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Delegation of 20 Workmen Investigate Company Pledges

NOTICE OF ALLEGED STRIKE IS POSTED ON ROAD TO SITE.

Superintendent Cowman Denies That There Was Any Strike and Says Twenty of Men Can Be Secured.

About 20 workmen came in from the grounds of the edge factory Friday morning and announced that they had struck for an increase in the wages of 22 1/2 cents an hour, paid by the Larrows Construction company for preliminary work on the factory site. A number of notices to the effect that a strike was on were posted on the road leading to the factory site. The men visited the rooms of the Twin Falls Commercial club in a body and asked Secretary James McMillan in regard to whether the construction company had agreed to pay current wages prevailing in Twin Falls, which they alleged was not \$2.50 to \$3 a day. They were informed that the only statement referred to by laborers was the informal one that preference would be shown to homo laborers and that, as far as possible, local workmen would be employed. Nothing had been said about wages. The men all claimed that they lived in this city. They asserted that when they received \$2.25 a day and had paid out 20 cents for transportation and had been on the road, they had but \$1.05 left. There was more or less talk of the alleged strike on the streets on Friday and Saturday.

Asked yesterday by a TIMES reporter in regard to the matter, Superintendent Cowman laughed and declared that he had been told no strike. He said that the first time he knew anything about a strike was when he read the notices posted along the road. He said that a few men had declared themselves dissatisfied with the wages offered and had gone back to town, but he did not consider it a strike in any sense, and did not know that they did until he read the notices. In fact, the thing was all over before he got out Friday morning. Some of the men who refused to work Friday on account of the wages paid had since gone back, he asserted. He said that the company could get 150 men at once, if they wanted them, but would not get fully under way for a couple of weeks, for while the temporary track was being completed on this spur and several cars had been unloaded, much of the necessary material was still in transit, and only about 25 cars of work at present. The model restaurant has entered into an agreement with the construction company to furnish meals and will be ready to take care of about 200 men in ten days or two weeks. The men employed can either go back and forth from the city morning and evening, or get tents and camp on the grounds. Mr. Cowman said that the question of establishing a bunkhouse would be determined later.

Asked in regard to wages, the superintendent declined to make a statement, saying that no scale had yet been finally determined. Among the rumors on the streets Saturday was one to the effect that handbills "signing a contract" had been distributed in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Denver announcing that Twin Falls needed 4000 workmen at once. Secretary McMillan made a search for someone who claimed to have seen the circular, but did not find anyone, though a number said that they had been told that such was the case.

PRATER GROCERY CO.
BUYS THE C. AND H.

Will Move Stock to Location of Purchased Block and Conduct Larger Business.

E. F. Prater & Co. have bought the "C. and H." grocery at 218 Main avenue south from Clark & Halldalen and will move their stock from the present location at 245 Main avenue central, where the newly acquired store, where they will conduct the business on a larger scale than heretofore.

NEW AGRICULTURIST APPOINTED

W. R. Lewis of Natchez, has been appointed to take charge of the agricultural experiment station to succeed Earl A. Clark, who recently resigned to go to Canada.

"MIGHTY WELL READING"
Says the Brooklyn Eagle of "The Turmoil." "It is a well reading, if you like a good story, but it is better worth reading if you like to think about what you read."

COUNCIL PASSES
FOUR ORDINANCES

Auto Regulation, Electric, Employment Agency and Sprinkling

SHOSHONE STREET SWITCH MATTER IS AGAIN LAID OVER.

Street Commissioner Porter Again Calls Attention to Dangerous State of Rock Creek Bridge.

Having received a vigorous oral report from Street Commissioner Porter recommending that formal action be taken to condemn the Shoshone street bridge and to post notices warning the public of the danger of crossing it, tabled temporarily the matters of switches across Shoshone street and Second avenue, referred to the finance committee a petition from the Twentieth Century club for the better lighting of the middle of the park, heard a letter for C. D. Wood of Wood & Oakley, bond attorneys, approving the actions of the council relative to the bond issues, and deferred action on the plumbing ordinance, and a few minor matters, the council last night passed the employment agency, the sprinkling, the auto regulation and the electrical ordinance and adjourned until next Monday night.

The matter of the better lighting of the center of the park was brought up by objection of women consulting of Meadames J. W. C. Deake.

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RABBIT COYOTE KILLED
AT ARTESIAN CITY

Animal Dispatched With Six Shots—Two Cows Affected With Hydrophobia in Fred Walker Herd.

A mad coyote was killed last Sunday on the streets of Artesian City by Fred Walker, who lives near Artesian City, and brought to Twin Falls by Deputy Sheriff H. G. Jackson. It took six shots to finish the animal, which appeared to be a cross between a dog and a coyote. In the afternoon, when Mr. Walker first saw the coyote it was walking toward some children, and though he fired four shots with his rifle, he had aimed badly for fear of striking them. He then mounted a horse and rode past the animal which rushed at the horse and grabbed it by the tail. Mr. Walker then leaped back over the saddle and fired two shots from his pistol at the beast, killing it instantly. The horses flesh was not abraded, so that there was no danger of its being infected.

During the previous week, Fred Walker, who lives near Artesian City, saw two of his cows acting in a strange manner and being convinced by their antics that they had rabies, he shot them. Deputy Jackson says that there are between 500 and 600 dogs in the territory in which he has been assigned, and only about 150 of them were muzzled when he made the rounds. Many have promised to obey the law, and there has been a noticeable improvement in conditions since the incidents at Artesian City, related above. He says that many of the dog owners ought, in his opinion, to be prosecuted, if they do not promptly comply with the order to muzzle their dogs, and that he trusts that the records will be promptly put in such shape that a prosecution will stick.

MUNICIPAL LOBBING SUGGESTED
FOR LABORERS COMING HERE

That a municipal lodging house should be provided for the city for itinerant laborers who come here seeking employment, until such time as the situation is generally understood, was the subject of a discussion by the city council and workmen came to come in hope of securing employment. It is the opinion of James McMillan, secretary of the Twin Falls Chamber of Commerce, that if they do not promptly comply with the order to muzzle their dogs, and that he trusts that the records will be promptly put in such shape that a prosecution will stick.

IN FIELD FOR ASSESSOR

W. H. Karkis in this issue of THE TIMES casts his lot into the ring as a candidate for the office of assessor to the decision of the democrats of the county. Mr. Karkis is a property owner and an experienced accountant and has been in the city for several years. He has been in the city for several years.

NEW GEM STATE MANAGER
Herbert Austin has been appointed manager of the Gem State Lumber company at Twin Falls to succeed Charles H. Smith, who has been transferred to Caldwell to take charge of the yard on the western side of the city. Mr. Austin has been the Gem State manager at Elmer for several years.

WORK ON WESTEND
MUST BEGIN SOON

Irrigation Company Will Lose Rights Unless it Acts

I. B. PERRINE DECLINES TO MAKE STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT.

Gives No Details About Railroad But Indicates That It is a Go-It, S. Given Optimistic.

"At a meeting of the state land board yesterday afternoon," says the Capital News, "the \$40,000 bond of the West End Twin Falls Irrigation company which had claims of the completion of that project but never completed it, was renewed. If work on the project has not been started by July 1 of this year the land board will declare the bond forfeited. This is the project the irrigation drainage code commission recommended should be required to forfeit its bond for failure to comply with the terms of its contract with the state in the completion of the project.

"Nor is to the company's project seems assured in the action taken before the state land board when their bond for \$40,000 was renewed. It is pointed out that the renewal of the bond presumes immediate work on the project, in that the bond will be forfeited should work not be begun by July 1.

"The West End company entered into a contract with the state about seven years ago for the construction of the project, the completion of the project made the completion of construction work impossible and was the cause of extensions of time by the state. The last extension is for six months from January 1, 1916. It was given upon condition that the written consent of such extension by the bonding company be filed with the state."

L. B. Perrine, was asked in regard to probable work on the West End project Saturday as he was making preparations to leave for the east, and he replied that he knew nothing about the road except that the survey had been made. He said that he had been on the farm since the previous Monday and that they had 60 men employed improving the drain and roads and getting the place in shape for spring work. "After a family and come in within the past month, making 37 in all that had settled in Clover. He looks forward to a prosperous year."

HOGS GO HIGHER ON
TWIN FALLS MARKET

Now Bring \$7.25 in Carload Lots—Other Prices Firm Along the Whole Line.

Hogs now bring from \$7.00 to \$7.25 in small lots, and \$7.25 to \$7.50 in carload lots. Prices are firm along the whole line. Hogs now bring from \$7.00 to \$7.25 in small lots, and \$7.25 to \$7.50 in carload lots. Prices are firm along the whole line.

ARRESTED ALLEGED BOOTLEGGERS

Sheriff F. M. Kendall returned this morning from Murtagh bringing two alleged bootleggers, with him. The sheriff declined to give the names of the arrested men or to make any statement relative to the charges, which induced him to take them into custody, pending the arrival of witnesses from Murtagh, who are expected to file a formal complaint through the office of the county attorney. County Attorney Davies said this afternoon that he had been notified by the name of the men who are alleged to have violated the law.

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JARBIDGE HOLDS
ROAD MEETING

Mining Camp Wants Highways That Will Encourage Travel

CREW PUT IN FIELD TO SECURE DATA, LOCATE BEST ROUTES.

Information Will Be Furnished Commissioners of Twin Falls, Owyhee and Elko Counties.

Considerable interest is being taken at Jarbridge in the road question and preliminary surveys are being run down the river with the view of finding a new route that will have less snowdrifts than the present road. The Crippen grade is very bad for drifts, while the draws between the top of the grade and Battlement also have deep drifts. It is the opinion of those who have been over this section of the road that a route can be surveyed down the river and around the bad snowbanks.

A public meeting was called the evening of the 18th of March for the purpose of discussing the road matter. A proposition was received from George Shoup offering to furnish the engineers for a thorough survey of the road, and a couple of thousand acres between Holtzner and Berger, along Cedar draw. With the exception of these three bodies, which are more or less compact in form, the lands to be cut out are scattered over the remaining portion of the tract, and embrace lands that are understood to be of good soil, well irrigated, and that cannot be served economically from the irrigation system. All pumping plants would be dispensed with, owing to the excessive cost of operation and the advantages of the gravity system.

FALL FROM BRIDGE
KILLED LEE ANNIS

Dropped 50 Feet to Rock Creek—Not Known Whether Due to Accident or Suicide.

Leo Annis, aged 22 years, plunged to his death from the Rock Creek bridge to the rocks 50 feet below, about 1:30 p. m. Sunday, whether accidentally or by intent to commit suicide, is not known. Annis is said to have had a quarrel with a sweetheart and to have been somewhat downcast Sunday, but did not appear at all desperate to his family. After the noon meal he strolled away carelessly and his folks thought nothing of it. Shortly after 1 o'clock William Hughes, Thomas Rowland and James Sweeley, three itinerant workmen who were in the canyon, saw Annis walk slowly to the middle of the bridge, climb upon the railing and sit down. An instant later he plunged backward and fell. The men were unable to form an opinion as to whether he had been overbalanced or had thrown himself backward impulsively. They rushed to him, but found him dead, and he expired a moment later. Coroner Crosby declined, after talking to the witnesses, that an inquest would be needless. The body was held Monday afternoon from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Annis, who live at the end of West Fifth street. Services were conducted according to the custom of "The Followers of Christ."

