

TWIN FALLS NEWS

IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE

FOR THE GOOD OF THE TOWN

NINTH YEAR TWIN FALLS, IDAHO, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1913. NUMBER 46

PROPOSED NEW LAW ON FARM LOANS

QUESTION OF BORROWING MONEY ON LAND SECURITY TO BE CONSIDERED.

President Sweeney, of Twin Falls Commercial Club, Appointed on Commission That Will Formulate Important Legislation.

A commission for the investigation of farm credit has been appointed by Governor H. H. Clark. The commission is to investigate the question of borrowing money on land security to be considered.

Considerable interest attaches to the question as to whether or not a law could be devised which would insure the borrower against the loss of his land in case of default.

Senator Sweeney was shown the governor's commission as above he said to the Twin Falls News:

Doubtless the Governor himself had in mind at the time he wrote his commission and appointed the committee about which you have inquired.

It is well known that farm loans have been a problem for some time. The commission is to investigate the question of borrowing money on land security.

The owners of land under a Carey act project, whose patent has been secured, will be interested in the proposed law.

SMALL FIRE. Fire broke out in the Cambridge rooms this morning about 10 o'clock.

BAPTISTS. The Baptist church next year will be held at the honor and planting them this year.

ANVIL CHORUS IN TWIN FALLS

Master Blacksmith's Association of Idaho Hold Convention Here This Week.

Last Monday the third annual meeting of the Master Blacksmith's Association of Idaho was held in Twin Falls.

MIDDLEMAN MUST STAY

Express Company Official Believes Retailer is Necessary.

J. W. Rogers, of Salt Lake City, superintendent of the American Express Company, has been in Twin Falls.

The middleman is absolutely necessary, despite the prevailing idea that the farmer should sell his produce directly to the consumer.

Doublets. The Governor himself had in mind at the time he wrote his commission and appointed the committee about which you have inquired.

GRAND SECY. PREBLEY, HORNE

U. S. Land Office Register-Honored by Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

The members of the grand lodge of Idaho have elected Prebley and Horne as grand secretary and grand treasurer.

BUCH NAMES ITS HIGHWAYS

Every road leading into Buhl now has a name thanks to the efforts of the members of the Civic club.

NEW INSURANCE FIRM.

A new insurance firm, but organized by experienced insurance men under the name of Kunkley & Kunkley.

FORM PARTNERSHIP.

Frank C. Smith and J. C. Beach have formed a partnership.

IDAHO APPLES TOP EASTERN MARKETS

JONATHANS BRING THE HIGHEST PRICE AND IDAHO PRAISE

Forty-five Carloads Shipped from the Wenatchee District to Australia. Shows That American Apples Are in Demand.

The daily market reports tell an interesting story to the fruit growers of Idaho; and at the same time furnish a remarkably good advertisement for the produce of our apple state.

Eleven cars of apples were sold here today, mostly of very ordinary quality.

When the orchards of the Twin Falls country get into full bearing season, the magnitude will be hard to create compare.

POTATO PRICES ADVANCING

C. T. Schaeff, Receiver Clearing Agents from Chicago Comes.

C. T. Schaeff, of the Twin Falls Co-operative Orchards company, has received word from the manager of the Sherman hotel in Chicago.

The Co-operative Orchards company have decided to hold their potato crop believing that the rise in the market during the winter is a certainty.

"DOO" COUGHN

Box Car Spreeds, Fems of Twin Falls Physician from Coast to Coast.

A few years ago Dr. J. E. Coughlin, of Twin Falls, was employed by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

OWAN WRITES OF TWIN FALLS

C. G. Jewell, of Blue Rapids, Iowa, writes of his visit to Twin Falls during the past week.

BRUNCK'S FUNNYBONE

D. W. Brunck is somewhat of a humorist at times when he is not busy attending to his millwright duties.

POPULATION INCREASING

Dr. J. F. Coughlin, local registrar of births reports that during the month of September there were four teen births in his district.

