

LAST OF TROOPS LEAVE FOR THE HOME STATIONS

First Battalion Leaves in Special Train for North With Lewiston, Coeur d'Alene, Sandpoint and Grangeville Companies.

BOISE BARRACKS ALMOST DESERTED

Only Six Men Who Are Ill and Officers Who Are Checking Up on Equipment Left—Receptions Given Returning Troops.

The last train of Idaho National guardsmen, comprising the First battalion, pulled out of Boise this afternoon for north Idaho. The Boise barracks is now practically deserted.

NAMPA COMPANY AT HOME. Nampa, Jan. 27.—Company B of Nampa was given a royal welcome home last night. A reception, banquet and dance formed the program for the evening.

RECEPTION AT CALDWELL. Caldwell, Jan. 27.—A cordial reception was given to company G, of the Second Idaho infantry on its arrival here last night.

Baggage delivery. Auto delivery for country and long trips. Phone 73. Peasley Transfer & Storage Co.

TRYING TO SAVE DR. WAITE

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John E. Peck, in the same way before resorting to poison as a more effective means.

MASS OF TESTIMONY.

It is understood that a mass of testimony from Frank Waite, brother of the condemned man, and other members of his family will be presented to the court of appeals in an effort to show that the arch-poisoner was of unsound mind.

The condemned man, it is said, has appeared in an unusually cheerful mood ever since he was taken to Sing Sing. He has repeatedly declared to his fellow-prisoners and attendants that the hours since his conviction have been the happiest of his life.

MILLIONS FOR BOISE VALLEY

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collection for 42 farms of non-vested water right lands, covering an irrigated area of 2895 1/2 acres.

FIGURES TELL THE STORY.

The total value of the crops and the average value per acre are given below:

Table with columns: Crop, Total, Per acre. Includes Alfalfa hay, Alfalfa seed, Alsike seed, Apples, Artichokes, Barley, Beans, Beets, Sugar, Clover hay, Clover seed, White, Corn, Indian, Corn, sorghum, Corn, fodder, Corn, pop, Fruits, small, Garden, Hay, except above, Millet seed, Oats, Onions, Onion seed, Pasture, Peaches, Pears, Potatoes, sweet, Potatoes, sweet, Rye, Wheat.

Total and avg. \$2,327,493.55 \$ 32.97

IN JAIL FOR SHOOTING

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parents. Mrs. Smith is 43 years old. Her husband was 23.

"He subjected me to every humiliation," she said. "He dragged me from pillar to post about the country. He refused to do a man's work or earn a living for me. He was drunken, unfaithful, vile."

THE GRIP.

Grip is something of a joke to those who have never had it, but when they get it they become dead to all sense of humor. No disease was ever more appropriately named because grip takes hold of the entire system.

House Resolutions and Memorials

House joint memorial, by committee on forests and forestry—Asking congress to create a national forest out of the Thunder mountain region.

Inactivity Causes Constipation.

Lack of exercise in the winter is a frequent cause of constipation. You feel heavy, dull and listless, your complexion is sallow and pimply, and energy at low ebb. Clean up this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills, a mild laxative that relieves the congested intestines without griping.

Transoms can be raised and lowered like a window shade with a device an Oregon inventor has patented.

Most of the lead mined in the United States is smelted in three states—Missouri, Idaho and Utah.

HOUSE BILLS

House bill 128 by Kribs, Anderson of Canyon, Richards and Cannon—Giving to appointees of governor removed for cause the right to reply to charges filed by governor with the secretary of state and allowing governor to remove clerks or others appointed by his appointees.

House bill No. 129 by Wickham—Requiring collection of automobile or motorcycle license from owners covering remainder of year after automobile is purchased.

House bill No. 130, by Sims—Establishing a state board of health combining board of health, board medical examiners, osteopathic examiners and state dairy, food and sanitary inspector.

House bill No. 131, by Wickham—Creating the Big Creek game preserve in Lemhi county.

House bill No. 132, by livestock committee—Amending her district law so district may include one or more voting precincts.

House bill No. 133, by committee on roads, bridges and ferries. Creating a bond issue of \$1,000,000 for building roads in Idaho.

House bill No. 134, by Anderson of Canyon and Richards—Requiring executive officers of every state institution to make monthly report of institution incomes, other than legislative appropriations, to the governor.

House bill No. 135, by committee on horticulture and agriculture—Creating state board of agriculture composed of secretary of state, state treasurer, director farm markets, state veterinarian and state horticultural inspector.

SENATE BILLS

Senate bill No. 70, by Grant—Prescribing rules for establishing forestry tracts to encourage the growing of nut-bearing and hardwood trees.

Senate bill No. 71, by Heiss—Pertaining to license of motor vehicles, fixing minimum license fee at \$10; maximum at \$50.