COSGRIF OPEN IN FINE NEW BUILDING ON WEST SEQND

The Cosgriff Sign Shop opened Monday at 230 Second avenue west in its large modern quarters, which were formerly occupied by the Cosgriff family. Work will begin in a few days on the construction of the large modern auto sales building which will be located on the old site of the Cosgriff company was located.

SALMON RESERVOIR REPORT

The following report shows the available storage gauge height and the gain for the week ending March 18, 1916. The Salmon river reservoir: Gauge height, 82 feet; rise during week, 7 feet; available storage, 11,200 acre feet; gain during week, 1015 acre feet.

RECOMMENDS CUT
OF SALMON TRACT

State Engineer Submits Reports As to Lands to Retain in Project

ENTIRE NORTHWEST SECTION OMITTED BY STATE ENGINEER

Land Board To Hold Public Hearing On Matter Thursday—Settlers' Association Will Not Be Represented.

Weighing the various factors that enter into any attempt to reduce the Salmon River segregation, the facts that the improved lands are scattered over a large area, that the soil in some parts of the tract is much better than that in other parts, and transportation losses in canals, State Engineer J. H. Smith has, after a personal investigation, recommended to the state land board the elimination of certain lands at present included in the Salmon segregation.

The entire northwest section should be eliminated, according to the state engineer, cutting off No. 2 lateral about four miles northwest of Holtzner. He would also eliminate the lands to the east and north of Rogers, between Rogers and Deep Creek, and a couple of thousand acres between Holtzner and Berger, along Cedar draw. With the exception of these three bodies, which are more or less compact in form, the lands to be cut out are scattered over the remaining portion of the tract, and embrace lands that are understood to be of good soil, well irrigated, and that cannot be served economically from the irrigation system. All pumping plants would be dispensed with, owing to the excessive cost of operation and the advantages of the gravity system.

BELL DECLINES TO
BE A CANDIDATE

Will Not Seek Office of Probate Judge, Suggests Judge D. T. Welty for Appointment.

Having duly considered the matter from an angle, Frank S. Bell of this city Saturday informed his numerous friends, who were urging his appointment as probate judge, that he declined to allow his name to go before the board of county commissioners as an applicant for the office. He suggested that, instead, the board appoint Judge Daniel T. Welty of Castleford. A petition had been circulated in this city to elect Mr. Bell, and his friends and had been signed by more than 400 democrats, republicans, and prohibitionists, progressives and socialists. He had not been an active candidate for the position.

SHEEPMEN MAKE TEMPORARY ORGANIZATION PERMANENT

A large number of sheepmen attended the meeting of the new sheep-growers association at the rooms of the Twin Falls Commercial club Saturday, and perfected the permanent organization by making the temporary president, C. L. Belmont, of this city, president, and the temporary secretary, L. W. Verbeke, of Piler, secretary. Plans for the coming year were discussed in an informal way and the president was instructed to draft articles of incorporation and report at a later meeting.

SELECT NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The nominating committee to select candidates for officers in the Commercial club have been chosen. One committee consists of C. B. Chasney, J. C. Soper and A. R. Hicks; the other of C. A. Robinson, M. J. Macauley and H. M. Street. The election will be held April 4 and the notices must be filed five days earlier.

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END IS NEAR

Carranza Holds Three Sides of Net. Americans Crowd Outlaw

IF LINES HOLD, VILLA'S CAPTURE SEEMS CERTAIN.

All Possible Avenues of Escape Closely Guarded and Carranza Field Chief Declares He Holds Passes.

EL PASO, Tex.—Pancho Villa has been driven into a trap by the rapid advance of the American troops. Everything seems now to depend on the ability of the Carranza forces to hold their end of the net. On three sides of the bandit chief he is hemmed in by strong Carranza columns, while on the fourth the American soldiers are driving forward with amazing speed.

A few miles to the west of the bandit's position is Nampulapa, which is held by a powerful Carranza garrison. On the east are the frowning barriers of the Sierra Madre mountains barring the way to Sonora. Carranza's field chief, General Carranza, declares that he holds all the passes to Sonora. In any event, it is unlikely that Villa would make a break for Sonora, for this is the native state of General Carranza's minister of war, and the natives are said to be almost fanatical followers of his. To the south Villa's way is blocked by the Carranza garrison at Madera, a town of considerable importance, as the headquarters of the Madera company, limited, an American concern, which has vast lumber, mining and railroad interests. On account of the importance of this town, an expeditionary force of Carranza troops is said to be on hand.

The whole situation seems to depend on the Carranzistas. If they remain loyal to the first chief, which up to the present time they have shown every indication of doing, Villa appears trapped. If, on the other hand, they are in a mood to turn against him, as they have done in a section of Mexico where water was scarce. For such a large body of men the speed maintained by Carranza troops and the conditions in which they came through was inspiring.

Only a few cavalry horses and pack mules were lost, the victims of a riding trail. The men reached the camp thirsty and hungry, but otherwise in good condition, fit for action against the Carranzistas. They pressed through a section of Mexico where water was scarce. For such a large body of men the speed maintained by Carranza troops and the conditions in which they came through was inspiring.

TWIN FALLS MAN IS
TENNIS PRESIDENT

E. L. MacVicar Selected to Head Southern Idaho League Which Is Member of National Association.

E. L. MacVicar of this city, was elected president and C. C. Wilborn of Oakley, secretary, of the Southern Idaho Tennis association which was organized on St. Patrick's day at Oakley as a part of the National Lawn Tennis association. Great things are hoped for by the members of the new association during the coming year. At the present time the Southern Idaho Tennis association contains some 12 or 14 towns. Twin Falls, Jerome, Gooding, Rupert, Burley, Olathe, Pocatello, Richfield, Idaho Falls, St. Anthony and Rexburg, are members of the organization. All but the last three of this list have members of an association, which existed last year and conducted a successful tournament, but which was not affiliated with the national organization.

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TUBANTIA SINKING AROUSES DUTCH GOVERNMENT

Explosion Came in Dead of Night—
Americans Saved—Survivors Arrive
in Holland.

AMSTERDAM—The newest and finest steamship sailing under the Dutch flag, the Tubantia of the Holland-Lloyd line, was sunk early yesterday, early miles off the Dutch coast. Although it is not positively established whether the sinking was due to a mine or a torpedo, there is a singular anomaly on the part of those who were on board in attributing it to a submarine.

The crew base their belief in this, based chiefly on the intense violence of the explosion and on the fact that it occurred amidships.

The vessel was bound from Amsterdam to South American ports, carrying crew of 294 and eighty-two passengers, the latter most neutrals, including it is said, three Americans. The ship bore the usual identification marks of her neutral character, including an illuminated name and flag.

The disaster has created a profound sensation throughout Holland. The press comments reflect anger and indignation. The *Kluisje*, Rotterdam's *Contrast* says:

"Between being torpedoed and being mined, the only difference which exists is that known in criminal law between intention and conditional intention. If the ship was torpedoed, then there was absolute equivalent to intention. The submarine commander must have known when he gave the command to fire, that the ship was the Tubantia. No words can be found to qualify this crime; no excuses can be accepted."

It is now believed there was a small number of lives lost in the sinking of the Tubantia, either in the explosion or in an accident which attended the launching of the lifeboats or the ship's removal from the water.

According to all reports there was no panic. The boats were launched in their appointed order and the survivors were all taken off first. The rescue work was difficult owing to the darkness, the heavy mist and the rough sea.

SMALLPOX SCARE AT THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING

Idaho's state capitol building, the inmates of which are suffering from smallpox, were yesterday when City Health Officer Eaton visited the state department, directed Miss Anne Ryan, stenographer, to leave her home, closed the doors and windows and fumigated the office, and incidentally Chief Clerk Cliff who happened to be present. The news of the infection, and the rumors, rapidly spread through the state house but there was no stampede.

It appears that Miss Ryan, who resides with relatives, had been exposed to smallpox. Some of the children in the family have had what was supposed to be chicken pox. They caught it, but it was only the other day the attending physician determined to a certainty that the latest victim of the disease was suffering from smallpox. Miss Ryan has been attending to her daily stenographic duties and thought nothing of the matter, especially in view of the fact that disease had been considered chicken pox. However, the health officer lost no time, on learning the disease was smallpox, to visit the game department and take the necessary precautions to prevent possible spread of the disease. Chief Clerk Cliff was ordered to fumigate his office, which was vacated and runs the chances of being quarantined. He secured a certificate from his physician that he was immune from the disease, having been vaccinated and this may save the quarantine. Miss Ryan was vaccinated several months ago.

OFFERS SUBSTITUTE FOR SUGAR REPEAL

WASHINGTON—Senator Hawick today introduced a substitute for the free sugar repeal passed yesterday by the house, so as to provide for an extra tax of 1 cent a pound on all sugar sold in the United States within the next three years.

GENERAL ADVERTISING

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"SPEAR HEAD"

The Famous Chew with the
Delicious, Fruity Flavor
That Lasts

MADE BY MODERN PROCESSES

You want to get all the enjoyment and benefit possible out of tobacco. Then chew *Spear Head*.

You want your chew to have the wholesome, appetizing richness of fruit. Then chew *Spear Head*.

You want a plug with a deliciously sweet and mellow flavor that lasts as long as the chew lasts. Then chew *Spear Head*.

One chew of *Spear Head* will convince any man that there is no other tobacco on earth with such a rich and lasting flavor. That's because all the natural juices of the choicest *Burley* leaf are retained in *Spear Head*.

The making of *Spear Head* is conducted strictly according to the best methods in a great modern factory that is up-to-date throughout.

The most expensive modern processes keep *Spear Head* fresh, sweet and pure at every stage.

The luscious plug of *Spear Head* from which you bite the tastiest, wholesomest of chews, represents the highest form of plug tobacco production.

Try *Spear Head*—the very best chew that money can buy—5c and 10c cuts.

BEAUTIFUL MODEL INDICTED

NORTH DAKOTA LINED UP FOR LA FOLLETTE

Democrats Unanimous For Wilson,
While Republicans Are Agreed on
Wisconsin Senator.



Miss Anna F. Holch, reputed to be the most beautiful model in the country, indicted by the government for failure to declare valuables, photographed with her Russian wolfhound, *Scraggy*. She is alleged to have failed to declare certain goods when she arrived in this country from Europe last year. Her employer, Herman P. Fappe, a millinery importer, is also under indictment for alleged false declarations.

PREDICTS WOOL WILL SELL AS HIGH AS 33 CENTS

S. W. McClure Optimistic. Press Reports Show Practically No Wool Is Being Contracted.

With not a pound of this season's wool contracted, sheep owners are viewing with considerable optimism the operations of the wool buyers who are making contracts on clips in Montana and Wyoming and paying in some instances as high as 31 cents.

Thirty-one cents per pound is the mark set for wool to reach this season. The outlook of this prediction is more other than S. W. McClure, secretary of the National Wool Growers association and editor of the *National Woolgrower*, the organ of the association. Mr. McClure, while he represents the producing end of the industry, is in a position to speak with a full knowledge of the situation.