THE MOOSE DANCE

The hall of the I. O. G. M. over the postoffice was a scene of gayety Monday night.

STATE SHOULD AID CAREY ACT PROJECTS

WOULD RESTORE CONFIDENCE IN IRRIGATION BONDS

Director Newell, of Reclamation Service, Points Out Twin Falls Branch Side Tract as Shining Example of Success.

The state should assume the responsibility for Carey act projects that have not been successful.

With the exception of the Twin Falls Side tract, every big Carey act project in Idaho has been unsuccessful.

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DELEGATES TO ENCAMPMENT

Twin Falls Country Represented by One Two Dozen Old Fellows.

The Grand Lodge, Grand Encampment of the United Assembly of the I. O. O. F. are holding their first annual session at Welter this week.

GEORGE SRAQUA HOME AGAIN

George F. Sprague and family have returned to Twin Falls after a stay of several months in Boise.

BISSELL WIN AHS MIDWAY

Attorney Guy Bissell, of Gooding, was our guest last Friday.

DAUBE COMES HOME

Joseph L. Daube and private secretary, H. Hutchinson were in Twin Falls over Sunday.

FILER VISITORS IN TWIN FALLS

Among the citizens of Filer who have visited Twin Falls during the past week.

EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS

RURAL DISTRICTS MAKE FINE SHOWING IN EXHIBITS AT SCHOOL FAIR.

Kimberly and Marcus Entertain and Instruct Pupils of the Schools With Handwork of Boys' and Girls' Clubs.

Education along practical lines has been the aim of instruction in Idaho, and in the rural schools especially.

AN AEROPLANE POTATO

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Automobiles and Good Roads

GOOD ROADS IN BLAINE COUNTY.

Over at Hatley, in Blaine county, they have a live good roads association that is doing things. Blaine county has "the best natural roads in the world," but the people over there are not going to be content with that—they are going to improve on nature. Last week a meeting was held to discuss the matter of leasing bonds to the amount of \$100,000 for roads building, and the Nowebaker says that the majority present at the meeting were in favor of the bond issue. President L. E. Rockwell gave a lengthy and interesting address, in which he made reference to the Snake river valley, and he paid a high compliment to the energy and enterprise of the people of southern Idaho and the Twin Falls country in particular. He said, in part:

"As a result of the comparatively recent national perception of the fundamental law of social betterment—the methods of raising good roads—were imperative and just. The Good Roads movement was inaugurated and its spirit was caught up everywhere. Good Roads organizations sprang up in the night throughout the nation. Millions of money was projected into the work; thousands upon thousands of men gave their time and energy to the fulfillment of the new spirit and its application to the people's needs. Back here in the mountains in our semi-isolation we failed to catch the full force of the new born power; and we had the best natural roads in the world." And while we slept the neighboring unit—the states—of this great government was busy with its good roads transmuting mud, rut-gorged highways into inter-county and inter-state bonifides.

"The reflection of this nation wide movement struck Idaho fairly between the eyes apparently during 1912, after some isolated and sporadic attempts to build short stretches of 'good roads' for example. The present State Highway commission is composed of splendid, distinguished men, whose hearts are in the movement and whose desire for service is only exceeded by their anxiety to carry their work forward in the interest of the state, but they are human."

"To the south of us, and especially in the great Snake River valley, had risen suddenly like a new star in the firmament a new progressive people. In a day and a night they had transformed a sagebrush desert into a garden of agriculture; their investment was labor; their currency capital was borrowed; their debt was large, and

out of this extremity was born an intense movement for building sound and strong to help life over the period of the next decade. In providing epoch-to-epoch and prosperity. Here there generally approached out legislature and "put one over us" who were asleep. The "Ho-to-Yellowstone" highway received its breath of life at the hands of those men then and there. The road route was over the old Oregon Trail—that rock bound natural highway consecrated by thousands of hardy pioneers who like water seeking its level followed the line of least resistance in their trek to the Great Northwest. The adoption of this route for a classic scenic highway, threading picturesque mountains of easy grade, piercing the mining district of Blaine county, trailing prairie and valleys, would have cost less than one-half per mile to build than the course that was adopted. All nature was in our favor and the highway was given to those who asked for it; those who asked for it agreed to maintain it, to help build it, to add their share of the funds to the \$100,000 already in the hands of those making good. They got the road. We have no right to complain. We were asleep at the crossing. This is one part of our "natural inheritance" I referred to that is gone forever.

