. J. Ostrander, R. E. Morse, J. M. Maxwell and Urban Tracy, and the reception committee, composed of Dr. W. Wilson, chairman; Geo. D. Alkon, M. J. Sweeney, R. M. McCollum, J. H. Woods, Dr. W. F. Fike, E. D. Williams and J. M. Maxwell.

The dedication of the new temple has been set for the afternoon of St. John's Day, December 27, which will be followed by a dancing by the installation of officers.

GUN CLUB SCORE.

Totals for Three Weeks Shoot Given Percentages.

The weekly scores of the Twin Falls Gun and Rod Club in the handicap shoot, have been compiled by the secretary for publication and are herewith given:

Member	Dec. 4	Dec. 11	Dec. 18	Total	Per Cent
P. J. Holohan	24	96	22	88	22
D. Holohan	23	92	22	87	22
J. M. Maxwell	25	100	18	72	21
E. S. Smith	22	76	22	70	21
O. M. Gault	22	88	20	80	22
A. N. Sprague	18	76	20	76	21
Geo. Wiley	20	80	19	76	19
J. M. Gailther	22	92	21	84	23
W. E. Wood	22	76	21	80	22
C. L. Wright	22	80	20	80	22
A. N. Sprague	23	82	20	82	23
M. E. Sweeney	22	80	20	82	23
Nest Urbeubach	22	80	20	82	23
Nelle Stuart	22	80	20	82	23

* Not present for shoot.

LIBRARY WANTS BOOKS.

Needs of Institution Placed Before Citizens.

The public library can always use new books. It can always find a place for a new magazine. If by any chance you may have two copies of the same book presented to you at Christmas, remember that the library will be so fortunate and could make use of the extra volume in providing reading for the ever-increasing crowd of readers.

ENTRY BILL PASSED.

Senator Borah's More Liberal Raising Secures Passage in Senate.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The senate today passed Senator Borah's bill permitting entry upon lands under irrigation projects which have been granted by the original locators, without regard to the provision in the act of the last session prohibiting entry until after irrigation has been completed. The new measure applies only to lands which have been irrigated.

IDAHO LEADS THE WORLD Facts and Figures About Irrigation System.

4600 MILES OF DITCHES IN SUNNY IDAHO.

Hesearous Shown Makes Gem State the Leader of the World in Irrigated Lands.

Heber Q. Hale, chief clerk of the state land department, in an interview given out, gives in facts and figures, the marvelous irrigation resources of Idaho.

Idaho leads the world as an irrigation state. No other state in the American union can boast of such an irrigated area as Idaho contains; no other state has expended so many millions in the reclamation of arid lands and no other state has so many acres available for irrigation.

Idaho's canals are the longest, her engineering feats the most wonderful, and her water supply the most inexhaustible. No other state has been more active in securing the benefits of the provisions of the Carey act than Idaho, and, with possibly one exception, no other state has benefited so much from the United States reclamation act.

Idaho's irrigation history does not extend back over four decades. From a small canal in the Snake river valley of a simple plow furrow extending from a rivulet to a garden spot a few rods away, practically no irrigation has developed to embrace 5,003,833 acres, with canals aggregating 10,491 miles in length, constructed at a cost of \$90,000,000.

The most stupendous proposition thus far undertaken in Idaho, if not in the world, is that of the Twin Falls-Latah & Water company, who propose to irrigate about 680,000 acres of land in Owyhee county at an expenditure of \$17,000,000. To accomplish this end, the company has developed a main canal over 140 miles in length, besides hundreds of miles of laterals, and the building of a dam across Snake river just above the Twin Falls. This dam will be 90 feet high and 8,000 feet long, forming a reservoir with a capacity sufficient to store 250,000 acre feet of water, constituting the largest artificial reservoir in the world.

The entire townsite of American Falls will be submerged besides thousands of acres of adjoining Indian lands. The intake of the great canal, which will be 200 wide on the bottom, will be at the Milner dam. This huge artificial dam has been planned to store the water during the flood season and supply the demands of the canal flow during the irrigating season.