Mr. McClure was at Gooding, his former home, recently and in discussing the wool situation he stated that nearly 2,000,000 pounds of Montana wool had been sold for 31 to 32 cents and he expected the price to reach 33 cents.

The wool growers of Utah seemed to be in haste this year to dispose of their clips and the report is current that eastern houses have contracted for more than 30 per cent of the clip at prices ranging from 21 to 25 cents. In Nevada 60 per cent of the wool has been contracted, while the growers of Montana and Wyoming have sold 70 to 80 per cent. In Idaho 15 per cent of the wool has been contracted.

At Dillon, Montana, according to the *Tribe* of that place, a wool clip was sold recently at 30 cents, and other smaller clips at 31 cents. Wm. Bernstein, buyer for an eastern firm, offered Harry Adams of Dillon 31 cents for his wool, which was refused, as Mr. Adams is confident of receiving a higher price. Some contracting has been going on around Billings, Montana, and it is reported that Smith Bros. have sold their clip at 27 cents.

Shearing has commenced in Arizona, but growers are demanding 24 cents for wool that a year ago sold for 24 to 25 cents, and but little contracting has been done.

The European war, which has been the cause of the high price of wool, shows no signs of cessation, and even if peace should be concluded this summer it is almost certain that the British government would continue for a time the embargo which it placed on shipments of wool from its colonies. In former years American manufacturers imported 125,000,000 pounds of foreign wool from the British colonies and South America. Most of the South American wools have been bought by German agents to be held until the war should end. After the war is over the central European powers will likely be heavy buyers in the markets of the world. There is every reason therefore, for the producers of wool to view the situation with satisfaction. Many county growers, with 2,000,000 pounds of wool to sell, seem disposed to wait for the time when they can offer their holdings at the spring wool market. Those who have clean, long staple wool to offer may confidently expect to receive around 33 cents, while those having wools of finer texture, though being not so much in demand, will secure proportionate prices.

BULLETIN OF FIELD PEAS.

To meet the increasing demand for information regarding the culture of field peas the Idaho experiment station has issued a circular that is available for free distribution. The subject of planting, harvesting and threshing are thoroughly discussed. Every farmer interested should write to experiment station, Moscow, Idaho, for a copy of the circular.

Subscribe for the Times NOW.

WASHINGTON—Robert M. La Follette, United States senator from Wisconsin, is expected to receive his first formal endorsement for the Republican presidential nomination in the North Dakota primaries next Tuesday.

The Wisconsin senator has not been waging an active campaign for the nomination, but the fact that Chairman Fairbanks, Weeks and several of the other Republican aspirants have been doing, but he is none the less a candidate. There is a feeling of excitement among the Republicans in La Follette's home state, from which there arises a possibility that the senator may not receive the unqualified support of the Wisconsin delegates to the national convention. In this contingency, it has probably been figured out by Mr. La Follette and his political managers that it would be a wise move in the direction of "preparation" to have instructed delegates from some other state in the north to make certain that the name of the Wisconsin senator will be placed before the Chicago convention. The selection naturally fell upon North Dakota, where the La Follette strength was abundantly manifested in the political skirmishing that preceded the national conventions of four years ago.

As Senator La Follette is the only Republican candidate who has filed a petition in North Dakota, with the exception of Hiram D. Estabrook of New York, it is regarded as a practical certainty that the state's ten delegates to the Chicago convention will be instructed for the Wisconsin senator. Some surprise has been expressed that Senator Cummins did not file a petition, since his lieutenants have been working diligently to ensure all of the neighboring states. The generally accepted explanation is that the Iowa senator has entered into some arrangement with Senator La Follette's friends by which the Iowa candidate has agreed to leave La Follette an unobstructed path in North Dakota. The Democratic delegates from North Dakota will be instructed unanimously for Wilson's re-nomination.

PATCH WOULD BE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

General L. V. Patch of Payette, has announced his candidacy for lieutenant governor, subject to the action of the Republican party. A statement of his experience contains the following information relative to his life and activities:

General Patch was born at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, in 1876, moved to Omaha in 1890, and graduated from the Nebraska State University in 1898. He was city superintendent of schools for three years, succeeded by his graduation and moved to Payette, Idaho, in 1902, where he has since resided. Gen. Patch is the general manager of the Idaho Canning company, one of the large business concerns of this part of the state. He is president of the Payette Irrigation company, a director of the First National bank of Payette, secretary of the Payette Flour Milling company and of the Rex Spray company. He is also president of the Idaho State Country & Pot Stock association and a director of the Idaho State Dairyman's association. And in addition operates several fruit ranches and a stock ranch.

As will be readily seen from the foregoing, Gen. Patch has been busy, but not too busy to devote some time to politics and other public affairs. He represented Canyon county in the 10th session of the Idaho legislature. He served as Colonel of the 2nd Infantry, Idaho National Guard, Adjutant General of the State of Idaho, has been a member of the city council of Payette and for seven years has served as secretary of the board of education in his home city.

ARMY BILL DEBATE BEGINS IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON—Under a rule limiting general debate to ten hours, the house began considering the army bill—almost exclusive proposal for increasing the military establishment—over laid before it in place times. It is possible, a final vote will be reached tomorrow night.

Forty speakers have asked for time. Republicans and Democrats being equally represented on the list. When the debate began no member of the general plan of preparedness had asked to be heard.

Chairman Hay of the military committee and Representative Kahn, ranking Republican member, apportioned the ten hours equally. So far as is known no committee member will favor reduction of the provisions for the regular army or the national guard, although several are known to favor a larger standing army.

FLOUR MILL BEING ERECTED AT RUPERT

RUPERT, Ida.—Rupert is to have an up-to-date flour mill, according to reports at their present workhouse at the railway tracks. The present building will be remodelled to accommodate the necessary machinery and the whole plant will, of course, be operated by electricity.

The capacity of the new flour mill will be twenty-five barrels daily. It will be equipped to turn out a first-class product and the top prices will be paid for wheat. This will give a close market for the dry farm wheat from the farms north of the project and will prove a big thing for Rupert. Use Rupert flour in the future.

UNION TEAM WINS

Union school's sixth, seventh and eighth grades went to Pleasant View Friday, March 17th, where the Union ball team crossed bats with the combination team of Pleasant View and Park Lane. The game was easy for the Union boys, who made four home runs. The Union girls gave the Union boys good support by exciting the Pleasant Views and Park Lanes.



We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Every department throughout the store offers values that are hard to equal and it will be well worth while to read the following offerings from the various departments. The newest and most advanced ideas are shown in the Ready-to-Wear Section, as well as a wonderful display of Dress Fabrics shown in the Dry Goods Section.



New Suits and Coats

In the most approved styles. The showing is complete in every respect—a wide range of styles are shown in all the new weaves and colorings and all sizes. It is so complete that we feel that almost every one can find garments to suit their individual tastes. Let us show the many pretty new styles we are offering at lower prices. See them.

Silk Dresses from \$16.50 to \$35.00

At the above price range we are showing a wide range of styles, materials and colorings for both street and evening wear. For the street we offer many pretty combinations in silk and wool, also plain and fancy silks in bewitching styles. For evening wear you'll find the wonderfully soft colorings in pastel shades made of Taffetas, Crepe De Chines and Chiffons in dainty effects—the most complete display we have ever shown.

New Arrivals—Silk Waists \$2.75-\$6.75

In Crepe De Chines, Georgettes, Pussy Willow Taffetas, in dainty colorings as Pink, Flesh, Peach, White, Maize—and a range of styles shown in the more staple shades—see the becoming new stripe effects at a price range that will suit every requirement.

Children's Misses' Coats Shown in Many Styles, 2 to 12 and 14 to 17 Yrs. at \$2.50 up



Attractive Offerings from the Dry Goods Section

New Silks and Summer Wash Goods

Never before have we shown such a variety of popular fabrics for Spring and Summer wear. In Silks you'll find every desirable weave and coloring. Pretty soft Taffetas in plain and fancy satin stripes, plaids, checks and small figured effects. Crepe De Chines, Crepe Metiers, Messallines, Satins, and numerous other fashionable fabrics. As to Wash Goods, the showing included every wanted material in an almost endless assortment of patterns, etc. Dainty white goods in plain, check, stripe and fancy weaves; Ginghams, Percales, Chambrays and Poplins at the lowest prices to be had.

Summer Styles in Munsing Wear Now on Display

Most everyone knows the superior qualities of Munsing underwear; that there are no better garments made; that the fitting and wearing qualities are far better than other makes. The light gauge weight in Union Suits and Separate Garments shown, also medium weights in all styles for Women and Children. Prices range from

50c to \$1.50 a Garment

Fancy Ribbons 25c yd.

A new assortment of fancy ribbons shown at the above price in dainty flowered effects and a plain Hair Bow Ribbons in Taffetas and Satins.

Special Showing Men's Suits at

\$15.00

We are featuring a special line of Young Men's Clothing at the above price. Young men, as a rule, are hard to please—that is they want something distinctly different, clothes that have an exclusive appearance. Well, that's just what we are showing now—clothes built especially for well dressed young men; clothes that are finely tailored and are the replica of the very best higher priced models. To see one is to like it, so let us show the many new models offered for spring. Better made and finer materials shown up to \$27.50. We can suit the older and more conservative men, too. Suits are shown to meet every requirement.

Men's Sport Shirts \$1.25 to \$1.75

Just arrived, a new line of Men's Sport Shirts. Just the thing for outdoor wear and recreation. They come in low collar and short sleeve effects in plain white and cream and fancy stripe effects.



Boys' Suits from \$2.50 to \$10.50

We feel just proud of the showing of Boy Suits for we know that they are lower priced than elsewhere and they are made as good as clothes can be made. Boys as a rule require clothes that are made right, because of the unusually hard wear given the average boy's suit. No better clothes can be had than those we sell, and we want to call your attention to the wonderful values offered in our Boys' 2-Pant Suits at \$3.95 to \$5.00. The 2-Pant Suits at \$5.00 are lined throughout, and at both prices we show a great assortment of styles and patterns. Other suits up to \$10.50.

Spring Styles

Men's Hats

What better makes of good hats can you find than Knox, Stetson and Mallory. We are showing the very newest styles for Spring from these three lines and surely you will say that anyone would be hard to suit indeed if he could not find just the hat he was looking for from this greatly varied assortment of spring styles.

Knox Hats at \$20.00

Stetson Hats at \$4.00

Mallory Hats \$3.00

New Low Shoes Are Here for Women

In Patent, Dull Kid, and Gun Metal, and plain pumps and with straps. Come in widths from AA to EE. A wide range of styles to select from and every possible size, priced from \$2.50 to \$4.00.

For Children and Misses

In the popular Two-Strap Mary Janes, in Patent and Gun Metal. All sizes shown for children and Misses, and the prices range from \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Many New Ideas Shown in Men's Furnishings— See Them

TWIN FALLS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

YOU OWN SOME SECURITIES—

perhaps a stock certificate or two; you have some lenses, contracts, evidences of debt to you—can they burn up where they are now?

CERTAINLY NOT if they are in a Twin Falls Bank & Trust Company Safe Deposit Box.

