

RECLAMATION LEGISLATION'S RESOLUTION WIRED TO COMMISSIONER

Text of Request of Local Post for Soldiers' Preferential Rights Given Out—Committee of Investigation Named.

The reclamation resolution adopted Monday night by John Regan post, American Legion, wiring state land commissioners to establish preferential rights for ex-service men in filings on irrigation projects and calling for national legislation granting the same privileges was wired Tuesday evening to W. G. Swendsen, state commissioner of reclamation, who is in Washington, D. C. Copies were also sent to Idaho's representatives in congress, to the members of the state board of land commissioners and to the secretary of the Idaho Reclamation association.

INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE. A supplemental action taken by the legion post Monday night, was the authorization of a committee to investigate the promotion of the Bruneau project. In the language of the motion, this committee is instructed to "investigate the so-called Bruneau project and report whether or not there is a possibility that the proposition as now presented by the backers of that project may injure the rights of the returned soldiers of Idaho and the nation."

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CONTENTS OF RESOLUTION. The "preferential rights" resolution as given out Tuesday declares in its preamble that the legion consistently upholds reclamation of arid, swamp and cut-over lands; that the use of waters in Idaho is public and subject to state control; and that Idaho has as yet done nothing toward providing homes for its returned service men and women on state reclamation projects. The text of the resolution states four district recommendations, as follows: First, national legislation for reclamation of arid, swamp and cut-over lands, with preferential rights to returned service men and women on all projects. Second, national legislation to provide loans for service men and women not able to establish homes on projects. Third, provision in all state contracts for reclamation projects for preferential rights of entry to service men and women. Fourth, state legislation to establish definitely the powers of state land officials to enforce such provisions.

Boise Chamber of Commerce Forum

NEW FILING SYSTEM. Organization of the administrative machinery of the Chamber of Commerce is proceeding rapidly under the direction of Secretary W. H. P. Hill, a new bookkeeping system having been installed and also a complete filing system put in. This system is simple in arrangement but so thorough that any information desired of the working of the chamber can be had almost immediately.

SEEKING LOCATION. Frank Patterson and James Brennan, former citizens of Bemidji, Minn., registered at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday and had a talk with Secretary Hill for the purpose of securing some information as to available city or county property as they intend to locate here. Both have been younger days but are very earnest in their desire to become located in the Boise valley.

TO TALK ON HOUSING. An informal talk on the housing problem as it has been handled in other places and suggestions which may be of value in its solving here will be given at the luncheon at the Chamber

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EMMETT IS FACING COAL SHORTAGE NOW WORST DURING YEAR

With Mill Closed Down Citizens Unable Even to Get Slabs or Kindling—Merchants Need Fuel.

(Capital News Special Service). Emmett, Jan. 14.—Emmett is facing right now the most serious coal shortage it has experienced so far this winter. Even some of the merchants here have no coal to heat their stores. The situation here is all the more aggravated by reason of the big sawmill here being shut down while the annual repairs are being made. Hence, no slab or kindling wood is obtainable at present. A car of coal arrived here Monday morning, but it was all distributed to the city in 500 pound lots. The fuel situation here is grave, unless coal is received immediately. SURPRISED THEIR FRIENDS. A complete surprise was sprung upon their friends here by Mrs. Emma C. King and E. O. Bosteder, who quietly slipped away to Caldwell and were married last Thursday by Judge Dunlap. The happy couple proceeded to Boise and then returned to Emmett Saturday evening. Mr. Bosteder is a well known farmer on the famous Emmett bench. His bride for the past year has operated with much success the Blackman rooming house here. She will assist in its operation until the latter part of the month when her daughter, Mrs. Mabel King, will take over the rooming house. She in turn will be assisted by Miss Grace King. Mr. and Mrs. Bosteder will make their home on the Emmett bench.

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3000 CHARITY BALL TUESDAY EVENING

Event Attended by Hundreds of Citizens—Held in Mosque Which Was Beautifully Decorated for Occasion.

HANDSOME GOWNS WORN Brilliant Effect Gained Through Touch of the Pageantry Which Is Feature of Modern Social Functions.

