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THE KAISER.

The Kaiser, with his 500-odd uniforms seems to be all dressed up with no place to go.—New York Telegraph.

If William had tried half as hard to commit suicide as he endeavored to conquer the world he would have had one success to his credit.—Ogden Northwestern.

The Dutch proposal to put the Kaiser on an island will be all right if the island is in the tropics, and inhabited by mosquitoes and cooties and a volcano.—Richmond News-Leader.

Wilhelm claims to have been on a yacht when the war started. We know he was on a toboggan when it ended.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Maximilian Harden says the Kaiser was a tool in war he might have added that the crown prince was a sort of monkey wrench. Chicago News.

Kaiser's backers are quitting him von von.—Wall Street Journal.

How would it do to set the Kaiser adrift in a dory and guarantee him the freedom of the seas.—New York Telegraph.

Holland couldn't escape the horrors of war. Wilhelm is there now.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Germany's greatest work of art is that final bust of the Kaiser.—Brooklyn Eagle.

President Wilson beat the Kaiser Bill to Paris after all.—Lowell Courier-Citizen.

The truth of the matter is God has never been with Wilhelm and Wilhelm is never going to be with God. It will be an entirely different line-up.—Houtson Post.

The Kaiser's case proves that nobody has a monopoly on the Lord. Atchison Mail.

Big Bill Hohenzollern now realizes more clearly than ever what a mistake he made when he picked on quiet, peaceable Wood Wilson.—Anaconda Standard.

Death by Snakes and Wild Animals.

Vice Consul C. M. Haywood, stationed at Calcutta, in a recent report declares that over 26,000 persons in British India died from snake bites or were killed by wild animals during 1917. Snake bite caused the death of over 23,900, he states—an increase of nearly 300 over the figure of 1916—and 2176 persons were killed by wild animals—about 100 less than in the year previous. The number of snakes destroyed was over 73,900, for the killing of which bounties aggregated around \$1,000 were paid. Tigers were responsible for about 1,000 deaths, leopards for 339, wolves and bears for 820, and elephants and hyenas for about 85. Of the deaths caused by other animals nearly 100 are assigned to pigs and about 200 to alligators and crocodiles. During the year 19,400 wild animals were destroyed for which rewards amounting to over \$54,100 were paid by the government. Of these 1,295 were tigers, 6,000 leopards, 2,700 bears and 2,100 wolves.

Women Demand Justice.

French women have petitioned the peace conference for justice in the name of the thousands of women and children who suffered unspeakable indignities and vile mistreatment at the hands of the Germans during the war. The petition asked that the Germans who ordered these crimes as well as those who executed them be condemned as criminals of the common law in order that there may never be a recurrence of such atrocities.

PLUCK, ALL RIGHT.

Well said Uncle Si Bruggins after a solo by a fashionable church choir tenor, if that ain't the rudest thing I ever saw. Just as soon as the young man began to sing, every other member of the choir stopped. But he went through with it, and I must say I admire his spunk.—Boston Transcript.

WHAT IS TRUTH

Do truth ain't allus easy to get at, said Uncle Eben. A man kin sometimes say sumpin' in a minute dat he can't explain in five years.—Washington Star.

A REAL PIONEER.

Fifty years in one community certainly entitles anyone to the honor of being a pioneer, and a pioneer of fifty years ago in this community, without a question knows what it means to be a real pioneer.

Peter Pence was one of the early settlers of the Territory of Idaho, crossing the plains in 1862 with a party of about 300 men, women and children who had become enthused with the gold excitement in this early day. Mr. Pence is a native of Pennsylvania, leaving that state in 1852 settling in the state of Kansas, which was at that time the extreme frontier of civilization. In the spring of 1862, young and full of ambition, and eager to explore the west, he started with his party which consisted of 60 wagons drawn by oxen, mules and horses, and about 300 people including women and children. The Indians at that time were hostile and caused much trouble and disaster to smaller parties who were crossing the plains, but they being well armed and were kept well guarded were unmolested. The only real misfortune was the death of three of the party while enroute, and on September 26th camped at the hot springs where the town of Vale now stands. That night a child was born and one man in the party died. The party remained over the next day while a coffin was made from the lumber of a wagon box to bury the unfortunate man.