The Carey act projects as far as intakes on this state aggregate the enormous total of \$75,567,610, of which \$1,572,538 have been expended to date. Of the \$75,567,610 under the Carey project 713,854 acres have been sold, of the unsold acreage 270,184 acres are now open to public entry.

The aggregate length of all other irrigation canals in the state is approximately 6,900 miles. This added to the mileage of Carey projects, makes a grand total of 10,491 miles of canals in this state.

Out of the 3,000,000 acres therefore, granted to date by the Carey act, government 2,636,833 acres have already been taken, leaving a balance of 363,167 acres to be absorbed in further new projects.

Idaho has two irrigation projects under the provisions of the United States reclamation service, known as the Minnick and Boise projects. The former consists of 120,000 acres, situated adjacent to the great Twin Falls valley; the latter comprises 13,000 acres, located in the Holso and Payette valleys. Both projects are progressing rapidly toward completion. These appropriations have been cut down during the last year or so; hence the acreage here given is a little less than formerly reported.

DIRECTORS CONSIDERED.

Buhl Has Prospective Men For Places On Canal Association.

Buhl, Idaho, Dec. 20, 1910. J. A. Payne of the Twin Falls Irrigation Co. was in Buhl the first of the week attending to professional matters. He is one of the two Democrats who will go into office January 1st without a contest.

H. O. Cannaack was clerking for Strauss, the outfitting, during the Saturday week.

Curry and Douglas Arrived. of Rock Creek, were Buhl business visitors, Tuesday.

Attorney T. L. Warner was attending to legal matters in Buhl, Thursday.

Goo, W. Harrington of North Yakima, is looking over the Buhl country this week.

S. W. Johnson was down from Twin Falls, Saturday.

Andrus, Law Pettit of the Western Lumber Co., was looking after company business in Buhl on Monday.

Clark Northrup was in Buhl Monday collecting for the R. M. T. Co. Co.

H. G. Collins, the Twin Falls druggist, was in Buhl, Saturday.

L. A. Harrington was over from Wendell Saturday visiting with Buhl friends.

Judge Urhlauf was up from Riverside, Saturday afternoon.

Lincoln C. P. Benson, automobile dealer, was in Buhl Saturday.

M. A. Thometz was among the Twin Falls delegates to the Farmers' Union convention at Saturday.

E. Schmidt of the Twin Falls Hardware Co., was in Buhl Saturday shaking hands with his many friends.

W. C. Benson, S. C. Benson were in from their Coalfield ranch last Saturday, Xmas shopping.

F. P. Johnson and wife were down from Twin Falls Friday visiting relatives.

The Buhl Commercial club extends a cordial invitation to members of the Buhl country to become club members.

J. W. Nance was down from Twin Falls Friday.

W. D. Southworth was in from Castleford, Friday.

T. W. Robinson of the Irrigated Lands Co., was in Buhl the latter part of the week on business connected with the Mullan outfitting station.

Attorney Ostrom and Chas. Bussman spent Sunday in the Snake river canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harvey and son left Saturday evening for Pullman, Wash., where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Higley spent the latter part of the week with friends in Twin Falls.

Mrs. Frank Echooler is on the sick list.

Attorney Arthur W. Ostrom left Tuesday evening for Seattle, Wash., to spend the holidays with his people.

C. J. Sherriner returned the first of the week from Charles City, Iowa, where he was called by the death of his father.

Mrs. A. M. Atchley, who underwent an operation for mastoiditis, about two weeks ago, is now able to get out again.

W. F. Proctor of the Buhl Meat Market, was manufacturing business in Twin Falls, Monday.

FENNEL.

It is to the Italians Somewhat as Celery is to us.

"Tien'tt'er be--an Italian take 'em back to my grandmother's time," said a New York man, "but now my nephew's last night. The first nibble of something I'd supposed was celery sent my mind wandering back fifty years to an old New England village."

"Fennel" I asked the Italian waiter. He smiled and smiled, and gave me the Italian form of the word, which I carefully wrote down on a scrap of paper, "Fennocchil." I suppose it showed my ignorance, but never before did I know that fennel is to the Italians what celery is to us, and evidently the same use of the leafstalks are bleached in similar fashion, and from the way it was served I could see it was intended to be dipped in salt, as we eat celery. My obliging waiter told me that it was delicious as a salad and when boiled and served with cream sauce it made a popular Italian dish.