Senate bill No. 72, by Pettibone—Relating to duties of county school superintendents.

Senate bill No. 73, by Hill, Stevenson, Cummings, Jackson, Evans, Curtis Kinsolving—Creating two congressional districts in the state and designating counties in each.

THE LIEUTENANT'S BET.

When Lieutenant Hearst was promoted he reported for duty to the commanding officer of a western post. His superior officer treated him coolly. "Young man," he said, "I have a letter from your former colonel down in Texas, and he tells me that, although efficient, you have a weakness for betting. I won't stand for it in this regiment, s'r, do you understand? You could not hire me to make a bet. What do you bet about, anyway?"

"Colonel, I'll bet you anything," said the youngster. "I'll bet you \$25 now that you have a scar on your right shoulder."

"What, s'r?" said the colonel. "I'll take that bet." Off came the blouse, then the shirt, then the undershirt, and the lieutenant lost the bet.

Then the commander admonished the lieutenant, and afterward wrote the following letter to the colonel in Texas: "The youngster was not in my office two minutes before he bet me \$25 I had a scar on my left shoulder. Of course, he lost, but I hope he will be benefited by the experience."

And then came the answer, which said: "The youngster was right. Before he left this post he bet me \$100 that he would have your shirt off five minutes after he met you."—New York Times.

Dorothy Phillips will be the star in the Bluebird picture, "The Piper's Price," a mixed foursome of domestic infidelity.

NATURE OUTDONE BY MAN'S ENGINES ON THE SOMME FRONT



This grotesque figure, standing like a sentinel in the midst of a sea of debris, and resembling closely nature's monoliths, was once a majestic oak. Its surroundings—the splinters, logs and the sentinels seen in the distance, were once trees like this one and they all constituted a majestic forest "somewhere on the Somme front." Man's engines of destruction have mowed most of them down and have left only these few grim monuments to the ruthlessness of war.

Around the Boise Valley Loop

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PAYMENT OF TAXES SHOWS ABUNDANCE OF READY MONEY

Increase in Amount Paid in at Office of Canyon County Treasurer Over That in Previous Years.

Caldwell, Jan. 27.—Reflective of the great prosperity featuring all parts of Canyon county, is the fact that the taxes for the first half of this year collected by Mrs. Sarah Handy, county treasurer, were over \$17,000 in excess of the amount collected by her at the first half of the taxes for last year.

The payments of this year are also more prompt. Then there were over 1400 delinquents last year and this year there are only 1285. In 1914, before Gem county was created by a division of this county, the total taxes were \$487,921.25. The following year they were \$445,095.71, while this year they are \$482,400.21, indicative of the fact that through the new lands placed on the tax roll and the increased valuation of property the valuation of the county property is only slightly over \$5000 below what it was before its division.

News From Meridian.

Meridian, Jan. 27.—S. T. Turpin left this morning for Montana points where he will look after business interests for some 10 days.

Miss Shepherd, of Caldwell, is visiting here as the guest of her sister.

Sol Hasbroeck is reported quite ill with an attack of typhoid fever.

E. Kennedy, of Portland, a former business man of this place, is visiting here this week as the guest of friends.

Charles Callison, of Caldwell, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Allen Wilcox and little daughter, Frances, are visiting in Boise, as the guests of Mrs. Wilcox's mother, Mrs. J. T. Morrison.

Mrs. D. G. McCellan who has been quite ill with an attack of bronchial pneumonia is reported to be improving.

The purchase of a Victrola for the pupils of the grade school is being advocated by the local Parent-Teachers' circle and it will probably be made at an early date.

The birth of a daughter is reported to Mr. and Mrs. Buell Hawkins.

The local cemetery association has formulated plans for another entertainment for the purpose of securing funds for the improvement of the cemetery and Friday evening, has been designated as the date for the event.

According to present plans, special motion picture films will be shown at the Idle Hour theater and musical numbers rendered in connection as features of the affair. The arrangement of the program has been committed to a committee composed of Allen Wilcox, Mrs. C. L. Dutton, Mrs. G. A. Remington, Arthur Frazier and Arthur Garrett.

Mrs. Lucy Merton and children are visiting in Boise today.

Gilbert Daly is a business visitor to Boise today.

Harold Salsbury is transacting business in Boise today.

Misses Anna Baker and Blanche Clark are visiting in Boise today as the guests of friends.

Baptismal services will be held at the Christian church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Caldwell News Notes.

Caldwell, Jan. 27.—Judge E. L. Bryan was a business visitor to Boise last evening.

Mrs. Harry Leiser, of Nampa, is visiting in the city as the guest of friends.

Attorney Thomas E. Buckner was a business visitor to Boise yesterday.

B. M. Holt, manager of the Caldwell M'Ning and Elevator company is transacting business in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Binford and Mrs. W. A. Binford have returned from an extended trip to southern California.