A few days later they reached the place where Baker City is now located, at that time the foundation for the first two log houses was built. Here they learned of the gold discovery at Warren and Boise Basin and after a few days preparation Mr. Pence in company with seven other men equipped with one yoke of oxen two saddle ponies a wagon with water-tight bed for crossing rivers, and a winter's supply of provisions took the back trail for Boise basin. Mr. Pence and a man by the name of Wagner rode the ponies going ahead leaving the others to follow with the ox team. They arrived at the Snake River and were taken across in a skiff which had very recently been built for that purpose, landing on what is now called Whitley Bottom, paying the owner of the skiff \$3.00 each for taking them across. This was Mr. Pence's first introduction into the territory of Idaho. That night as it was getting dark, and feeling that they were rather safe from any intrusion by the hostile reds, camped in a little gulch near the bank of the Snake river where Falk Store is now located, but had only got the little camp fire started when directly across the river and not over three hundred yards distant, the doleful sound of an Indian war-dance and the jingling of beads was heard. Their fire was soon extinguished and a rapid moving of camp several miles up the river took place.

The next day they overtook a party of 32 men at Horse-shoe bend who were also bound for the Boise Basin in search of gold. A few days after reaching the Basin Mr. Pence and Wagner went back to meet the rest of the party with the ox team and provisions, and found them at the Snake river doing a good business bringing travelers across in the wagon bed. That winter Mr. Pence and a man by the name of Sam Kinney purchased a second-hand whip-saw converting logs into boards by hand, and in the spring sold all of their output at \$300 per thousand for the erection of a saloon at Idaho City.

During that summer (1863) great throngs of men came into the basin and in the fall 15,000 votes were cast at the general election. Mr. Pence, during that year, devoted his time in hauling logs with an ox team for the buildings of the rapid growing town of Idaho City, and that fall sold his claim and during 1864-65 packed and freighted provisions from Umatilla to the mining camps at Idaho City, and early in the summer of 1866 went to Portland and purchased a threshing machine and after threshing for the early settlers of the Boise valley sold his outfit receiving in exchange 25 pounds of gold dust, and on January 9th, 1867 camped on his way to Walla Walla at what is now the Slick ranch. At Walla Walla he purchased a bunch of cattle and drove them back to the mouth of Big Willow where he bought from a squatter his right to the ranch now owned by Walter and Harry Pence. These cattle were the first beef cattle brought into the territory of Idaho, and the beginning of Mr. Pence's 50 years career in the stock business.

In 1872 Mr. Pence was married to Miss Anna Bixby who with her people had also crossed the plains in 1862 and who has passed to her reward some 16 years ago.

In the year 1877 when the Indians made their second outbreak Mr. Pence

was with General Howard in the Indian war, and in 1878 was captain of a band of home scouts. Mr. and Mrs. Pence lived on their Willow Creek ranch for many years and continued in the stock business with marked success and acquired many more acres of valuable land, moving to Payette in 1882. To them were born eight children, six of whom are now living, four boys and two girls, the youngest, Mrs. Rex Bradshaw having the distinction of being the first girl baby born in the own of Payette. Mr. Pence may have raised black sheep when in the sheep business, but he has failed to raise any in his family. They are all chips off of the old block.

Of the entire party of 300 who crossed the plains with Mr. Pence in 1862 there are but five known to be living in this section. Mrs. Henry Irvin and Mrs. Holland of Payette, John Bivens of Ontario, Mrs. Cash Nichols and Mr. Pence who is still a resident of Payette and enjoying the best of health, and who returned last week from Boise where he was in attendance at the Stock Mens' convention.

THE AWKWARD ALARM CLOCK

Have you any alarm clocks? Inquired the customer. What I want is one that will arouse the girl without waking the whole family.

I don't know of any such alarm clock as that madam," said the man the ordinary kind—the kin that will wake the whole family without disturbing the girl.—Tit Bits.

Nothing makes the devil so much trouble as to meet a man he can't browbeat.—William A. Sundry.

Germany spent 40 years making preparations for this war, and she will have to spend another 40 years making reparations for it.

Villa has just been made a member of the Italian cabinet. But it isn't our old friend Villa of Mexico—who however, is still very much alive after being mortally wounded over 40 times and killed at least a dozen times.

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Proving Will, Etc.

In the Probate Court of Payette County, State of Idaho.

In the Matter of The Estate of Alfred Smith, Deceased.

Pursuant to an order of said Court made on the 15th day of February, 1919, notice is hereby given that Tuesday the 11th day of March, 1919, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Payette County of Payette, Idaho, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Alfred Smith, deceased, and for hearing the application of J. H. Smith for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 15th, 1919.
MARTIN O. LUTHER,
Clerk.