"But after all what did those culinary details matter? What really counted was that strange, penetrating flavor which took me back to my childhood. As I thoughtfully nibbled my fennel stalks the last fifty years seemed a blank. I was a child again, picking big clusters of yellow, aromatic fennel seeds in my grandmother's garden."—New York Sun.

AFRICAN WITCH DOCTORS.

They Make Themselves, Like Their Idols, as hideous as Possible.

The most important period of the young African's life is that between youth and manhood, or womanhood. It is then that the witch doctor is extremely busy with his various mysterious rites. It is an important part of his calling to be hideous, as in most cases he is undoubtedly in. A ridiculous mask covers his head, and wild and other stunts are being around his head. Pigment of various colors is plentifully daubed over his body, and in this hideous state it is not to be wondered at that he strikes terror into the maidens' hearts as he dances wildly in the dim firelight, glaring at them with fearful eyes. The timid young creatures are like the hare which trembles as the hovering bird of prey flutters over its head. Still wild is crushed, and the erstwhile playful, willful child is transformed in most cases into a frightened creature with for the time being, no will of his own. It is a curious thing that nothing connected with what one may call the spiritual side of the blacks' life is ever beautiful.

Their carved figures are always, to say the least, grotesque and ugly. The latter is frightful, rather than comfort the bereaved.—Wide World Magazine.

Twenty Volume Novels.

The longest novels of today are pyramids compared with those published in the eventful century. Mile, do Scudery's "Le Grand Cyrus" ran into ten volumes, its publication being spread over five years. And when it was translated, or, to quote the title page, "Englished in five folio volumes of some 500 pages apiece. Another novelist of the same period, La Calprenede, was even more diffuse, one of his works, "Cleopatra," extending over twenty-three volumes. These novels found plenty of readers despite their enormous length. The Paris publication of "Le Grand Cyrus" made 100,000 crosses by the first edition alone. Nearly all the works of Scudery and Calprenede were translated into English as soon as they appeared and many of them into German as well.—London Chronicle.

A Historic Spot.

Lighthouth got, these shores of the beautiful, these of water that that name in Scotland, is somewhat square and heavy looking. Lighthouth was the birthplace of Mary, queen of Scots; in Lighthouth church James IV, of Scotland was assassinated by a soldier of the invading English at Flodden Field; in its streets the regent Murray was shot close by the town Edward I. had two ribs broken by his horse the night before Falkirk; and on its rock a cannon of the excluded tent of economy, issued instructions that the royal swans should be kept down to a dozen.—Argonaut.

Good at Arithmetic.

"For goodness' sake, John, how long did you get those figures?" "Just as long as you told me to, my dear." "Impossible! They're hard as bricks." "I bolted them just two minutes, morn'g." "Twelve! Why, I told you that three minutes was long enough for an expert!" "Yes, dear, but I bolted four of them."—Toledo Blade.

In Musical Terms.

Chief Editor—Look here, Sharpe, here's a dollar been banged for murder. How do you like that?—Editor—Editor—Editor would "Difficult Execution on One String" do?—St. Louis Times.

English as She Is Spoken.

"What you got?" "The wife's sitting up for me, and if I miss the last train I shall catch it."—Lippincott's.

A Hard Job.

Husband—Was she looking for dear? Wife—Was looking for the invisible baptis'm just dropped.—Exchange.

Being Wary is like emptying the pepper pot into your own porridge.

A Present From Spung's Jewelry Store Would--Certainly--Be Appreciated

Why we can sell goods at the low prices we do. We do a cash business and do little advertising and give our patrons the benefit.

H. W. SPUNG
128 Main St.

WE WISH YOU A MERRY XMAS

- RINGS
- LOCKETS
- YELL PINS
- BEAUTY PINS
- HAT PINS
- AMBER BEADS
- ROSAIRES
- EYEGLOSS CHAINS
- WATCH CHAINS
- EMBLEM PINS
- MESH BAGS

One of our Solid Gold Signet Rings would make a nice present for either Man or Woman. Every ring in our store is guaranteed to be solid gold.