J. M. Studebaker, Sr., pioneer manufacturer, the only surviving one of the five Studebaker brothers, was 80 years old October 10. On the afternoon of that day many citizens gathered at the administration building of the Studebaker Corporation in South Bend, Ind., to pay their respects to the reform manufacturer. After the reception of the citizens Mr. Studebaker was presented with a loving cup, the gift of the employees.

Every resident along the roads leading from Twin Falls for one mile in every direction will learn something of interest and value to him by consulting Fred Spencer, the city street commissioner. Mr. Spencer has a proposition that will help you and will not cost you any money.

One man out of every 57 in Ohio owns a motor car. There are only two states in the Union which have more motor cars and in neither is the percentage of machines owned so high. New York has 117,293 machines and California has 112,122, but only one in every 100 inhabitants in New York owns a gas wagon, and only one in 316 inhabitants in California owns one. The number of cars in Ohio has gone up by leaps and bounds in the past five years. Every year shows an increase of at least 25 per cent over the previous year. Today there are 84,500 machines in the state.

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When you purchase United States Tires you are sure of these vitally important facts:

Every day the sales of "Nobby Tread" and "Chain Tread" Anti-Skid United States Tires have increased until today there is an unprecedented demand for these famous tires, a demand that is history making in the tire industry.

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The overwhelming number of automobile manufacturers who have selected United States Tires as the standard equipment of their 1914 cars prove unquestionably that United States Tires are today the accepted standard for real tire service.

Any Good Dealer Can Supply You With United States Tires

Don't Be Talked Into a Substitute

Your own dealer or any reliable dealer can supply you with United States Tires—Smooth Tread, "Nobby Tread" or "Chain Tread." If he has no stock on hand, insist that he get them for you at once,—or go to another dealer.

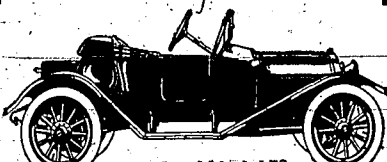
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Price: Completely equipped f. o. b. Twin Falls, \$1,075.

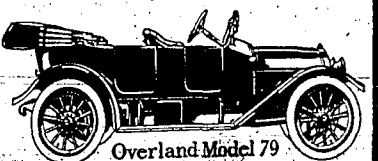
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Overland Model 79

THE CITY OF KNULL

New Sidetrack Partly Completed on the Rogerson Branch. Knull is the name of a new city on the embankment, five miles out on the Rogerson

branch. At present Knull consists of a sidetrack long enough to hold three freight cars, but 800 feet of the proposed 1,100 feet of grade is built. One-half of the track will be built this fall and possibly all of it.

The track is built on the A. C. Morris farm, and the station is named after C. E. Knull. The new sidetrack will be a great aid in helping the farmers dispose of their products expeditiously, and they are feeling quite

good-humored as a result. A scale has been put in by A. C. Morris.

Read the classified ads and see if what you want is there.

TWIN FALLS IDAHO

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE NEWS

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"The Gun Kicked"

This is the vulgar way of expressing an established law of the universe—retribution. The law is having a strong vindication in New York politics.

William Sulzer, late governor of New York, had trained in the school of Tammany, a machine in politics of long standing, and notorious for its corruption.

The verdict had scarcely been rendered when it was announced that William Sulzer would return to the executive chair by way of the Assembly, having received the nomination from the Sixth district.

It is now prophesied that the gun in Mr. Murphy's hand is rebounding with direful results to Tammany.