TWIN FALLS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

SUGGESTS CHANGES IN LAND LOAN SYSTEM

State Treasurer John W. Eagleston Would Have Counties Loan Money at Low Rates to Small Owners.

The following excerpts are taken from a pamphlet entitled "A Plan to Use Our State Endowment Funds at Lower Interest," issued this week by State Treasurer John W. Eagleston. The plan involves the loaning of money from state endowment funds through the several counties under the direction of the several boards of county commissioners, at a low rate, preferably in small amounts. Mr. Eagleston claims that this would raise the price of state lands and on the other hand would encourage development through lowering the interest rate.

Since the transfer of the mortgages and school bonds last April and May from the land department to the treasurer's office, a number of changes in the method of making loans, collection of interest and principal and the sale of state lands have come to my mind which I think will materially affect taxation, reduce interest, enhance the state's endowment funds and improve the state's methods of doing business and reduce the cost thereof.

My reason for presenting the plan for consideration at this time is because it requires legislative action, and such important changes should be discussed and approved before the legislature meets to that bills may be drawn that will meet the approval of the people.

Idaho has over two and one-half million dollars invested in mortgages bearing 6 and 7 per cent interest, payable semi-annually; about the same amount invested in school bonds bearing 5 and 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, and about five million in land sale contracts bearing 6 per cent payable annually. In other words, the state is getting about 6 per cent interest on over ten million dollars from the rate of its permanent endowment fund lands. We still have for sale approximately three million acres of our endowment fund lands (about seven hundred thousand acres of which is covered with merchantable timber).

It is estimated that when all this land and timber is sold Idaho ought to have upwards of one hundred million dollars to be invested in mortgages and school bonds. This vast sum of money, if secured and used for the people's benefit as it accumulates, will control and lower the interest rate charged in the state. In any event, the present rates must be reduced from time to time to meet commercial rates that why not begin now and reduce commercial rates and get all other possible benefits as well?

The recent extension of time for the payment of state land purchases from 16 to 40 years, on the partial payment plan, has noticeably stimulated buying and materially increased the bids. How much more money the state would get from the sale of its lands by a material reduction of interest and a long time amortization of the principal can only be estimated, but it would be extremely profitable to the state by the increase in the value of the lands none will even doubt and that other lands would rise in value is also self-evident. That every school district, taxpayer and borrower of money would be benefited is also just as self-evident. Every dollar of increase in the value of the state's lands adds just that much more to the amount of the endowment fund which will earn interest for all time, and as this interest is all used for the expenses of schools and the state institutions, it reduces the tax burden. So far as the future sale of our land is concerned, it would well pay the state to sell on a five per cent basis—that is four per cent interest and one per cent amortization of the principal. This would certainly enhance the price of the land far beyond the difference in few years, and besides the increased price would be in the permanent endowment funds and would be to loan for all time.

The greatest handicap to the development of our state at this time is the high rate of interest our farmers, merchants and manufacturers are compelled to pay to get money to

make their improvements. If we could mobilize the one hundred million dollars into loans the next few years at a low rate of interest, on the one per cent amortization plan, Idaho would not need government aid to get cheap money.

The long time amortization plan of loans at a low rate of interest and with a small amortization of the principal is not a new thing. It has been tried out successfully in many places and always with great advantage to the people. It has the direct effect of offsetting taxes, stimulating improvement of lands in particular and the development of the state's resources in general, and increases very materially the desirability of the new land to be sold.

The Idaho state land board, in making loans, follows the method of having the party wishing a loan make application on a blank furnished by the state. Then an appraiser is sent out from the office to look at the land and place a value. Because of its mandatory duties the board, in making a loan, must rely entirely upon the report of the man sent out from the office to view the land; no matter how good the man's judgment may be regarding lands in one locality, he cannot possibly give the time to each application sufficient to familiarize himself with all the details of identification of the land, its value, etc., except through inquiries of the friends and neighbors of the applicant, and sometimes this is not always the best information.

On the other hand, if the county commissioners were required by law to make this appointment they would know the land in most cases personally, besides having the benefit of the appraiser's report. Another thing, it is a part of their duty each year to equalize values of all property and in that way they would be more competent and familiar with values, locations, etc., than any special examining of the land board with the limited time at his command to examine each piece of land.

The county attorney could be authorized to pass on the abstracts and obtain immediate corrections, thus relieving the county general agent of his too many time consuming official duties.

The collection of principal and interest now made by the state treasurer's office. This necessitates an endless amount of correspondence in checking up the payment of taxes, water maintenance, ditch assessments, etc., which could in the main be done away with by having the county treasurer make the collections.

We now pay out each year to exceed 100 loans and this would be no great burden to any set of officials. However, to compensate the county, the state could well afford to turn over to the county the one per cent amortization fee now charged for the expense of making appraisement.

By the nature of the plan, the bonds, sale contracts and mortgages on a six per cent semi-annual payment basis, five per cent to apply to interest and the balance to apply on the amortization of the principal, and the state would actually save money by so doing. If handled by the counties as suggested and the saving the expense of handling would be given to the school district, the borrower of state money and the purchaser of state land. This would mean that the state would actually save money by so doing. In other words, the purchaser or borrower of state money, by a semi-annual payment at the rate of six per cent on the amount of the original loan, would have his entire debt of state money disposed of in 36 years. The state would receive interest of more than 36 years, but the extra amount is so small that it could be included in the last payment.

While in my judgment it would be very unwise to unnecessarily restrict large loans, the small loan should always have the preference, regardless of the higher proportionate expense of making it, which in fact is too small to consider. That small loans will be more popular should be a sufficient reason for the loan and for the cheerful assistance of every official in whatever station he may serve.

C. W. Lake was in the city from northern Idaho Friday on his way to Flit to get some horses which he had wintered there.

ALL PRICES STILL SOARING IN SKIES

Hog Market Sensational In Its Altitude and Other Live Stock Prices Almost as Good.

The hog market has been on the "tear," says the Portland Live Stock Reporter. The past week has been one of advances. This week the advance is still on and no one knows where it will end, although the eastern markets have in the past three or four days shown a weaker tendency. From a 10c level Chicago showed a decline of 10c to 20c. About the same conditions prevail at South Omaha. Hogs on the coast nothing but appeared and there is nothing in sight to stop the upward tendency and prices have risen earlier this year than has been predicted, even by the most rabid "hog predictor."

The advance in hogs has been little short of sensational. Demand has been very keen, both by shippers and packers, shippers for the most part taking up the lighter, unfinished classes. Last Monday's advance was 40c, Tuesday's market was steady. Wednesday showed a 10c rise and today steady.

Not only has a 49 price been ushered in but prices have made a long step toward a higher level. The market has taken but one direction and that is skyward. In fact ever since the first of the year prices have shown an upward tendency. Leading figures today are better than \$3 over the lowest spot since last December. The present price of hogs is the highest since September, 1914. The high prices of the last few days has set the old heads wagging and wondering if the old record high prices will be eclipsed before the present high wave subsides. However, it is not pork prices alone that are soaring. Cattle prices are now the best they have been during the year with an excellent strong and healthy undertone. The present prices are better than last year comparatively.

The sheep prices have been very strong right along. The demand is very keen. Best lambs could be good enough to bring \$3.00 easily with other sheep classes in proportion. Live mutton trade has also been doing a dizzy stunt. Shortage prediction earlier in the season has more than made good. The term "highest price on record" has become so familiar that it is trite. Everything has pointed to the high market and all offerings are getting clearance just as soon as unloaded.

Current live quotations are: Choice grain and pulp-fed, \$8.00@8.10; choice stock, \$7.00@7.25; ordinary, \$6.50@6.75; common, \$6.00@6.25.

General cow quotations are: Choice, \$5.00@5.25; good, \$4.50@4.75; medium, \$4.00@4.25; ordinary, \$3.50@3.75; common, \$3.00@3.25.

Higher quotations are: Choice sheep, \$4.00@4.25; good, \$3.50@3.75; medium, \$3.00@3.25; ordinary, \$2.50@2.75; common, \$2.00@2.25.

Quotations for hogs are: Choice, \$3.50@3.75; good, \$3.00@3.25; medium, \$2.50@2.75; ordinary, \$2.00@2.25; common, \$1.50@1.75.

Quotations for steers are: Choice, \$5.00@5.25; good, \$4.50@4.75; medium, \$4.00@4.25; ordinary, \$3.50@3.75; common, \$3.00@3.25.

Best selected, 850 to 100 lbs., \$5.00@5.25; best selected, 700 to 800 lbs., \$4.50@4.75; choice stock heifers, \$4.50@4.75; best selected in choice stock heifers, \$4.00@4.25.

Current sheep quotations: Choice lambs, \$2.50@2.75; common lambs, \$2.00@2.25; good yearlings, \$2.75@2.95; choice wethers, \$2.25@2.45; good wethers, \$1.75@1.95; choice ewes, \$1.50@1.75; good ewes, \$1.25@1.45.

Hog quotations are: Prime light, \$9.10; prime strong weights, \$8.90@9.10; good to prime mixed, \$8.25@8.75; common mixed, \$7.50@8.25; pigs and skips, \$6.00@6.25.

The wool market here is quieter but none the less firm. The total sales of the week have averaged for loss this an average volume of business probably between three and four million pounds having been moved, all of which was from the same source. The market is not expected to continue very steadily, however, and there is no little congestion in the transportation of wools from the inland points. Everything is so quiet that dealers are not very unhappy over the quiet state of trade, which in helping them in getting shipments of wool, is a very good thing. The wool market here is a quiet but none the less firm.

ARTESIAN CITY NOTES

Times' Special Correspondence.

Miss Carle and Thessa Strong, Lawrence Strong and Eva Witt, were home from Oakley a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pakineau from Hazelton, came to Artesian Sunday to get their father, Mr. Land, who has been staying with J. Bowers for some time. Walter Beers, from Murihough, was in Artesian Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Miss Dearinger and son Les from Hazelton, were in town last summer, where they have rented a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Workman of Murihough were here visiting relatives last week.

A party was given last Friday evening at the home of Orson Strong for Miss Carle Strong and R. B. Randall. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games and music.

Fred Bacon has rented 105 acres of land on my place for the summer.

The ladies of Artesian City have organized a sewing club and the first meeting will be held March 24 at the home of Mrs. R. J. Day. All the ladies in Artesian City are invited to attend.

Mr. Wilkinson, Ralph Day and Chir Aratine were transacting business in Murihough Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. and Frank Tracy of Murihough were visiting Mrs. H. C. Randall Sunday.

Mrs. Orson Strong and Mrs. J. E. Strong were in Oakley visitors the first part of the week.

Last Sunday morning a coyote was seen around town, and because of this some people were surprised to find

CA YOU READ FACES?

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lances until it was killed by Henry Workman. Its head has been sent to Twin Falls to be examined for the rabies. It being the first coyote seen in this condition, people could not tell if it was mad without an examination.

Fred Bacon was in Hazelton Wednesday.

Orson Strong was transacting business in Twin Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Randall were shopping in Rock Creek Tuesday.

Herbert Haines is hauling hay from Murihough this week.

Mrs. China Matthews was in Rock Creek Wednesday.