COOKINGHAM GOES EAST.

Attempt Made to Finance Raft River Project.

Ralph S. Fessenden, president of the Twin Falls-Raft River Land & Water company, and R. S. Cookingham, engineer for the company, expects to go east immediately after the first of the year to talk over at close range plans for financing one of the greatest irrigation projects in the state of Idaho.

The Raft River valley in the south-east part of Cassia county, has long been renowned as a garden spot in this land of productive soils. This valley lies at an average elevation of 4500 feet, between mountain ranges on the east and west, and sloping to the river at about 20 feet to the mile. The land on both sides of the river slopes so uniformly to the river that it makes both irrigation and drainage very practicable.

The soil is lava ash in character, which is general over southern Idaho. The entire area, which has been segregated by the Twin Falls-Raft River Land & Water company, in round numbers, 120,000 acres, is suitable for reclamation and under irrigation will doubtless produce as well as that of adjoining tracts. The ranches of the valley demonstrate that fruit flourishing even more in the southern valley than on the more open tracts along the Snake river.

The water supply for these lands is collected by means of an 85-foot intake from the Snake river and gathering canals from the creeks and streams that but for these gathering canals would empty below the impending dam. Waters from the Snake river and gathering canals, Sublett creek and Grape creek will be used to reclaim the lands from their arid state. Water measurements have been taken for the past year by the United States, and the state engineer of Idaho determining the water supply, and from data already obtained it is known that the water supply on the lands will be one of the best rights in the state of Idaho. The area of watered for this valley is approximately 200 square miles.

When asked concerning the definite financial arrangements of the company, Mr. Fessenden stated that the project is well advanced. It has been announced, but that long distance communications had been kept up with two different financiers who had expressed interest in the project. It was when he and Mr. Cookingham had the opportunity of going over the data with these men that the water project would be financed. The company expects to start work in the spring just as soon as it is warm enough to commence earth excavation.—Statesman.

WOOL GROWERS CONVENTION

Portland Is Mecca For Wool Growers of United States.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 26.—When the annual convention of the National Wool Growers' Association opens in Portland, January 4, it will be the biggest and most important gathering of sheep raisers in America for years. Questions of vital importance to the sheep industry are to be considered and the future policy of the wool inventors are to be outlined.

According to those high in the councils of the organization, little support for the wool industry can be expected other than President Taft or the next congress. Both, it seems, are determined to lead Schedule K to the slaughter, and unless the wool inventors interworking with the rates on wool and woolsens and is determined to accede to their demands.

It is to be feared by wool men that their side of the case has never been presented to the public fairly, while on the other hand they charge the agitators that the public expect further information from the muddler and the muckraker in the sensational magazines. "Schedule K," said D. C. Lively, chairman of the wool men's committee, "will be the most of the convention."

Freight For Jarbidge

SEE—

Brunn, Kinney & Company

Notices For Publication.
Notice is hereby given that I, Julius C. D. Pratt, convicted of the crime of grand larceny, proceedings at Chambers of Honorable Edward A. Walters, State of Idaho, of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for the county of Twin Falls, and sentenced on April 27th, 1910, to serve a term of not less than one year nor more than fourteen years imprisonment in the Idaho State Penitentiary, situated at Boise City, County of Ada, State of Idaho, will make an application to the Honorable State Board of Pardons, at its next regular meeting after the expiration of the legal publication of this notice, for a full and absolute pardon.

JULIUS C. D. PRATT.
P. O. Box No. 65, Boise, Idaho.
Nov. 29 Dec. 6 13 20 27

For a pot roast that is a roast, see Robertson & Jaska.

Twin Falls Country Exhibit.



Twin Falls is to be congratulated for having its exhibit put to such good use. First it was used at the Twin Falls County Fair in September...

The Elk Meat Market
has a choice stock of Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chickens for the Christmas Trade. Stock is Dressed.

Table listing prices for various meats: Beef Roast (.07 1-2-.09 1-2), Shoulder Steak (.10-), Boiling Beef (.12), Pork Sausage (.12 1-2), Ham (.16 3-4).