Presley Horne, grand secretary of the state I. O. O. F. lodge, has returned from an official trip of a week to the Twin Falls country.

Max Mayfield, of Boise, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

County Attorney A. F. Stone, transacted official business in Nampa yesterday.

Nampa Brevities.

Nampa, Jan. 27.—F. E. Lloyd was a business visitor to Boise yesterday.

The birth of a boy baby is reported at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Hill.

Mrs. F. S. Cunningham, who has been quite ill the past several days, is reported to be much improved.

Clarence Lytle and family left Wednesday for Colorado Springs, where they will make their future home. Mr. Lytle has accepted a position as traveling salesman with an assignment of Colorado as his business territory.

Mrs. S. N. Glass was hostess at a Kensington at which 30 women were guests Thursday afternoon.

Thursday evening Mrs. J. J. Walling entertained a number of relatives and friends at a dinner party at the Dewey Palace hotel. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Madden, Miss Helen Madden, Neal Madden and Miss Florence Hoffman, of Caldwell, and Mrs.

HEAVY SELLING ON THE GRAIN MARKET CAUSES DECLINES

Liquidation Result of Renewed Peace Talk—Close Heavy at Prices Much Lower Than Yesterday.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—Peace talk led to heavy general selling today in the wheat market here. Prices weakened rapidly. Opening quotations which ranged from 1/2 to 3/4% lower with May 1.78 to 1.80 and July 1.50 to 1.55%, were followed by moderate further declines and then something of a rally. Subsequently the market suffered a much steeper fall, amounting at the extreme point to 7/8% a bushel. Liquidation on automatic stop loss orders attained unusually large proportions.

Portland, Jan. 27.—Wheat, lower, no trading. Spot bids 6 to 8 off. Blue-stem, 1.56; forty-fold, 1.63; club, 1.62; red Russian, 1.50.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Chicago. (Capital News Special Service.) Chicago, Jan. 27.—Market 5 higher than yesterday's average. Bulk, 11.35@11.60; light, 11.10@11.60; led, 11.15@11.70; heavy, 11.20@11.70; rough, 11.20@11.35.

Cattle—Market steady. Native beef cattle, 7.75@11.90; western steers, 7.75@10; stockers and feeders, 6@9; cows and heifers, 5@10.25; calves, 11@16.

Sheep—Market steady. Wethers, 9.75@11.25; ewes, 7.50@10.40; lambs, 11.75@14.35.

South Omaha. Jan. 27.—Hogs—Receipts 12,500. Market steady to 10 higher. Bulk, 11@11.35; top, 11.45; range, 10.50@11.45; mixed and butchers, 10.90@11.35; good to choice heavy, 11.30@11.46; rough heavy, 11.10@11.25; light, 10.60@11.50; pigs, 8.75@10.50.

Cattle—Receipts 100. Market nominal. Native steers, 8@11.60; cows and heifers, 7@9; western steers, 7@10.50; Texas steers, 6.50@8; stockers and feeders, 6.50@10.

Sheep—Receipts none. Market steady. Yearlings, 10.75@12.50; wethers, 8.50@10.50; lambs, 13@14.25.

North Portland. (Capital News Special Service.) North Portland, Jan. 27.—Hogs—Receipts, 220. Market, steady. Prime heavies, 11.05@11.10; prime lights, 9.90@11; heavies, 9.90@10.50; pigs, 9.50@10; stock hogs, 8@9.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 25. Market, steady. Bulls, 3.75@6.25; best beef steers, 8.25

WHAT TO DO FOR BAD COLDS. If you want a cure medicine that gives quick and sure action in healing colds, coughs or croup, get Foley's Honey and Tar. It heals inflamed or swollen membranes in throat, chest or bronchial tubes; breaks up tight coughs, loosens the phlegm, makes breathing easier, stops tickling in throat. W. F. Thomas, Summerville, Ga., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is a most efficient remedy for coughs, hoarseness, etc. I have used it with excellent results." Whitehead Drug Store. Adv-t-th-s

Advertisement for MAJESTIC SOUTHERN EDITH STOREY IN AN ENEMY TO THE KING. THIS WAS MR. SOTHERN'S GREATEST STAGE SUCCESS. YOUNG HACKENSCHMIDT CHAMPION LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHT WRESTLER OF THE WORLD, AND COMPANY IN SPORTS OF OLD ROME. VAN AND YORK IN A DELINEATION OF CHATTER AND SONG.

Advertisement for CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG in "A GIRL LIKE THAT" and "Miss Jackie of the Navy". Includes showtimes and venue information for MONDAY and TUESDAY at the Strand.

Advertisement for I-S-I-S featuring MARGARITA FISCHER and IRENE FENWICK OWEN MOORE. Includes showtimes and venue information for MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY at Paramount Pictures.