George Goodrich has been very sick for the past few days with chills and fever.

T. T. Rutledge was in Twin Falls Wednesday getting repairs for his gasoline engine.

Frank Terrell took about 250 head of cattle to the hills for the summer Thursday.

Carl Cooler has moved to Kimberly and Mr. Griffith of Kimberly is now living on the Oyster place.

H. C. Randall is in Murihough doing some carpenter work for Geo. Tracy.

Mrs. Ray Taylor and her brother-in-law, Clea Taylor, left for their old home in Iowa Sunday to be gone five months.

Mr. Callen was in Murihough Wednesday on business.

The ladies of Artesian City surprised Mrs. Albert Dearinger Tuesday afternoon as she was to leave Wednesday for Hazelton. Those in attendance were Mrs. John Hutchison, Mrs. Geo. Fredrick, Mrs. R. B. Randall, Mrs. M. A. Bacon, Mrs. Fred Bacon, Mrs. McMenmen, Mrs. Frankie Terrell and Mrs. R. J. Day.

Frank Sommers and J. E. Bowers were transacting business in Murihough Thursday.

FILER HAPPENINGS

(From The Filer Journal.)

Carl Pleistick is building a new home in the west part of town opposite Art Small.

The Filer Auto and Realty Co. resumed work Monday on their garage. Work on same will be pushed from now on.

Fred Drake has purchased an acre of land on Yakima south of Guy H. Shear.

Dr. F. L. Hack, died at his home in Nebo, Ill., on the 25th of February. The cause of his death was not learned. Dr. Hack will be remembered by the many friends he made while here in 1914.

Ernie Davis from Wolbach, Neb., an old friend of the writer, is the guest for a short time. In company with his brother-in-law, J. C. Porterfield, he paid the Journal a short call today.

W. Gardner is building a new house on the lots opposite Ed Brennan. The new house is a two-story affair, with a full bath and a fireplace. He has taken out a dry license and will move in as soon as his house is completed.

A program will be given in the high school auditorium on Friday night, March 27. The program opens at 2:40 sharp. Gall Mueser and Bernice Dickota entertained Edna Comerica, Clea Mc-

Allister, Ruby Docket and Mary Mueser at a dinner in the school dining room last Wednesday.

The high school orchestra played last Saturday afternoon at the opening of Love's new store.

At a baseball meeting on Tuesday morning Dewey Showers was elected captain for the season. Over 25 men are going to try for the team. Practice will begin at once and a preliminary game will be played some time next week.

The U. S. history class has begun the study of Bore's text on American Citizenship.

The Woman's club witnessed a dramatic scene on Wednesday at Miss Root last Wednesday.

The Farmers Telephone Co. have arrangements to take over the Clover Independent line and will soon be all connected up. Five underground phones are connected at this time and more will follow as soon as the line men can accomplish the work.

The entertainment at the Gem last night by the Dramatic club of Marion, "The Red Rocket," was fairly well patronized and greatly enjoyed by those attending. The entertainment proved that Marion has some splendid talent and that many splendid entertainments will follow from time to time. Those taking part were: Mr. Chas. and Mrs. Edna Pierce, Fred and Belle Beer, Clarence Dietrich, Rupert Williams, Clara, Chud and Cleve McAllister.

H. L. Austin has been transferred to the Gem State yard at Twin Falls, and will assume charge down there next Monday. Mr. Austin has been in charge here for nearly five years and has made many friends who regret to see him and his estimable family leave. Mrs. Austin will not go at this time but will follow on. They have sold their property here and will acquire a home in Twin Falls later on. J. W. Thompson, of Twin Falls, will have charge of the yard here and will move his family as soon as he is able to secure a home.

Last Friday night the Merchants' Carnival put on by the Ladies' Aid under the management of Mrs. J. W. Carl, was a great success. The Gem theatre was the scene of the show, and the large crowd who witnessed the various acts were convulsed with laughter. Little folks are always interesting anyhow, but it seems they outdone them all in this occasion. The affair was voted a big success by everyone present. The Ladies' Aid were more than satisfied as the results far exceeded their expectations. Mrs. Carl certainly understands her

business and knows how to manage such affairs.

CLARK NEWS NOTES.

Times' Special Correspondence.

A. C. Rutherford is busy hauling potatoes to the old store, where he is loading a car for shipment this week.

Richard Baggis is the possessor of a new car, purchased recently.

Earl Beck, manager of the experimental farm last year, started for California, Canada, Tuesday, where he takes up his duties at that place under Don Bark. Mr. Sloan succeeds Mr. Beck here and will soon commence farming operations at the experimental station.

Married in Twin Falls, Miss Virginia Overfield to Harry McAuley of Curry. The bride is well known here and the wedding came as a surprise to her many friends, who wish her hundreds of happiness.

Chert Johnson and family of Kimberly, have moved down on the farm known as the Kerrick place, but now owned by Frank Johnson, of the Alameda Sugar company.

The Misses Edith and Lunetta Newbert, who were in Twin Falls last Saturday.

D. F. Clark attended a special meeting of the Twin Falls school board, Mr. Clark being one of the directors.

Mrs. Floyd Jones was a business visitor in Twin Falls last week.

The little son of A. C. Rutherford was sick last week, necessitating a call from Dr. Clough.

John Aut of Twin Falls, moved out on the place formerly owned by Geo. Swartz last week.

Edward Voth and wife of Darley, were looking after business interests here last Saturday.

Frank Sheldon of the Filer country, was calling on friends in our little burg last Saturday. Mr. Sheldon owns large farming interests on the Salmon tract and says the farmers there are just over their prospects for the coming year, notwithstanding the difficulties of the unsettled question of water. He says the dam will be full of water and reports from the mountains that the snow in some places is packed to a depth of 20 feet near the headwaters.

Guy Hall and wife were shoppers in Twin Falls last week. Also Franklin Brown and wife, Anous Martin and wife, Edith Fulk and mother, Mrs. Fred Walshaw, Mrs. D. F. Clark and Marion Berthold.

If you are in need of anything, a Times Want Ad. will fill your want.

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PEANUT POLITICS.

The system of hanging a man first and trying him afterwards seems to be in vogue in New York political circles, as evidenced by the result of the criminal prosecution of Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing prison, who was removed by Governor Whitman for alleged criminal acts as an official, and then prosecuted for those alleged acts. Osborne remonstrated at the time that the case was started that the governor had taken the word of every blackguard and criminal who had a personal spite against the management of the prison. The trial seems to have sustained this charge for while respectable witnesses were placed on the stand it was always to prove some trivial immaterial point. Even the refractory criminals had nothing worthy of the consideration of a jury to offer, and when the testimony was all in Supreme Court Judge Tompkins ordered that a verdict of acquittal be brought in, and then dismissed the jury. Under such circumstances, it would look as if the governor should reinstate the man dismissed, even though he afterwards let him out for political reasons.

The failure of Governor Whitman as an executive and as a candidate for president is one of the tragedies of recent political history. Elected by a tremendous majority, he seems to have played solely for presidential nomination, which would have been his had he arisen to the stature which was attained in New Jersey by Woodrow Wilson. But by playing peanut politics and helping upstate republicans to overturn the city of New York, he actually produced such a reaction as to throw the control of that great municipality back into the hands of Tammany, from which it had been wrested by reformers. After this achievement, the Whitman presidential hope came to an untimely end.

THE PROBATE JUDGE APPOINTMENT

THE TIMES is glad to endorse the suggestion of Frank S. Bell that Judge Daniel T. Welty be appointed to fill the vacancy created in the office of probate judge by the resignation of Judge Jacob Shunk. It is no reflection on the several excellent local men mentioned for the place to say that, all things considered, he should be appointed.

In the matter of qualifications, Judge Welty is the peer of any. The office is one which should be filled by an able lawyer, and Judge Welty, who formerly occupied a place on the bench, as district judge, in Nebraska, is that. He is an honored citizen of the west-end and as the man who retires comes from that part of the county, it is fitting that his successor should also come from the same locality. In our opinion, this fact should determine the matter, and should give him preference over another man, equally qualified, living in Twin Falls. It is right and proper, where competent men can be found, that the offices should be distributed in different parts of the county. Twin Falls already has a goodly share, and when a man of the high-character and ability of Judge Welty can be found to accept, there should, it seems to us, be no hesitancy in regard to what should be done in the matter.

Every week, and almost every day, there are announcements of increased steamship service, or the projecting of additional lines, or the creating of new shipping companies. The latest is the incorporation of a company to operate steamers from New York to Archangel, and, after the war, to Black Sea ports. So much capital would not be going into maritime interests if capitalists thought the end of the war would be the end of the present shipping boom. The Bethlehem Steel Company would not put \$15,000,000 or \$20,000,000 into the increase of shipbuilding facilities at Sparrows Point if it supposed that our shipping would shrivel under the influence of peace. Grace & Co. and other firms would not organize corporations and buy steamers if they depended on the abnormal conditions due to war.—Boise News-Freedom.

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 176.

An ordinance declaring the intention of the City of Twin Falls to sprinkle certain streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues within the said City, the expense thereof to be paid by assessments to be levied against the abutting, adjacent contiguous and tributary property to establish for that purpose local improvement district No. 22 in said City, fixing the time when protests will be received against the making of the said improvement.

It is given by the Mayor and Council of the City of Twin Falls, Idaho:

Section 1. The City of Twin Falls, Idaho, hereby declares its intention to sprinkle with water the roadway of certain streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues in said City, to be paid by assessments to be levied for that purpose to create and establish in said City Local Improvement District No. 22.

Section 2. The streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues to be sprinkled as aforesaid are as follows:

Slackhoe street between Rock Creek and Main Avenue;
Second street east;
Third street east;

Fourth street east between Main Avenue and Fourth Avenue;
Fourth street east between Main Avenue and Sixth Avenue;
Fifth street east;

Sixth street east between Main Avenue and Fourth Avenue east;
Seventh street east between Third Avenue and Blue Lakes Blvd.;
Second street north;

Second street west between Main Avenue and Sixth Avenue;
Third street west between Main Avenue and Eighth Avenue;

Fourth street west between Main Avenue and Tenth Avenue;
Fifth street west between Main Avenue and Twelfth Avenue;

Sixth street west between Main Avenue and Fourteenth Avenue;
Seventh street west between Second Avenue and Main Avenue and Seventh street north between Main Avenue and Second Avenue north;

Main Avenue;
Second Avenue east between Shoshone Street and Seventh Street;

Second Avenue north between Shoshone Street and Seventh Street;
Third Avenue north between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Fourth Avenue east between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;
Fourth Avenue west between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Fifth Avenue east between Second Street and Blue Lakes Boulevard;
Fifth Avenue north between Second Street north and Sixth Street north;

Sixth Avenue east;
Sixth Avenue north;
Seventh Avenue east;

Seventh Avenue north;
Eighth Avenue east;
Eighth Avenue north;

Ninth Avenue east;
Ninth Avenue north;
Tenth Avenue east;

Tenth Avenue north;
Eleventh Avenue east;
Second Avenue south between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Second Avenue west between Shoshone Street and Eighth Street west;
Third Avenue south between Shoshone Street and Fourth Street;

Third Avenue west between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;
Fourth Avenue south between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Fourth Avenue east between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;
Fourth Avenue west between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Fifth Avenue east between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;
Fifth Avenue west between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Sixth Avenue south between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;
Sixth Avenue east between Shoshone Street and Sixth Street;

Blue Lakes Blvd. from the City limits on the north to the junction of Main Avenue and Kimberly Road;

Blue Lakes Boulevard from Kimberly Road to the junction of Lot One of Block Two of Chapman's addition;

Gem Avenue from Addison Avenue to northwest corner of New School addition;

Addison Avenue from Blue Lakes Boulevard easterly to the City limits;

Addison Avenue from Block Seven to the intersection of Blue Lakes Boulevard;

Kimberly Road between Blue Lakes Boulevard and east line of Lot Five in Section addition;

Milwaukee Street between Sixth Avenue south and Fifth Avenue south;

Section 2. Said district is to include all lots and lands fronting on abutting, adjacent contiguous and tributary, to said streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues to be sprinkled as hereinbefore named, and extending to the distance back from the said street or avenue, if platted in blocks, to the center of the curb of the lot units to the center of lots; and, if not platted to the distance of one hundred and twenty-five feet.