Also a choice line of Pot Roasts and Juicy Steaks.

Elk Meat Market
316 East Main

GUARANTEE ABSTRACT COMPANY
WE MAKE ABSTRACTS OF TITLE

Send Your Little Girl
If you cannot come in person for your meats...

The Farmers & Merchants Bank
Twin Falls, Idaho

Christmas Coal Orders
Are pouring in on us now and we are delivering them as promptly as possible.

CHRISTMAS CANDIES
Broken Mixed .10c lb, Crimped Mixed .15c lb, Hand Dipped Cream Mixed .25c lb, Hand Dipped Chocolates .25c lb, Nut Squares, Pecan, etc. .25c lb, Extra Soft Gum Drops .30c lb, FANCY BOXES, CANDY CANES.

VARNEY, The Live Candy Man
1st NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

Idaho Standard Apple Boxes
For sale by Nibley-Channel Lumber Co.

NOTICE
To the Owners of Lots as Hereinafter Described.

Table listing lot owners, descriptions, and amounts: Name, Description, Ac. Pl., S. or Ave., Lot, Blk., Due, Total.

HANSEN NOTES.
Tuesday, December 13, the stockholders of the Bank of Hansen...

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
Dr. Albee of Rock Creek, shipped six thousand tons of honor to the Oregon Commission Co. this week.

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
Mrs. Nellie Rauch visited at home over Sunday and Monday.

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
Dr. Coffin of Twin Falls, made a professional call in Hansen, Sunday.

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
The young people of Hansen hold another their pleasant informal little dances Saturday evening which was pronounced most enjoyable by those in attendance.

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
Miss Almira Roberts expects to go to Boise this week to spend the holiday with relatives.

Christmas Coal Orders (continued)
A. H. Shoemaker, Bob Schukhago and Frank Newberry were Twin Falls passengers Thursday noon.

Attention
Would you like to own a Home where Ideal Climatic conditions prevail? Where everyone is prosperous, happy and as near contented as humanity ever goes to be.

Go-Operative Realty Co.
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That are Right, call on The Parrott Optical Co.

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SMOKING MEAT
THE NEW WAY

Bedford Drug Co.
Cash Register for Sale

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BRIDGE.
Murtaugh Boosters Are Loyal to the New Centre.

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BRIDGE (continued)
Murtaugh, Idaho, Dec. 18, 1910. Mrs. J. Tolie has been shopping in Twin Falls last Saturday.

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BRIDGE (continued)
Mrs. Mary Woods, who has been spending the past few weeks in Hansen, expects to leave for Iowa in a few days.

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BRIDGE (continued)
Mrs. J. Miller of Twin Falls, was in Hansen, Tuesday.

Dolls For Christmas

To wind up the Doll Buying and save putting away we offer you

Any Doll in the House

AT ONE HALF PRICE

On Table No. 2 you will find a very complete assortment of

Toys of Many Kinds

in fact, the choice of the stock. These also will go at

HALF PRICE

On Table 3 we offer the balance of our toys at ONE THIRD OFF. DONT DELAY—BUY NOW.

Idaho Department Store

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The opening of the new Masonic Temple on Tuesday evening was a auspicious epoch in the history of the oldest secret order. Its members, one and all, are entitled to great credit for their enterprise in building and furnishing the handsome building just dedicated as the lodge home. Its building has meant not only hard work by a number of faithful workers but even sacrifice on the part of many to supply the needed funds. Twin Falls should be proud of the new building and justly proud of the men who have made it possible. The temple marks the beginning in this city of the buildings which will be erected and dedicated to the fraternal orders and the other lodges will no doubt follow in the footsteps of the Masons.

The inauguration of the postal savings bank system in the various states will be watched with great interest by a large number of people. From the business standpoint the government is battling into antagonism from a large number of banking institutions with which it come in competition, especially those having savings departments. It is not sufficiently understood by the bulk of the people to make it a howling success at the start

and will need some liberal advertising by the government. Economists claim for the system, however, that it does not affect private banking but rather enhances it because those using the postal savings will later withdraw money to place it in industrial investments rather than have it inactive for a long period of time. The principle objection made being that it runs too much along the lines of paternalism together with other industries now usurped by the government to the detriment of the individual.