The annual charity ball opened at El Korah Mosque Tuesday evening with distinction and an even more brilliant effect gained through the introduction of a touch of the pageantry which at present features every large social function. This innovation took the form of a "Cinderella Pageant" which, under Miss Harris' clever professional direction, was a very beautiful feature of the evening. The "Cinderella" was "Cinderella," Agnes Cruzen, the prince, Elise Sproat the fairy godmother. The train bearers were: Virginia Switzer and Elizabeth Sproat; the herds, Benedetta Yriondo and Arlyle Bowen, while the capering hirs slipper bearer was tiny Paquita Yriondo. It was a pleasing feature and one that received delighted applause and words of praise.

Prosper Aveline, president of the Associated Charities, followed with Mrs. Aveline, Councilman Hoover and Earl Hastings, the members of the floor committee and the long procession of couples assembled for the dance. BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS. The ball room blazed with light and color, the flags of the allied nations decorating the stage and walls, with the American and English colors draping the handstand. The stage where punch was served, bore a silken standard of the American flag at either end with a cluster of small flags of the allies decorating the arch at each side. Punch was served from two immense cut glass bowls at a table decorated with red candles in tall brass candlesticks and red carnations in a crystal bowl. Ropes of evergreens were festooned about the walls of the room and the bronze chandeliers shaded in autumn foliage.

The decoration committee, composed of Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, and Miss Margaret Cobb, produced an effect in the adornment of the dining room which was beautifully appropriate to the season and very pleasing to the eye. Christmas trees were grouped about the room, holly wreaths with long rose colored streamers were hung in each window and a similar decoration brightened the supporting pillars and wall spaces.

STRIKING ELECTRIC EFFECTS. The tables were lovely with rose pink carnations and ferns arranged in silver vases.

Three pouring tables where six ladies at a time presided, were arranged near the head of the room, the center table having a wide strip of the predominating rose color extending down the middle of the snowy cloth which was crowned with a great cluster of rose colored carnations and ferns in a silver basket. Silver candelabra bearing tall yellow candles were at each end. Wreaths of holly tied with rose colored bows and narrow streamers were added to the charming appearance of the long table.

Augmenting the general effect of rose color and green, were the rose shaded electric lights, shedding a sparkling glow over the whole room. The flowers were very generously donated by the Bayhouse and the Boise Floral companies. The music was one of the delightful features of the evening and was furnished by "Tompkins" orchestra, with Earl Hastings, of the University of Idaho at the piano.

VARIOUS COMMITTEES. On the committee of arrangements were: Mrs. Clinton, Mrs. Leo F. Falk and Mrs. Crawford Moore. The assisting chairmen were: Mrs. Dirks, Mrs. Haskett, Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Cobb. Miss Agnes Davidson and Miss Mary Daly had charge of the punch. The ladies who poured were: Mrs. F. F. Johnson, Mrs. Ramon Yriondo, Mrs. Sam Ballentyne, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. H. Hays, Mrs. R. M. Davidson, Mrs. Courtland Northrup, Mrs. L. L. Ormsby, Mrs. F. S. Dietrich and Mrs. Frank Parsons.

BEAUTIFUL GOWNS WORN. Among the beautiful costumes noted on the floor were Mrs. Prosper Aveline, black net; Mrs. M. McKelvey, orange draped with gold lace; Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, pale violet; Mrs. Crawford Moore, taupe and silver with rose color; Mrs. Haskett, black velvet; Mrs. W. W. Davidson, silver brocade; Mrs. Carl Dirks, violet; Mrs. R. H. Johnson, black and silver; Mrs. James H. Hawley, Jr., white satin; Mrs. McWatters, blue tulle and silk; Miss Florence Kramer, blue and silver; Mrs. F. F. Johnson, black net and jet trimming; Mrs. Frank Eastman, white satin and silver lace; Mrs. W. McIntyre, black over silver; Mrs. Dolling, black chantilly and net; Mrs. Harry Falk, black georgette; Mrs. Charles McClellan, yellow crepe; black net; Mrs. Gerald Harvey, purple velvet and black lace; Mrs. Archie Lake, black brocade and black beaded net; Miss Cobb, yellow satin; Miss Thompson, rose colored taffeta; Mrs. McKelvey, white and lace; Mrs. Leon Simpson, black net and iridescent; Mrs. J. Carl Hill, rose panne velvet and rhinestones; Mrs. Harry Lingreen, black net beaded with jet and silver scarf; Mrs. Ben Wood, brocade and rose buds; Mrs. Allen Stein, yellow silk; Mrs. Stephen Regan, apple green and pearl iridescent; Mrs. Tom Bowler, black embroidered in gold over salmon pink; Mrs. Agnew, black net over white and a rose scarf; Mrs. Yriondo, taupe and diamonds; Miss Ruth Orr, pale lavender and iridescent trimmings; Mrs. Otto M. Jones, emerald green and pink roses; Mrs. Menzies, black lace, gold embroidery; Mrs. L. L. Ormsby, black tulle and jet; Mrs. E. J. Dockery, black net with jetted trimming; Mrs. A. G. Randall,

