

The German State Bank
Cottonwood, Idaho
CAPITAL & SURPLUS \$30,000.00

FEELING "AT HOME"

One of our ambitions is to have folks feel at home in this bank; to cultivate geniality and good will; to promote that feeling that **The German State Bank** is a home institution, ready to serve our home people at all times.

You will always find a welcome here; you are entitled to our time and attention, whether you bank here or elsewhere.

E. M. EHRHARDT, Pres. M. M. BELKNAP, Vice Pres.
H. C. MATTHIESEN, Cashier.

COTTONWOOD AND VICINITY

Mrs. W. W. Thompson and baby, of Fenn, left Tuesday morning for Zumwalt, Oregon, for an extended visit with relatives.

Note the change in name of president of the Ferdinand State bank, E. M. Ehrhardt having acquired the Henry Kuther interest in that bank.

Miss Agnes Bolon of Juliaetta, visited a brother this week at Keuter-ville, before the latter leaves for Butte where he registered and was drawn in the draft.

Fred Pfannebecker of Winona tried out his new Buick car Sunday by making the round trip from his home to Clarkston—135 miles—in about ten hours.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McClean, recent arrivals from Vollmer, are opening a second-hand store in Cottonwood, in the building opposite the Rooke hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Homar and son returned home Tuesday from Vancouver, Wash., where they had been visiting relatives, and where they formerly resided. Mr. Homar is employed at the Farmers Union Warehouse.

Tom Randall has moved his confectionery store from the Simoa building to the Peterson building, next to the First National Bank. The room just vacated by Mr. Randall will be occupied by the local Nez Perce telephone office.

Jesse and Kathryn McMahon of Boles went to Genesee the first of the week to attend school the coming winter. They will make their home with their grandparents who reside there. Their mother came with them as far as Cottonwood.

It is reported that Willis Turner, one of the prosperous farmers near Winona, harvested the biggest crop of wheat of the season off his farm, finishing up last week. One of his fields, consisting of about 100 acres yielded 40 bushels to the acre.

Leo C. Funke, who was recently selected in the army draft, has ordered his Chronicle sent to him at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., in which army camp he is now training. Leo had been cashier of the Fidelity state bank at Orofino for some time.

Floyd V. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Baker, left Saturday for Spokane, where he will attend the Gonzaga university during the winter term. Floyd's place in the store is being ably filled by Miss Minnie Lang, a former typesetter in this office.

C. M. Fargo of Winona passed through town Tuesday enroute to Lewiston where he will spend several days on business. He has just finished threshing and reports the spring grain as running 60 per cent and the fall grain 50 per cent of the average crop.

Percy Puyear, an enterprising rancher from ten miles east of Grangeville, was in the city Saturday. On Oct. 3, at Cottonwood—the last day of the Farmers Institute—Mr. Puyear will sell at auction sale his fine herd of Holstein dairy cattle. See printed hills later.

Dr. P. P. Peterson, of the Dept. of Soil Technology, University of Idaho, was a Cottonwood visitor Sunday. Dr. Peterson is at present engaged in making a soil survey of Lewis county. He promised to prepare some material on fertilizers for exhibit at the Farmers Institute to be held here Oct. 2 and 3.

Miss Anna Wagner will have a fine stock of millinery on display in the Nuxoll block on Friday and Saturday of next week.

Market Report.

Wheat, Marquis, per bu.....	\$1.85
Wheat, Bluestem, per bu.....	1.85
Wheat, white Russian, per bu.....	1.85
Wheat, club, per bu.....	1.80
Wheat, white Oregon.....	1.80
Oats, per hundred.....	2.15
Barley, brewing, per hundred.....	2.15
Barley, blue, per cwt.....	2.10
Barley, feed, per hundred.....	2.10
Butter, per pound.....	.35
Eggs, per dozen.....	.35
Flour, per sack, Tip Top.....	2.80
Flour, per sack, Union.....	2.85
Hogs, top stuff, per hundred.....	17.00
Cattle, prime steers, per cwt.....	7.75

Corrected every Thursday P. M.

It is a Wonderful Pleasure to Announce
-this-

FALL SHOWING

REALIZING the unprecedented conditions with which our country was confronted—knowing the advancing price tendency and even anticipating the declaration of war, we began long ago to contract for Fall and Winter merchandise on the most advantageous terms that were possible. There is one thing we **WOULD NOT DO** under any circumstances on our own volition—we would not buy goods of lower quality than the standard by which you know us. Fortunately, the manufacturers of the better grades, such as our customers want, had the same idea. Their reputation was at stake, so they maintained the same high quality. As the season advances, prices will advance in a measure. Right now they are as low as they will be during the existence of the war and without any hesitation we recommend that you buy—

BUY NOW



USUALLY, we ask you to "stop look and listen," and after convincing yourself, do your buying at your pleasure, but this is an unusual season and we advise that you buy as soon as possible—not for our protection, but for your own.

It is an undeniable fact that fabrics are advancing. The government requires so much that many fabric mills have cancelled orders and will guarantee no deliveries to their customers, even at higher prices.

We are very fortunate in having secured a most representative stock of coats and suits bearing this well-known label:

"The Palmer Garment"

When you see these garments you will know that they typify the Fall and Winter season and blend most beautifully with the falling leaves, the first few snow flurries, the smell of burning pine, the tang of the early frosts. And you will see in the ideas expressed, the boys who are fighting in France, the soldiers who are marching to victory, the men who are doing their part right here to conserve our resources. Little snaps of color here and there—an emblem that represents America—and through all of it, garments that have actual individuality and very much comfort. These coats and suits are made under conditions just as strict—must pass inspection just as close—as the uniforms worn by your sons and brothers. So in the "PALMER GARMENT" we offer you not only correct style, but perfect fit, individuality, genuine quality and most actual value.

It is impossible to show our wide range of styles in this page—we ask you to come during this showing and make your selections, and if possible, your purchases.

Cottonwood Mercantile Co.

THE ORPHEUM

Saturday Night, Sept. 15

JANE GAIL in
"RUPERT OF HENTZAU"
A photoplay of remarkable entertaining value
Sammy Johnson's Slumbers
CARTOON COMEDY

Sunday Night

Ford Sterling in **"STARS and BARS"**
This will keep you screaming with laughter
"A Startling Climax"
Three-reel Gold Seal Feature

Tuesday, Sept. 18

Liberty in, **"COURT MARTIALED"**
This is the strong number in this popular serial
"TRIALS OF A LONESOME PILL"
2-reel L'ko Comedy Animated Weekly

Thursday, Sept. 20

Five-reel Butterfly program—Ruth Stanehouse in
"Follow the Girl"
The tale of how a little Swedish emigrant found her heart's desire in the land of the free. This is a good one.
"Left in the Soup"—Joker Comedy

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

COTTONWOOD, IDAHO

FEDERAL RESERVE MEMBER



MAY 1, 1917

Resources

Investments - - - - -	\$341,923.97
Cash and Exchange - - - - -	\$92,063.15
	\$433,987.12

Liabilities

Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits - - - - -	\$19,703.75
Circulation - - - - -	\$25,000.00
Deposits - - - - -	\$359,283.37
	\$433,987.12

Strength and Fidelity Guarantee Good Service



O. M. Collins, Pres. E. L. Parker, Vice-Pres.
Geo. M. Robertson, Cashier
W. W. Flint, Ass't-Cashier J. P. Manning, Director