Section 3. The general character of the said improvement shall be the sprinkling with water of the roadway of the streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues hereinbefore named, during the fiscal year of 1916, when and in such manner as shall be required to lay and keep down the dust on said streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues.

Section 4. The cost in expense of the said improvement is to be assessed upon all the lots and lands in the said district each lot and parcel of land therein being separately assessed for the full amount of the improvement in proportion to the number of feet of each respective lot or parcel of land fronting and abutting on said streets and avenues and parts of streets and avenues and in

proportion to the benefits derived to said property by reason of the said improvement; Provided, that the cost of such improvement in the space formed by the junction of two streets or avenues in or across or more streets, or wherein one main street terminates in or crosses another main street, shall be paid by the City of Twin Falls.

Section 5. The total cost of making the said improvement, according to the estimate of the Street Commissioner, is the sum of \$6550.00, divided as follows:

Street frontage \$3525.00
Intersections 1500.00

Section 6. The 3rd day of April, 1916, at eight o'clock a. m., is hereby designated as the date on which the Mayor and Council of the said City will receive and entertain protests against the making of the said improvement, and all persons affected by such improvement must be notified of their objections in writing with the City Clerk on or before the said time.

Passed by the Council of the said City of Twin Falls, this 20th day of March, 1916.

Approved by the Mayor of the said City of Twin Falls, this 20th day of March, 1916.

(Seal) E. M. SWEETLEY, Mayor.
REES M. WILLIAMS, City Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 177.

An ordinance to establish certain vehicle traffic districts within the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, to regulate the use of the streets, avenues and alleys and other public places within said districts and within the said City of Twin Falls, by automobiles and other vehicles.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of the said City of Twin Falls as follows:

Section 1. There be and there are hereby established two vehicle traffic districts within the City of Twin Falls to be known as Traffic District No. 1 and Traffic District No. 2.

Section 2. Traffic District No. 1 is to be composed of the territory included between Main Avenue and Second Street North and West to Third Street East and South.

Section 3. Traffic District No. 2 is to be composed of the territory consisting of:

Shoshone Street from Third Avenue South and West to Sixth Avenue North and East;

Second Avenue South from Shoshone Street to Third Street South;

Second Avenue East from Shoshone Street to Second Street North;

Second Avenue West from Shoshone Street to Second Street North;

Second Street South from Main Avenue to Second Avenue South;

Second Street East from Main Avenue to Second Avenue East;

Second Street North from Main Avenue to Second Avenue North;

Second Street West from Main Avenue to Second Avenue West;

Section 4. That in Traffic District No. 1 a parking zone for the parking of automobiles is hereby established to be a strip of Main Avenue fifteen (15) feet in width, being seven and one-half (7½) feet on each side of the center line of said avenue running longitudinally with the line of said avenue, said parking zones or strips to extend between the following points:

The parking zone strip on Main Avenue between blocks 86 and 102 shall commence at a point twenty-five (25) feet from the southeast side of Second Street West and extend to a point twenty-five (25) feet from the Northwest side of Third Street South and East.

The parking zone strip on Main Avenue between blocks 87 and 103 shall commence at a point twenty-five (25) feet from the southeast side of Shoshone Street and extend to a point twenty-five (25) feet from the Northwest side of Second Street South and East.

Section 5. Between the hours of nine a. m. and six p. m. of each week during automobile or motor vehicles of kind or nature shall stand at any time on Main Avenue within Traffic District No. 1, except within such parking zone, for a period to exceed three minutes. Any person desiring to leave an automobile or motor vehicle standing for any period greater than three minutes within the said parking zone shall move forward and to the left and enter the stream of traffic on that side of the street into which he moves and no person shall stand an automobile or motor vehicle in any parking zone shall back such automobile or motor vehicle over the line of the curb and park thereon.

Anyone desiring to load or unload passengers within Traffic District No. 1 may stop his car or motor vehicle at the curb and park thereon for a close thereto as he conveniently can and may remain at the curb for the purpose aforesaid for a period of not exceed three minutes. All horse drawn or other vehicles desiring to load or unload passengers or freight within Traffic District No. 1 may stop at the curb and park thereon for a period not to exceed three minutes, but no horse drawn vehicle or other vehicle other than automobiles and motor vehicles shall be parked within the parking zones aforesaid. No car after standing at the curb for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers shall move forward from the curb back therefrom, but shall move in a forward direction, and no car shall stop within four feet of the curb and park thereon.

Section 6. In Traffic District No. 2, cars or motor vehicles may be left

standing or parked at the curb where the same are left parallel with the curb, and no part of said vehicle being more than six feet from the curb, but when moving any such vehicle away from the curb it shall not be backed out, but shall be moved forward, and no car shall be left standing so close to another car that it will interfere with the car moving away therefrom without backing. No car or motor vehicle shall stop upon any of the streets or avenues within Traffic District No. 2 except where blocked by traffic, and except where the same may be stopped at the curb line.

Section 7. No person operating an automobile or motor vehicle within the traffic districts aforesaid shall make any unreasonable or unnecessary use of his horn or other signal device. Any person operating an automobile or motor vehicle within the said City of Twin Falls shall have a license plate covering his license for the current year and keep his license plate so placed and in such a condition that his number can be read fifty (50) feet distant. Any person operating an automobile or other motor vehicle must, when ordered or signalled by any traffic or police officer, stop his car or vehicle. No person must leave an automobile or other motor vehicle standing unattended in any alley within the fire district of the said City.

Section 8. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof may be fined in any sum not exceeding One Hundred (\$100) dollars.

Section 9. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are and each is hereby repealed.

Passed by the City Council this 20th day of March, 1916.

Approved by the Mayor this 20th day of March, 1916.

E. M. SWEETLEY, Mayor.
REES M. WILLIAMS, City Clerk.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING APRIL 17

The annual school meeting in this county will be held April 17, at which time the usual business will be transacted.

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LOCAL DEBATE TEAMS

WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Boise and Pocatello Both Meet Defeat at Hands of Twin Falls High School Debate Teams.

Twin Falls high school holds the championship of the triangular league, consisting of Boise, Pocatello and the Twin Falls high schools. The question which, since debate, was decided at the three places last Friday night was: "Resolved, That our federal government should own and operate a public telephone system." The team from Boise at Twin Falls took the negative side of the question and argued on the following points: That government ownership of the telephone is contrary to the fixed policy of the constitution; that the present system is more efficient than the governmentally-owned systems of Europe; and that the present is not the time to take over the telephone system.

The affirmative team took the stand that the present system was virtually a private monopoly and as such was highly objectionable because of the many evils connected with monopoly, but that a government monopoly would originate these evils, and that the measure was practicable. The rebuttals were lively and very interesting, but before the debate was over although the Boise team had much the stronger side of the question, it was easy to see that the local team had won. The judges rendered an unanimous decision in favor of the affirmative and this result seemed to meet the approval of all present.

The Twin Falls negative team which debated at Pocatello argued that government ownership of the telephone was politically and economically wrong and that the present system was so satisfactory that no change would be justifiable. They presented their case so well that the judges awarded them two decisions, thus giving Twin Falls five decisions out of six possible ones and a majority over the other school.

The teams lined up as follows, in order of speaking: Affirmative, Carl S. Maxwell, James Harvey, Walter B. Smith; negative Theodore Bowen,

George C. Hatley, William Lelser, F. Boise—Negative, Inez Callaway, F. Kingston, Percy Plank.

COMES BACK AFTER LOOKING OVER THE SOUTHWEST

A six months' tour through California, Nevada, Arizona and Utah has convinced J. M. Elliott that there is, after all, no place like the section of Idaho wherein is located the great Twin Falls center. Mr. Elliott, formerly of Twin Falls, started on his trip early last fall after spending the summer on a ranch near Malheur. Carrying a complete camping outfit along with them in their Ford, they spent just four nights in hotels during the entire time they were on the road. Several weeks were put in at different places in California, while the winter was spent at Phoenix, Arizona. They left Phoenix on the 26th of January, but were detained for several weeks at different places, and finally abandoned the Ford at Tremonton, Utah, owing to the condition of the roads between Tremonton and Albion, where the snow is just melting and the highways are a sea of mud. Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were accompanied by the greater part of the way to Twin Falls by the Pollins and Kennedy families of Kimberly, who spent the winter in California. Considerable trouble was experienced at different times owing to the flooded conditions of creeks, many of which were not crossed until Mr. Elliott intended to buy a ranch on the tract and stay with this country.

CARD OF THANKS.

To our friends and relatives in Holliet and Twin Falls, and to the Twin Falls chapter of the Eastern Star, who so kindly and generously helped us in the hour of our greatest sorrow, that of the loss of our beloved daughter, Martha, we extend our deep and everlasting gratitude.

MR. & MRS. J. L. HODGES.

RUPERT CLAIMS CHAMPIONSHIP

OF THE ALLO EASTERN OREGON

The Rupert basketball team, having won from Ontario last Thursday and Friday evening, claim the championship of the Idaho Eastern Oregon. The score was 22 for Ontario and 48 for Rupert in Thursday's game, and 20 to 33 in Friday's game. In the second game Rupert has won the championship.

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REDUCTION SHOWN IN THE STATE TAXES

Tables Sent From Office of Governor
Indicate That Any Increase Is Due
to County Levies.