pink chiffon and iridescent; Mrs. Slick, black lace over salmon; Mrs. A. Robinson, blue; Mrs. J. A. Baker, net on and silver; Mrs. Sam Lane, black and silver; Mrs. Morris, Belgian blue; Mrs. W. A. Bennett, corn color and gold; Mrs. Ruth Mackey, cerise and silver; Mrs. Irma Mackey, rose and cream; Mrs. Ross Wade, black velvet; Mrs. John St. Clair, orchid and silver embroidered net; Mrs. John Wall, bronze satin velvet; Mrs. Duncan Johnston, rose and grey tulle. OUT-OF-TOWN GUEST. A charming out-of-town guest, the wife of the chairman of the Armenian Relief Fund, was Mrs. Phillips of Florida, who wore cream lace over cream satin, a very lovely costume. Miss Summerville of Jordan Valley wore a striking gown of silver net over white satin with girle and court train of yellow orchid and a big bouquet of violets; Mrs. George Cruzen, white and black lace with blue; Mrs. J. H. Black wore a gown of iridescent beading over pink georgette; Mrs. Pascoe E. Carter, pomegranate tulle over silver; Mrs. Robert Mayfield, silver and blue; Mrs. N. Rowis, white tulle over silver; Mrs. Mary Daly, orange and blue chiffon and girle of same colors; Miss McCate, white and pearl trimmings; Mrs. Gordon Smith, black lace over black satin; Mrs. Sproat, black net and touch of gold; Mrs. Brandt, black and gold; Miss Mayfield, yellow striped chiffon over silk; Mrs. A. M. Abrams, blue net over silver; Mrs. J. M. Spanburg, salmon pink charmeuse; Mrs. Bruce, taupe and pale blue; Mrs. Harry Shellworth, silver lace over pink; Mrs. Ralph Falk, white and lavender; Miss Tennell, black tulle; Mrs. Jack Skillem, midnight blue tulle; Mrs. Roy L. Black, black lace over silver; blue trimming; Miss Daniskin, blue with white lace; Miss Agnes Davidson, black net; Mrs. J. E. Clinton, Jr., blue and silver brocade; Mrs. George Wyman, corn color and cream Spanish lace; Mrs. J. Hays, blue; Mrs. Parsons, white satin; Mrs. Frank Ensign, pale green and white lace; Mrs. Stoutemeyer, black net; Miss Esther Audrey, white lace and blue; Mrs. John Archabal, taupe georgette, silver lace; Mrs. Raymond Moore, tan georgette self beaded; Mrs. Kilgensmith, white charmeuse; Miss Laura Scholes, black net, black and gold girle; Mrs. T. J. Jones, beaded chiffon over rose colored georgette and blue sash; Miss Inez Skillem, black chiffon; Mrs. Leon Simpson, black net with iridescent ornamentation; Miss Ina Fletcher, mauve satin; Mrs. Leo Seller, old rose velvet; Mrs. Howard Stein, black net jet beading; Miss Tucker, deep blue velvet; Mrs. Violet Black, king blue velvet; Mrs. Worthwine, yellow over white; Mrs. Deary, white satin; Mrs. Franklin Coats, pale blue net over silk; Mrs. Chester Scott, pink tulle and taffeta; Mrs. James Torrance, blue with pearl trimming; Mrs. Sam Ballentyne, orchid yellow taffeta and gold with hat to match; Mrs. R. M. Davidson, pale green brocade with gold; Mrs. Leo F. Falk, gold brocade and iridescent; Mrs. H. J. Ashby, flame color; Mrs. Kate Kerr, black

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Attention, Masons Special Meeting, Thursday, 2:00 p. m. FUNERAL of our late brother, ROBERT H. MAHANEY Hall at 2 p. m. Summers & Krebs chapel 2:30 p. m. BRING YOUR CAR Oriental Lodge No. 60, A. F. & A. M.