The tragedy just closed in Albany may call attention to the spirit of the times, which is working freedom out of tyranny, justice out of wrong, integrity out of corruption, and the individual out of the power of systems.

The evidence of this power may be seen in the movements of all nations as plainly as gravitation. Nor is this power accidental or arbitrary.

This power is called by one Destiny, by another Fate, another Brahma, another Mahomet, but its right name is God.

All history proclaims that if one gets out of harmony with the power that is directing human affairs, of uses this power to shield injustice, he may expect in the end chaos and ruin.

The Mexican Situation

As the presidential election approaches, October 26, the situation in Mexico becomes more and more complicated.

Later developments seem to bring to the surface, if not a greater, at least an older, disturbing element, namely, the question of separation of church and state.

As President Huerta cannot, it seems, secure the nomination himself, he is willing to support Senator Frederica Gamboa, at present Minister of Foreign Affairs, and the nominee of the Catholic party.

It is not strange that the administration at Washington is watching Mexican movements with deep anxiety.

Health Ordinance No. 129

LAST August, when Sanitary Inspector M. W. Smith came to Twin Falls to look over, he was given a "joy ride" by Street Commissioner Fred Spencer.

Now that winter is coming on, lest some should become careless and allow garbage and refuse to collect in the back yards and alleys, attention is called to the health ordinance with which every householder has been provided a copy.

The Bigness of Idaho

THE "bigness of Idaho" is well demonstrated by the manner in which we of the southern part of the state celebrated the opening of the Panama canal.

How different it was in the north. At Lewiston it was a gala day. For a time all business was suspended, factory and railroad whistles were blown, the firebells rang, firecrackers and cannon crackers added to the general pandemonium.

And Lewiston had a perfect right to celebrate. For, be it known, the blast that opened the Panama canal made Lewiston a seaport. Lewiston is now the farthest point inland on the Pacific coast that will be served by all-water navigation.

Twin Falls in Luck

TWIN FALLS has cause to be thankful that its government buildings is not finished. Secretary McAloo last week directed that heretofore the practice of using the old-style V for U in the inscriptions on public buildings be abandoned.

Farmers Demand Mesothorium

THE scientific sharps have discovered that mesothorium is a good substitute for radium, especially in medicine, and as it is a great deal cheaper, costing only \$32 a milligram, it will undoubtedly become immensely popular.

Do You Get The News?

THE TWIN FALLS NEWS knows that a great many of its subscribers are not getting their papers regularly, but we have no means of finding out just why they are unless they tell us.

TO PRACTICE PROFESSION

Dr. John E. White Opens Office in Boyd Block—Has Had Extensive Practice.

Dr. John E. White, who for the past year has resided two miles west of the city on his ranch called "White House," opening offices to the Boyd Block for the practice of medicine.

Dr. and Mrs. White came to the Twin Falls country from Colorado, where Dr. White founded and conducted for twelve years the Nordrach Ranch Tuberculosis sanatorium.

TWIN FALLS COUNTY RECORD.

Real Estate Transfers

- Buhl Township company to C. S. Peck \$250, lots 15 and 16, block 79, J. G. Jensen; Buhl Township company to D. B. Moorhead et ux to J. A. Bruce \$3,900, E. 1/2 N.W. 27-10-15.

EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS.

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of books, 12 Vol. District No. 8; 2d prize, picture (Clos) District No. 5; 3rd prize, picture (Dobson) District No. 1.

Essay, How I Grew My Crop of Potatoes—1st prize, \$150, John Parish; 2d prize, \$100, Fred Dehanna; 3rd prize, Chronicle, Emmet Bauer.

10 original arithmetic problems on potatoes or corn—1st prize, \$150, Boylston; 2d prize, \$100, Emmet Bauer; 3rd prize, Times, Mildred Jones.

Wood work—1st prize, \$150, Emma Bauer; 2d prize, The Journal; 3rd prize, The Journal; 4th prize, The Journal; 5th prize, The Journal.