The parcels post bill, over which one of the hottest lobbying campaigns has ever been waged, will probably come up for final disposition in congress. The mail order houses instrumental in getting the bill introduced are going to make a final effort to get it through, while the retail dealers all over the country are putting up the fight of their lives to prevent its passage. The clause which will cause the contention, is the one providing that scope be limited to the office from whence the package comes to the postoffice to which addressed, thus cutting out the small order houses making use of the system on rural routes all over the country except routes out their home city. If this clause can be kept in the

bill the fangs of the mail order house will be drawn and the bill made inadequate for its sponsors. The contention of the retail dealers that it will drive them out of business is one that should be given the careful attention of every business man and taxpayer outside of the large cities. Every community is of itself a business unit with each man, consumer and producer linked together by the bonds of mutual interest to keep money and business at home. If the mail order houses can disrupt such community feeling and sentiment by their nefarious operations it does indeed spell disaster to every small city and town.

For Sale—About 155 tons alfalfa hay, 1 team of brood mares, brood, weight about 2950 lbs., set of harness, one 3/4-in wagon, first class; hay rake, mower, 1 hay derrick, steel cable and Jackson fork, 1 colt from May 1st, wagon hay rack, 2 hay sllp, two show-els, work 35 hens. All for \$1100 cash or part and rest on bankable note at 8 per cent. Will sell in parts. Apply at once to W. K. Creamy, Kimberly, Id. Dec 23-27

Lost—An Elgin watch with fob marked M. W. A., 296 Canton, Ill. Finder please leave same with clerk of M. W. A., Twin Falls, or Chas. Underwood, 544 5th Ave. E. Dec 23 pd

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Owing to increased trade and heavy duties necessary to keep a busy store moving, Mr. West has realized the necessity for some time of shifting some of the heavier duties to other shoulders and the hard work and close confinement is telling on his health. Mr. and Mrs. West deserve great credit for the manner in which they have handled their store since coming to Norwalk four and one-half years ago. By strict business methods, close application and courteous treatment the business has grown by leaps and bounds and today their customers and friends are many.

Mr. Banta comes to Norwalk highly recommended as a citizen and a business man and we consider Mr. West fortunate in having associated himself with him. We bespeak a bright future for the West store. Mr. Banta takes an interest January 1st—Norwalk Call.

DEFINES REPUBLICANS.

Senator Heyburn Explains His Attitude On the Tariff and Inaugurates.

Washington, Dec. 21.—While asking for the correction of the record of the senate today, Senator Heyburn called attention to what he termed an error in the report of the manner in which he had expressed a several days ago from the suggestion that the tariff should be revised schedule by schedule. He had used the language that a revision should be made as a political proposition as "favored by the real Republicans of the country."

"Who are the real Republicans?" asked Mr. Bailey of Texas.

"Oh, I know them," retorted Mr. Heyburn, as his gaze swept a corner of the chamber where a number of insurgents were seated.

For Rent—In Ferguson Flats, near school, 230 acres and 100 acre ranches, both well improved and will fence for sheep ranches. E. R. Hobbl, Castleford, Idaho. Dec 20-23-27 pd

Wanted—Stock to winter. Inquire Roy Brooks, R. R. No. 3, Twin Falls, Idaho. E. 1/2 S. E. 1/4, S. 3, T. 11, R. 17, Dec 20-23 pd

Farm For Rent.
80 acres, two miles east of Twin Falls, on Addison avenue, quarter mile north. H. D. Vosborg, box 13, R. F. D. No. 1. Dec 20-23 pd

Dolls At Cost.
Booth's are selling their kid body dolls, 230 and 100 acre ranches, both well improved and will fence for sheep ranches. E. R. Hobbl, Castleford, Idaho. Dec 20-23-27 pd

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40 acres 3 1/2 miles southeast of city on very liberal terms and long time to right party. See R. C. Inads, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 26. Dec 23-27-30

Wanted—Position as manager on large ranch, by experienced farmer on this tract. Could furnish horses. Address H. care Times. Dec 23-27-30

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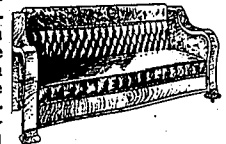
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Local and Personal

M. Lowall of Filer, was a visitor in the city, Sunday.

O. J. Childs of Filer, was registered at the Perrine Sunday.

J. T. Murphy of Milner, was a guest at the Perrine Saturday.

J. D. Rogers left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Htley.

W. C. Stark of Milner, was a business visitor in the city this week.

The council did not meet in session last night, but will meet tonight.