THE TIMES is in receipt of a circular from the office of the governor in Boise, showing the total amount of state taxes levied in every county in the state and the amount of general county taxes of all sorts, the purpose being to show that where there has been an increase in taxes levied it has been due to the increase in the county levy and that there had been a decrease in the state levy. The total reduction for the year 1915 in state taxes levied by counties was, according to this table, \$25,168.48, in which connection it is implied should be noted the fact that no interest was provided in the 1915 state levy for interest on state bonded indebtedness, which was paid out of previous accumulations, while it was necessary to levy \$5,000 for that purpose in 1915. The total levy for the state for Twin Falls county for 1914 was \$44,200.49, while the total for 1915 was \$39,497.94, a reduction of \$4,702.55. The total tax levy for county purposes was \$17,740.74 last year, and \$169,841.12 in 1914, an increase of \$7,899.52, so that the total increase for the year was \$3,096.97. No statement is made of the percentage of tax levy, or the difference in valuation. As a matter of fact, the state taxes in this county were reduced by three-tenths of one mill in 1915 from 1914. County taxes outside the bridge fund, were the same in 1914, but the bridge fund was increased by three-tenths of one mill which made the total per cent of combined levy the same both years. However, there was a slight increase in the valuation in 1915 over 1914, so that the saving in state taxes in dollars and cents appeared slightly greater and the increased taxes levied for county, bridge and road purposes appeared considerably larger in dollars and cents than if the total taxable property valuation had remained the same during the two years. The introductory statement to the table, addressed to the people of Idaho, reads as follows:

Governor Alexander has prepared in his office statements showing the amount and character of taxation during the years 1914 and 1915. This

has been done for the purpose and with the intention to supplement the work done by the Idaho tax commission for the year 1913, which was the year for which data was collected and published by that body, for the purpose as stated in that report, "To secure public discussion of this important matter, and to secure the interest and co-operation of the taxpayers themselves for the purpose of enabling us to strike at the very root of our difficulties. The report is not an argument, but a portrait of conditions."

"The tax commission further adds: 'In order to furnish a basis for a comprehensive study of the situation by the taxpayer himself, or the resident of the state who is directly or indirectly interested in the subject, we have endeavored to compile and submit the data which we have gathered in such form as in our opinion will best enable the citizens of Idaho to realize the exact situation.'"

In the work done in the office of Governor Alexander, exactly the same method was pursued relative to tax figures for 1914 and 1915, as was adopted by the tax commission for 1913, and in order to facilitate comparison during the two years that preceded that for which the tax commission compiled its figures, comparative tables are herewith supplied giving the amount of tax levied by each county of the state for each purpose so levied for each of the years 1913, 1914 and 1915.

The valuations upon which taxes were levied and the rate of taxation for each several purposes, was furnished by the county auditor of each county, and every effort has been made to have them accurate and it is believed they are substantially correct.

MURTAUGH NEWS

Times' Special Correspondence.

Mrs. A. B. Haverth transacted business in Twin Falls Thursday.

Miss Myrtle Pickett was visiting in Twin Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Erin Tolman spent a part of last week here visiting friends.

Those shopping in Twin Falls Thursday were Mr. Hall, Mr. Jones, Mr. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Senecal, Mr. and Mrs. Strong, Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Hatmaker and Hans Carlson.

Mrs. Madeline Johnson, Fay and Pemberton, were in Twin Falls Monday.

Sunday school was held in the new church Sunday morning.

The Mormons gave a party and served refreshments in their new church Friday evening, clearing a neat sum.

Henry Lloyd who is very ill, is no better.

Ray Hunt took in the excursion to Twin Falls Monday night and attended the play at the high school auditorium.

M. H. Bailey has returned from Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Davis' sister is making her a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Tolman motored to Twin Falls Tuesday.

The boys are busy making a tennis court at their idle times.

Mr. Day attended the lumbermen's meeting in Pocatello Thursday.

Mrs. Stevens is staying at the Drury home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Dean spent Sunday in Kimberly with their daughter, Mrs. Seth Coster.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Goss.

Mrs. Kinney of Castleford, spent Sunday with Miss Iovreka.

Hans Carlson is moving his family to the North Side, where he has purchased a ranch.

Ira Johnson is spending a couple of weeks in Twin Falls.

Fred Wacholz spent Sunday in Twin Falls.

MEXICAN BEING TRIED FOR MURDER AT RUPERT

RUPERT, Ida.—The trial of Juan Carillo, accused of killing a fellow Mexican named Chimeros last summer, began Thursday in the district court.

W. R. Hyatt will defend the accused man, having been appointed by the court. Benito Salazar was also bound in the log in the same case.

The sheriff's office sent to Mexico for Philippe Cordova, one of the witnesses for the state.

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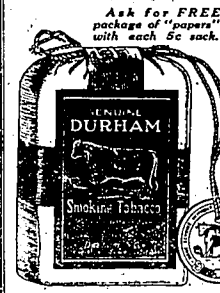
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BULL NEWS

(From the Bull Herald)

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Bull County association this week, it was decided to take up the work of improving the local burial grounds by putting a close woven wire fence around the whole plot of thirteen acres, and to put in a water tank at the upper side of the field so that the cemetery may be needed to grasses and watered by hose attached to the pipes which will come to the surface at various places over the lawn.

A gasoline engine will be used to pump the water from the coulee below into the water tank which will be used for sprinkling the grass.

A man will be employed to devote a part of the summer to seeding the cemetery and keeping it watered until it has become well sodded.

Tuesday was good roads day in Bull County, and eleven teams and three times as many extra men spent the day improving the streets and the roads leading to each corner of the townsite.

The work was picked up and the streets were graded, and leveled. Two tractor engines pulled the graders, and practically all of the streets have been graded now.

The Bull Auto company and A. E. Kiles hitched an automobile on each of the big three section road drags, and they leveled the streets where the graders had pushed the dirt to the center of the street.

The big steam roller ran over the roughest places in the streets, and over the road which was filled in leading east from the Durley corner. The streets are in pretty good shape now.

A membership campaign for the Bull Business Men's association was launched at their last regular meeting Thursday evening, and the admission fee will be made at \$10, instead of \$15 for the next sixty days, and it is expected that the membership will be increased from seventy-five to one hundred live active members during the campaign.

The Auto club is an auxiliary of the Bull Business Men's association, and by being admitted to either, entitles a member to all of the privileges of the other.

As pretty a noon-day luncheon as has ever been given, was the one at which the Mesdames Hammel, Fritcher, Eastman and Thompson were hostesses on Saturday afternoon, which was given in honor of Miss Hazel Alford, whose marriage to Ross Ellison will be solemnized in the near future.

Good old St. Patrick was the man of the hour concerning the requirements have mistaken the Hammel home for "Lough Lough" but "Emerald Isle" itself.

About fifteen farmers and dairymen met at the commercial club rooms last Saturday afternoon to discuss plans for erecting another chicken house in the part of the country, and while no definite conclusion was reached, it was the unanimous opinion that such

a plan could be made to pay big dividends.

There will be an exhibition of pictures on 14 walls of the Bull high school on March 31st and April 1st, inclusive, representing the best reproductions from the masterpieces of the art galleries of the world, and the object of bringing this collection to Bull is to secure pictures for the walls of the public schools.

Nearly one hundred Oregonians gathered at the Bull open house last Saturday afternoon for the first annual celebration since coming here.

A permanent organization was perfected by selecting officers, consisting of a president, secretary, and treasurer.

The Oregon-Idaho club was formed with the following officers: M. D. L. Barstow, president and Dixie P. Oliver, secretary-treasurer.

Last Sunday evening the second Sunday Evening club service was held at the Rex. The attendance was good but not as good as the first night, but there was a marked increase of interest.

At the first meeting there were over two hundred present.

Four carloads of emigrant goods arrived from Nebraska this week, containing household goods, farming machinery and livestock, owned by parties who have purchased land on the Clever tract eight miles southeast of Bull.

The plans for the Bull Pioneer Day celebration are developing, and it is probable to be the biggest of the kind of its nature since the Cornucopia celebration last September.

EXAMINATION FOR POSTMASTER AT MURTAUGH

The United States civil service commission announces that on Saturday, April 8, an examination will be held at Murtaugh, Idaho, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Murtaugh, and our vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by re-promotion for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a state where women are admitted to the bar, women 21 years of age at the date of the examination may be admitted.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Murtaugh, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the commission at Washington at least ten days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

WATER MASTER'S REPORT ON MINIDOKA PROJECT

The net irrigable acreage for which rental applications were made on the South Side Pumping unit in 1915 was 40,252 acres, out of 47,020 acres in the project. Water was delivered to farm units containing 39,857 acres of which 38,183 acres were in cultivation. The average amount of water delivered was 2.74 acre-feet per acre in cultivation.

The total cost of operating and maintaining the pumping unit was \$87,440. Credits of about \$8,132 are due for the sale of water to the North Side-Twin Falls project and to the city of Burley, leaving a net cost of \$59,308, or an average of \$1.47 per acre under rental application and an average of \$1.25 for each acre in the project as compared with an average of \$1.36 per acre in 1913.

The bills for water on the entire irrigable acre for 1915 are as follows:

40,252 acres at \$1.25.....\$50,315.00
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4:30 p. m. 5:00 a. m.
1:00 p. m. 1:45 p. m.
3:45 p. m. 5:00 p. m.

Sunday

9:30 a. m. 10:00 a. m.
1:00 p. m. 1:45 p. m.
4:30 p. m. 5:00 p. m.
Special rate of 25 cents round trip
will be made each Saturday on all
trips.

Sept. 13, 1916. In effect until further notice.

R. R. SPAFFORD, Sec'y

IDAHIO SOUTHERN RAILROAD

Time Table—Effective Jan. 16, 1915.

No. 2 Daily Station. No. 1 Daily
8:30 a. m. Lv. Gooding. Ar 12:50 p. m.
8:55 a. m. Lv. Gooding. Ar 12:55 p. m.
9:10 a. m. Lv. Gooding. Ar 12:55 p. m.
9:15 a. m. Lv. Gooding. Ar 12:55 p. m.
9:45 a. m. Ar. Jerome. Lv 11:45 a. m.

J. H. RADOLFF,
General Passenger Agent,
Twin Falls, Idaho.

WANTS

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

1 Insertion, per word.....1c

All ads must be ordered for a stated length of time.

Read your ad the first time it appears and notify us immediately if an error appears.

Call or mail your requirements or phone 33.

Minimum total charge to be not less than 50c.

AUCTION SALES

We will clerk your sales and cash your notes at the following discount:

6 months notes, 5 per cent; 8 months notes, 6 per cent.

40 acres of Twin Falls South Side water right for sale. Warner Bros., Twin Falls, Idaho.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A modern 6-room bungalow, good location, plenty shade, etc. Address Owner, care Times.

\$250 BUYS A HOME, balance like rent. I have a 3-room house, well located. 101 Washington ave.

SINGLE COMB R. I. RED eggs for setting, 50 cents for 15. \$2.00 per hundred. Elsie Flowerdew, Room 3, Twin Falls.

FOR SALE—Three pool tables, one billiard, in good condition. Box 446, Wendell, Idaho.

FOR SALE—White Pearl and Early Eureka seed potatoes. R. W. Voorhees, 2 1/2 miles from Curry siding.

APPLES—Fancy Home Beauty, \$1.00 per box, delivered. Boyd H. Fuller, care 636-J.

FOR SALE—Noted Gem seed potatoes. J. C. Beatty, Phone 678-R-1.

FOR SALE—1 gelding coming four, weight 1700; 1 Holstein, fresh. W. E. Wallace, 4 mi. south of 1/2 mi. east of southeast corner of Main St.

FOR SALE, OR TRADE—a used Excelsior Motorcycle. Inquire at Glovett Brothers.

FOR SALE—Owner leaving the city, 3-room bungalow home. Address X, care Times.