Best bouquet of flowers—1st prize, \$150, Elsie McCarthy; 2d prize, The Journal; 3d prize, The Journal; 4th prize, The Journal; 5th prize, The Journal.

Best pound butter—1st prize, \$150, Gladys Bauer; 2d prize, Times; 3rd prize, Times; 4th prize, Times; 5th prize, Times.

HOME VISITORS' EXCURSIONS Via Oregon Short Line EAST To Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Minneapolis, and many other points, October 25, November 23 and 24, December 30 and 31. Limit 30 days from date of sale.

WEST To San Francisco, Los Angeles, and other points, November 22, 24, December 30 and 31. Limit 30 days from date of sale.

APPLES WANTED Jonathan, Rome Beauty, Winthrop, Pearmain, Gano, and Ben Davis.

C. A. SAWTELLE Packing House on Second Avenue East Next to Arent Street

Twin Falls Tent & Awning Co. Headquarters for Horse Blankets of all kinds and sizes.

Hendershot's Sixth Sale Cows Bulls Hogs Thursday, October 30

20 Registered Holstein Bulls and Heifers 50 Cows and Springer Heifers 20 Registered Duroc Males 20 Registered Duroc Sows

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Among the Churches

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—"The Mission of the Church;" (3) A More Manifest God, at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject is "The Church and a More Manifest God," Evening theme, "A Great Salvation." The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m. and the meeting will be held by Miss Nels Crater. The subject being "Meditatory Exhortations at Home and Abroad." A large attendance is an inspiration, as proven last Sabbath. Sabbath school at 10:30 with classes for everybody. The largest attendance in our history last Sabbath.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Dr. F. S. Shepherd. There will be preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning subject is "The Church and a More Manifest God," Evening theme, "A Great Salvation." The Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:30 p. m. and the meeting will be held by Miss Nels Crater. The subject being "Meditatory Exhortations at Home and Abroad." A large attendance is an inspiration, as proven last Sabbath. Sabbath school at 10:30 with classes for everybody. The largest attendance in our history last Sabbath.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH services Sunday evening, October 26, at 7:45 o'clock. Public cordially invited. Rev. Howard Shaw.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, East Second street and Fourth Avenue, East. Rev. W. C. Hartmann, minister. Morning service and Communion. The Lord's supper at 11:00. Sermon theme, "The Mission of the Church." Sermon III. A More Manifest God. The Junior congregation is growing in popularity every Lord's day. It meets in the basement at the hour of the regular morning service. It should not neglect this important service, but should see to it that their children be in it. The subject for 6:30. Last Lord's day revealing there was present a record breaking crowd of fine young men and women. It was a candle light meeting, and those taking part lighted their candles. There was no other light in the room. Over thirty feet apart and held their light alive. Evening service at 7:30. Sermon theme, "How Some Murders Were Committed." There will be an illustrated scriptural proof will be given for every step in the process of "Conversion." Come and see how a living religion in the New Testament days is public is always welcome at the Christian church.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, 230 Third Avenue east. Services Sunday, October 26, 11 a. m.; subject, "Fruition After Death." Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

LESSON IV.

The Sin of Moses and Aaron. Num. 20: 1-13.

1. Then came the children of Israel over the whole congregation, into the desert of Zin in the first month; and the people abode in Kadesh; and Miriam died there, and was buried there.

2. And there was no water for the congregation; and they gathered themselves together against Moses and against Aaron.

3. And the people chafed with Moses and spoke saying, Would God that we had died when our brethren died before the Lord!

4. And why have ye brought up the congregation of the Lord into this wilderness, that we and our cattle should die here?

5. And wherefore have ye made us to come up out of Egypt to bring us into this evil place? It is no place of seed, or of figs, or of vines, or of pomegranates; neither is there any water to drink.

6. And Moses and Aaron went from the presence of the assembly unto the door of the tabernacle of the congregation, and they fell upon their faces: and the glory of the Lord appeared unto them.