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LEGAL NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That pursuant to Chapter 95 of the Session laws of the state of Idaho for the year 1919, approved March 15, 1919 and pursuant to the resolution of the State Board of Examiners of said state, duly adopted and entered in the record and minutes of the proceedings of the said board, on the twelfth day of January, 1920, a certified copy of which resolution or order has been delivered to the undersigned, treasury notes of the state of Idaho in the total principal sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00) par value, maturing one year from date, without option of prior payment, in denominations to suit the purchasers, at a rate of interest not exceeding 5 1/2 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, will be sold by the undersigned state treasurer of the state of Idaho, local delivery. Sealed bids for the purchase of said treasury notes, specifying in addition to the price offered, the rate of interest at which the bidder will purchase the said notes and the denominations desired, will be received by me at my office in the capitol building, at Boise, Idaho, on or before 10 o'clock, a. m., on the twenty-sixth day of January, 1920. Each of said bids shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$10,000, as a guarantee that the bidder will accept the said treasury notes in accordance with the terms of his bid, should it be accepted. Purchaser to furnish lithographed treasury notes ready for official signatures. Bids requested on payment of principal and interest at treasury office, in Boise, Idaho, in New York exchange. Legality of law has been approved by supreme court of Idaho. All bids shall be subject to rejection. All bids will be opened immediately after 10 o'clock, a. m., on said twenty-sixth day of January, 1920, and said treasury notes will be sold to the highest and best bidder. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, no such treasury notes shall be sold on any other terms than that of cash, nor for less than the par value thereof and accrued interest, if any. Dated at Boise, Idaho, this fourteenth day of January, 1920. JOHN W. EAGLESON, Treasurer of the state of Idaho. —Adv. J 23

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LEGAL NOTICE. NOTICE. Storage sale to be held at 419 South Eighth street at 1:30 p. m., Jan. 24, 1920. W. ABBEY. One heating stove, 3 joints stove pipe, 1 stove board, 1 mirror, 1 crate table fills, 1 ironing board, 1 bundle mop sticks, 4 iron bed ends, 2 bundles 4 bed rails, 1 clothes rack, 2 brooms, 1 washing machine, 1 roll rugs, 1 table and linoleum, 2 bed springs, 2 tables, 1 bundle window shades, 2 barrels and contents, 1 tub and contents, 2 trunks, 2 buckets and contents, 2 rolls bedding, 1 ice box, 3 mattresses, 1 sleigh, 1 library table, 1 war bag, 1 box household goods, 2 wash boards, 1 crate, 2 dressers, 15 chairs, 2 rocking chairs, 1 carpet sweeper. H. B. WRIGHT. Two boxes, 22 trunks, 1 oil stove, Storage due \$22. MRS. J. F. CROCKER. One sanitary couch, 3 bronze bed sides, 1 bed spring, 2 wood bed ends, 1 lot bedding, 3 mattresses, 1 oil stove, 1 can, 2 sacks burlap, 1 crate silk, 1 curtain frame, 1 lot bundle, 1 lot typewriter, 1 gun, 5 tables, 14 boxes household goods, 2 pieces marble, 11 chairs, 6 rockers, 1 stove board, 1 tub, 2 dressers, 2 barrels dishes, 1 trunk, 1 looking glass, feather beds, 1 rug, 1 ironing board, 3 joints pipe, 1 book rack, 1 deer head, Storage, \$48.25. ALBERT ELMQUIST. One trunk, 1 tool chest. Storage amount, \$13.75. J. H. GEORGE. One roll mattresses, 1 rocker, 1 trunk, 1 sewing machine, 1 bundle rugs, 1 boiler, 1 box, 1 clothes rack, 1 picture frame. Storage amount, \$12.50. MRS. MARY HEIM. One lot stage scenery. Storage, \$30. T. J. MORRISON. One boiler and contents, 1 sanitary cot. Storage, \$3.50. GRAVES DRAYAGE & STORAGE CO., LTD. Adv. J. 23

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