FOR SALE—35 colonies of bees. Curry, at a bargain. Address 11, care Times, Box 174, Buhl, Idaho.

FOR SALE—Light roadster. Phone 108.

SAXON ROADSTER FOR SALE—Inquire R. P. Logan, Phone 108.

FOR SALE—Fine, large, young mare, 1600. One good, round, smooth mare, 1200. Set heavy harness, new, with collars, 3 1/2 wagon. New Deering blower, mower and windrower. Call 333 Third Ave. W.

FOR SALE—Second hand Studebaker roadster in good condition, at 1/2 price.

LEGAL PUBLICATION

CALL FOR BIDS \$50,000.00 WATER RIGHTS PURCHASE BY CITY OF TWIN FALLS, IDAHO.

The City Council of the City of Twin Falls, in the State of Idaho, will receive sealed bids, which may be addressed to R. M. Williams, City Clerk of Twin Falls, until nine o'clock A. M. on Wednesday the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1916, for the unconditional purchase of \$50,000.00 of "WA-

WANTS

TO RENT

WANTED—A 5 or 6-room house before April 1st. Phone 160-L.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Satisfactory for furnishing goods, understands and ready to wear. One who understands selling coats, suits, dresses and other kinds of women's wear. Apply to T. F. Givens experience and references.

WANTED—Man and wife for summer resort, operating lunch counter, natatorium and dance hall. Must have between three and four hundred dollars cash and property; will bear investigation. Address E. care Times for interview.

WANTED—Manager, by Farmers' Co-operative Association; must be experienced in D. E. bookkeeping, buying and selling grain, hogs, supplies, etc. Must be live, energetic, able to get business, willing to do warehouse work. No hoozer or "has been" need apply. References and particulars in first letter. C. F. Thime, secretary, Hansen, Idaho.

COOK FOR EUREKA HOTEL, Jerome. Must be good bread baker. See Stage Driver Fish.

SALESMAN WANTED—For the Twin Falls country. Excellent opportunity for good man between twenty-one and forty-five, who desires permanent connection with one of the great life insurance companies. Excellent contract and rapid promotion for honest, energetic man. "Old Time" agents not wanted. Thorough training in our methods will be given. All promotions made from our ranks. Address R. C. Pennington, Agency Director, Boise Branch, Western States Life Insurance Co., Boise, Idaho.

POSITIONS WANTED

WANTED—Position by woman as cook for small crew, or chamber work. R. A. care Times.

WANTED

WANTED—To sell 3-room house, well located, 2 blocks from school, \$600.00 down, balance monthly payments. 101 Washington ave.

WANTED—Second hand building. Would pay \$150 or \$200. Add. E. B. care Times.

LOST

LOST—Bunch of keys, between post office and Shoshone St. Finder please return to TIMES Office.

LOST—Schanfer self-filling fountain pen in business section of city. Return to TIMES and receive reward.

LOST—Black Astorhann muff, with pair leather mittens, on Kimberly road. Return to Times.

MISCELLANEOUS

Let me show how you can make over \$2000 in less than four months and good profit thereafter, selling an exclusive contract of water power or agent, here is your chance. Exclusive agency. Will be here only a few days. Come and see me now. L. A. Kalbus, 217 Rogerson Road.

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR TRADE—Wine trade stock of general merchandise for second hand car or equity in lot or livestock. Address H. M. care TIMES.

TER WORKS PURCHASE BONDS, 1916, SERIES A, of the City of Twin Falls, bearing 5 per cent. interest, dated April 1, 1916, optional for redemption April 1, 1926, absolutely due and payable April 1, 1936. Both principal and semi-annual interest payable at the First National Bank in the City and State of New York, U. S. A. Said bids will be opened by the City Council of the City of Twin Falls, in session therefor, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on the 29th day of March, A. D. 1916.

In cash in the City of Twin Falls not later than the hour of two o'clock P. M. on the first day of April, A. D. 1916.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my official hand and seal of the City of Twin Falls, Idaho, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1916.

RESE M. WILLIAMS, City Clerk.

(SEAL)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Serial No. 012848.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Halley, Idaho, February 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John E. White, of Twin Falls, Idaho, who on March 10, 1913, made homestead entry, Serial No. 012848, for SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, section 15, township 14 north, range 18 east, Boise Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Sigline, U. S. Commissioner, at Twin Falls, Idaho, on the 22nd day of April, 1916.

Claims, as witnesses: Edward B. McKelvie, John W. Langford, Blair Langford and W. A. Logan, all of Rogerson, Idaho.

DEN R. GRAY, Register.

NOTICE OF CALL FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the construction of a cistern at Berger, Twin Falls county, Idaho, will be received by the State Board of Land Commissioners until 10 a. m. April 12th, 1916, at which time they will be publicly opened. The work to be done consists, in general, of the excavation and lining of a 400-barrel cistern in the townsite of Berger, Twin Falls county, Idaho.

The said State Board of Land Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Full information and specifications may be secured from the undersigned.

J. H. SMITH, State Engineer.

—Adv.

WANTS

Report of the Condition of THE BANK OF ROGERSON

At Rogerson, in the State of Idaho, at the close of business, March 7th, 1916.

RESOURCES

Cash on hand.....\$ 10,222.30

Due from banks.....44,497.77

Checks and drafts on other banks.....1,125.50

Loans and discounts.....108,364.93

Banking house, furniture & fixtures.....5,250.28

Total.....\$169,373.78

LIABILITIES

Individual deposits subject to check.....\$ 47,734.58

Time certificates of deposit.....65,635.97

Cashier's checks.....506.00

Total deposits.....\$113,876.55

Capital stock paid in.....15,000.00

Surplus.....900.00

Undivided profits, less expenses, interest and taxes paid.....2,597.23

Total.....\$119,373.78

STATE OF IDAHO, County of Twin Falls, ss.

I, J. S. Russell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. S. RUSSELL, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest: JOHN MACRAE, J. H. McMILLAN, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1916.

I certify that an NOT an officer or director of this bank.

H. P. GIBBS, Notary Public.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 21, 1912, OF THE TIMES, published semi-weekly at Twin Falls, for April 1, 1916.

STATE OF IDAHO, County of Twin Falls, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. S. Russell, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and manager of THE TIMES and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 415, Federal Laws, and regulations printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Publisher, Times Printing & Publishing Company, Ltd., Twin Falls, Idaho; Editor, Harold M. Sims, managing editor, same; business manager, same.

2. That the owners are: Times Printing & Publishing Company, Ltd., Twin Falls, Idaho; Harold M. Sims, O. Langley, D. M. Denton, J. E. Finney, all of Twin Falls, Idaho; J. B. Barnard, of Rogerson, Idaho; and J. S. Russell, of Rogerson, Idaho.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent. or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Wilbur S. Hill.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the company or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation by whom such stock, bond, mortgage, or other security is held, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the correctness of the conditions under which all stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in

a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has reason to believe that no other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

5. THAT THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF COPIES OF EACH ISSUE OF THIS PUBLICATION SOLD OR DISTRIBUTED, THROUGH THE MAILS OR BY CARRIER, DURING THE MONTH ENDING THE DATE SHOWN ABOVE IS 4,500.

HAROLD M. SIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of March, 1916.

(SEAL) STUART H. TAYLOR.

My commission expires December 30, 1917.

REALTY TRANSFERS

From the Daily Transcript—Courtesy Twin Falls Title & Abstract Co.

T. C. Hale to H. N. Kulp, \$7200, N 1/2 SW, 35-10-17.

J. E. Henstock to R. C. Henstock, \$1, NW, 9-13-16.

A. K. Case to S. V. Hunt, \$12,275.75, lot 1 & SE NE, 5-10-15.

J. T. Powers to H. E. Booth, \$6500, NE NW, 35-10-17.

Idaho Orchard Land Co. to A. P. Robinson, lot 1, block 1, Idaho Orchard Pl. & Bldg. Co.

H. C. Prakes to J. Caudle, \$7500, S 1/2 SE, NW SE & SE SW, 12-15-12.

G. O. Young to C. W. Case, et al., \$5000, SW, 35-10-17.

Twin Falls Townsite Co. to C. C. Canine, \$150, lot 11, block 94, Twin Falls.

C. C. Canine to E. V. Berg, \$1, same lot.

C. P. Johnson to M. W. Johnson, \$1500, NW, 35 & 32 NW, 11-10-16.

G. J. Peters to Western Loan & Building Co., \$1, lots 1-2, block 10, Amertman.

TRANSFERS—C. Ockler to E. H. Harding, \$10, part SE NW, 8-10-16.

J. S. Keel to J. A. Barrett, \$1, S 1/2 NE, NW, 35-10-17.

W. Dinkie to W. G. Andrews, \$500, NE NE, 34-10-17.

J. R. Hall to L. C. Paulkner, \$150, lot 9, block 12, Twin Falls.

J. E. Hill to Mary Cummings, \$550, lot 12, block 12, Twin Falls.

R. B. Williams to C. H. Culver, \$5000, SW, 12-10-16.

W. B. Wolfe to J. J. Columbia, \$1000, lots 3-4, block 84, Twin Falls.

R. G. Benson to W. H. Patton, \$100, lot 1, block 1, East Lawn Add. Twin Falls.

A. D. Stafford to C. A. Bradard, \$200, lot 6, block 128, Twin Falls.

W. L. Craven to D. Morris, \$1, lots 17-18, block 6, South Park Add. Twin Falls.

A. A. Carlson to E. Herbst, \$550, lot 13, block 68, Twin Falls.

S. J. Ball, et al. to P. S. Round, \$5400, SW NW, 14-10-18.

W. Anderson to P. S. Round, \$5400, SE NW, 14-10-18.

A. S. Kerr to C. M. Merrick, \$425, lots 9-10, block 82, Twin Falls.

C. H. Ginnard to R. B. Smith, \$400, lot 2, block 1, East Lawn Add. Twin Falls.

J. L. Breeding to I. A. Patton, \$6200, E 1/2 SE, 35-10-14.

E. Herbst to A. R. Osterander, \$1, lot 9, block 97, Twin Falls.

W. R. Moran to H. J. Idema, \$1, SE SE, 10-13.

G. S. Aldrich to H. O. Brown, \$750, part lots 9-10, block 2, Twin Falls.

D. J. Overend to G. H. Smith, \$1000, lot 3, block 107, Twin Falls.

F. Stricklin to S. Swanson, \$5600, NW NW, 27-9-15.

W. L. Davidson, receiver, to L. B. Franck, \$2000, lot 7, block 18, Twin Falls.

J. J. Smith to LaVola Gifford, \$8800, W 1/2 SE, 17-10-14.

Kimberly Townsite Co. to D. T. Turner, \$250, lot 1, block 28, Kimberly.

E. Felt to L. L. Breckenridge, \$1500, lot 5, block 24, Twin Falls.

Twin Falls Co-operative Orchards Co. to E. W. Anger, \$2000, lot 30, Twin Falls Heights Sub.

S. Morley to E. A. Aman, \$400, S 1/2 NW, NE SW, 20-10-16.

W. H. Long to C. A. Blair, \$10, E 1/2 NE & E 1/2 SE, 34-14-17 & lots 1-2, SE SE, 34-17.