7. And the Lord spake unto Moses saying,

8. Take the rod, and gather thou the assembly together, thou, and Aaron thy brother, and speak ye unto the rock before their eyes; and it shall give forth his water, and thou shalt bring forth to them water out of the rock so thou shalt give to the congregation and their beasts also.

9. And Moses took the rod from before the Lord, as he commanded him.

10. And Moses and Aaron gathered the congregation together before the rock, and he said unto them, Hear now, ye rebels: must we fetch you water out of this rock?

11. And Moses lifted up his hand, and said, Hear ye, O ye rebels: will I make you a new altar to day?

12. This is the water of Meribah; because the children of Israel strove with the Lord, and he was sanctified in them.

NOTABLE RELIGIOUS GATHERING

Splendid Year's Work Reported at Presbyterian Byop Meeting.

It will be of interest, especially to the friends of the denomination, to learn that the Presbyterian Synod of Idaho, which convened in the First Presbyterian church of Caldwell last week was well attended, and the reports from the various Presbyteries throughout the denomination were most encouraging. The year's work of the Synod now has within its bounds 56 churches with 3,450 members, 525 of whom were received last year. Dr. J. H. Barton, of Boise, gave out in his report that the churches within the territory over which he presides contributed last year to church objects \$8,681, to miscellaneous objects \$2,612, and to congregational objects \$17,725, making a total of \$29,018. This speaks well for the churches, but what of the man whose work was continuously on the work? Some idea of the labor of a minister so engaged may be derived from the fact that Dr. Barton, during the year, traveled by rail sixty hours, by horseback, 25,095 miles, preached 69 sermons, wrote 1,342 letters, and conducted 125 conferences. The rapidity with which the year's work of the business was due to the exertions of his moderator, Rev. Hugh W. Hansen. The pastor for the pleasure and comfort of delegates must go to the Synod's host and hostess Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Case, and pastor and wife of the Caldwell church. Their cordial welcome and unstinted entertainment by throwing wide open the doors of the manse, church, and homes of the congregation, won the hearts

and gratitude of the delegates from the beginning. Rev. Mr. Case is a young man, and one of the rising Presbyterian ministers of Idaho. Mrs. Case, graduate of one of the best conservatories of music in the East, is instructor of music in the College of Idaho. This denomination holds its annual convention in Caldwell every year, a goodly share of the Synod's splendid entertainment. The president, Dr. Boone, threw open the college halls for one season; invited Brood to chapel exercises, and gave the delegates a royal treat of music by the college glee clubs. The college has entered upon the most successful year of its history, as measured by the standard of number of students and strength of faculty. Its three main buildings, two dormitories, and Storry Hall are substantial and commodious, and when the landscape painter has finished his work the campus will present an attractive appearance. It is an institution in which, in every way considered, the denomination has entered upon the most successful year of its history.

Among the speakers at the popular meeting on Wednesday evening in the lecture hall for one season, Dr. J. H. Shepherd, of Twin Falls, who delivered an eloquent and forcible address on the subject, "The World's Challenge to the Church for Leadership."

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It cost a cool three thousand, and it's worth the hardest test.

We'll pay 'em back on it—the Ladies' Aid the rest.

They'll give a hundred nooties, can't taste 'em, and eat 'em.

They'll bake a thousand angel cakes, and tons of cream they'll freeze.

They'll give 'em scraps and toll and sweat for seven years or more.

And then they'll start all over again, for a carpet on the floor.

No! It isn't just like digging out the money from your vest.

When the Ladies' Aid gets busy and says, "We'll pay the rest."

Of course, we're proud of our fine church, from peep to spire; It's the darling of our eyes, the crown of our desire.

But when I see the sisters work to raise the cash that lacks,

How many feet the church is built on women's tired backs.

And sometimes I can't help thinking when we reach the organ case,

That men will get the toll and sweat, and the Ladies' Aid—the rest.

—Bachusa.

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