L. M. Whitehead of Jerome, was one of the business visitors Saturday.

L. L. Gray of Rogerson, was a guest at the Perrine the latter part of the week.

S. T. Hamilton left this noon on a short business trip to the Salmon River dam.

J. H. Gipson of Caldwell, was a business visitor in the city the latter part of the week.

C. S. McMartin was looking after business affairs at the west end of the tract, Tuesday.

Kyle French spent a few days in Burley this week, where he is employed on a building job.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hazel left last Saturday for a visit with friends and relatives in Chicago.

Gay Holohan returned Tuesday noon from a business trip to Boise and other western Idaho cities.

E. T. Newby of the Kimberly Real Estate Co., was transacting business in the city the first of the week.

W. T. Morgan came in from Jarbidge Saturday to spend a few days looking after his business interests here.

C. O. Stockinger left Tuesday evening for Boise to spend a few days looking after legal business in the Capital City.

J. H. Blakely of Filer, was shopping in the city, Tuesday.

V. H. Ormsby was transacting business in Hansen on Tuesday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wellman, on December 15, a son.

H. O. Brown came up from Filer Tuesday to attend the Masonic ball and banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker of Rock Creek, visited friends in the city a few days this week.

Leon G. Phillips of Jerome, was a guest at the Perrine a few days the first of the week.

Chester Baird and H. A. McCornick left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Salt Lake City.

Mrs. S. T. Hamilton returned Monday noon from a visit with friends and relatives in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Among the Kimberly representatives in Twin Falls yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. A. Glenn and T. A. Gibson.

Sidney Turnips came up from his ranch at Sucker Flat and was shaking hands with friends in the city, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore left Monday morning for Woodstock, Vermont. They were accompanied by Clarence G. Day.

J. H. Green and family arrived in Twin Falls, Wednesday noon from Illinois. Mr. Green will locate here permanently.

Miss Alma Benoit arrived Tuesday noon from Albion to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Benoit.

J. E. Roberts of the Idaho Wholesale Grocery Co., of this city, was drumming up business in the west end of the tract, Wednesday.

The entire front of the fire house is being remodeled this week, larger doors being made for the new engine, which has been ordered.

Mrs. J. L. Daube left Tuesday evening for Chicago for a visit with her parents, and to be present during the season of grand opera in Chicago.

Chas. Tage of Jerome, was registered at the Rogerson on Tuesday.

Bruce Crawford of Jerome, was a business visitor in the city on Wednesday.

A. R. Anderson left Wednesday for a business trip to Caldwell. He will return Friday.

Frank Kinney left Wednesday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents inocatello.

A. Mutt is going to Jarbidge. At least that is the title of his sketch to be put on Friday and Saturday at the Orsis.

On Tuesday morning in Salt Lake City, occurred the marriage of Chester Baird and Miss Emma Ogden, both of this city. This event comes as a surprise but no loss a pleasure to the many friends of the young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Highly of Buhl, visited in the city on Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Stafford has been very ill the past week with an attack of pneumonia.

Bud Heyburn left this week for his home in Cedar City, Utah, for a visit of a month or more.

R. B. Robinson, a construction engineer for the Oregon Short Line, was a guest in the city, Friday.

Miss Lillian Manny came in from her school in the Stricker district to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Manny.

L. A. Dunn performed the duties of letter carrier this week during the absence of the regular man, Mr. Holman, who was attending to business matters in Salt Lake City.

Miss Etie Hubbard of Buhl, was shopping in the city on Monday.

J. A. McMillan left Wednesday evening on a business trip to Ogden.

Miss Gertrude Rauch of Hansen, visited friends in the city this week.

Born—On Thursday, December 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Wellman, a son.

Born—On Friday, December 16, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Buck, a daughter.

T. F. Warner was attending to business matters in Buhl the first of the week.

Miss Elizabeth Barrows of Kimberly, was shopping in the city the latter part of the week.

John T. Sebree, a hog buyer of Caldwell, was in the city on business the last of the week.

Will Wall is rustling for a few weeks on the Fuller ranch in the foot hills back of Murtaugh.

L. T. Wright of the Consolidated Wagon & Machine Co. was a business visitor in Minidoka, Wednesday.

About \$80 was cleared by the ladies of the Episcopal church at the sale held by them on Thursday of last week.

Ivor J. Chung left Wednesday evening for Salt Lake City to spend the holidays with friends and relatives there.

Harry Wood enjoyed a visit the first of the week from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Health of Wenatchee, Washington.

Miss Paula Sinfert left Wednesday evening for Nampa to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Barnes will leave this week for Montrose, Colo., their old home town, where they will spend the winter.

Earl Alworth, a former resident of this city, is spending a few days here this week, visiting his many friends in the city.

Marriage licenses were granted on Wednesday to H. C. Fowler and Prudence Labrim; J. W. Bradshaw and Beby Sturgeon.

Geo. Shoemaker of Hansen, stopped off in Twin Falls the latter part of the week on his way to Jarbidge, where he will spend the winter.

Miss Helen Deft returned to her home in Htley, this week after spending three weeks here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Taylor.



Dec. 23, 1910.

Dear friends:

I was very tired when I came from down town this morning. Mama sent me down town to get our Christmas things. We have invited lots of friends to come and take Christmas dinner with us. Mama said she wanted to get the very best kind of groceries, because it doesn't look nice to ask people to dinner and not put the nicest things on the table.

Your friend,
JACOB.

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Shredded Wheat, per pkg.25c
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The City Pharmacy

EASTMAN KODAKS CURIOS

Theodore Parks came in from Jarbidge Tuesday to report the progress of development work on several properties in Jarbidge, which he and Twin Falls people own.

C. W. Walton returned Sunday evening from a trip to San Francisco, where he attended a big banquet given the representatives of the Equitable Life Insurance Co.

Wm. White left Wednesday morning for Clarinda, Ia., where he will join his wife and spend the winter with friends and relatives in various parts of Iowa and Missouri.

Mat Lover, who has been employed at the Salmon river dam for the past year, will spend the winter in Twin Falls, having joined the Bachelor's club on Tenth avenue.

Frank W. Riddie, the pioneer merchant and mine-operator of Jarbidge, came in from the camp, Tuesday, to spend a few days in the city, purchasing his winter's supplies.

S. E. Neher left Tuesday evening for a visit at his former home in North Manchester, Ind. Mr. Neher will be away for some time and when he returns will bring with him two cars of high class Holstein cows which he expects to purchase in Illinois or Wisconsin, where he will spend several weeks looking over the best herds in those states.

Ralph Morse returned Sunday from South Tacoma, Wash., where he has been attending school at DeKovan Hall, to spend the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morse.

A motion was made before Judge Smith yesterday to set aside the decision reached by the jury in the case of Eugene Shofford and F. A. Hutto. The decision at the second trial was against Shofford.

The Christian church elected officers at the Sunday morning session. Superintendent, D. W. Brunk; assistant superintendent, Oliver Traubold; secretary, John Dingman; treasurer, Henry Martin; librarian, Rex Bailey; organist, Oliver Van Meter.

Carl Hole, local manager of the American Express Co., reports that the express business this year is going beyond expectations. He states that the business is better here than where he was last year in an old town in Michigan of the same population, where business should be better.

H. J. Noonan and W. W. Leach arrived in Twin Falls Tuesday from Maine to look over the investment opportunities on the tract. These gentlemen consider Twin Falls the best town they have seen in the west, and Idaho the best state in the Union, with the exception, of course, of the Pine Tree State.

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5.00 Shoes or boots for	- -	4.10
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