WORD FROM PAUL FICKE

Dear Mother and Sister:

Just a few lines to night to let you know that I had not forgotten your birthdays, altho I believe this letter is a little late. I am sending my love and best wishes hoping that you will spend this day and many more in happiness. I wish to impress on your mind as to the honor in which I hold my mother.

A better MOTHER could not be found in the whole world. Up to this day I am proud of the way you have taken care of me in my childhood days. The way you have taken care of my clothing and food was service good enough for the president. To be brought up like some of the children I have seen in my travels is a shame, and I am thankful that I had proper bringing up.

You sure have done your duties in life and may God credit you in full. There is one regret, and that is that my position is in such condition that I cannot repay you in your older days, but here is hoping that some day I will see brighter days in helping you.

Alice I am proud of you as a sister and only hope that this letter will find you in a healthful life, and that soon we will be together and be happy I suppose Chas and maybe Art is there by now.

I received mother's and your letter and also the box which was very fine indeed.

I am very to hear of Tom McClanahan's death.

Now that I am away all I can do is to write a few lines, may they keep your courage up for my return.

I am your loving son and brother
Paul

WANTED

Plowing to do with a tractor. Average plowing price \$3.00 per acre. George Windup. St

FOR SALE

Ovreland Roadster, in excellent condition, good tires. Scott McClanahan.

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AN IMPROVED "REX" ARSENATE OF LEAD POWDER

As a result of the past three years work of Dr. O. C. Hedenburg, head of the Rex Research Bureau, the "Rex" Companies are now manufacturing a New Powdered Arsenate of Lead, sold under the trade name of "NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead.

State Experiment Station Men of Ohio, Indiana and Michigan have seen the product demonstrated, and said in substance, the following:

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We guarantee our "NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead to be as pure chemically as Arsenate of Lead can be made.

It contains
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Because of the Extreme Finess "NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead spreads and completely covers the surface of the fruit and foliage, and when it dries after spraying, does not crack or draw apart, and leave exposed portions of the fruit, where the Codling Moth may begin feeding.

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"NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead will stay in suspension for hours without agitation, thus insuring a more even distribution of the poison over the sprayed area, than can be accomplished with the old forms of Arsenate of Lead.

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"NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead contains Adhesive qualities which will cause it to stick to the fruit and foliage, even though the spraying operation may be followed by heavy rains. When Once Dry it is There to Stay.

"NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead, through the Chemical, Suspension, Fineness and Adhesive qualities, insures the fruit growers a maximum of protection against the ravages of the Codling Moth.

It is so constructed that it will leave a perfect film of poison on every portion of the fruit and foliage which will give perfect protection until the film is ruptured by the growth of the fruit.

Authorities on spraying unite in saying that it will be necessary to make no less than four applications of Arsenate of Lead in 1919 to keep the Codling Moth under control. With your help by doing thorough spraying, "NuRexForm" Arsenate of Lead will keep your Codling Moth under perfect control.

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Place your orders now that we may be prepared to supply your requirements.

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We have recently installed a system of safety deposit boxes which we will rent by the year for a nominal fee. Every box has its own lock and key and is completely fire proof and safe. We will be glad to explain our plan. First National Bank, Payette, Idaho.

WANTED

Fresno Scrapper would prefer 4 foot. Geo. Mathews. Route 1. St

LOST

Black water spantal lost Jan. 10. P. E. Hurd.

FOR SALE

14 and 6 tenths acres in Middleton, Idaho. Small substantial house, deep drilled well, family orchard. No incumbrance, will take Payette resident property as initial payment. Price \$3500.00. No sale after Feb. 28th. Call 260-w.

NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

All Automobile owners are advised to have both 1919 Licence plates on their cars by March 1st. The law will be strictly enforced. O. E. Bosen, County Assessor. John T. Jeffers, Sheriff of Payette County. St

For Sale.

One team of mares, harness and heavy spring wagon; price \$75.00 for the outfit. This is a bargain. Enquire at this office, or call on Mrs. Julia Purkey, one mile east of Payette. T.F.

FOR SALE

3 heifer calves 7 months old 2 milk cows, good team and heavy harness. J. R. Betzer, phone 219-w. It

For Sale: Alfalfa Hay. Phone 289-r5 Feb. 28th. Call 260-w.

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FOR SALE OR RENT IF TAKEN SOON.

The John Howard 80 acres on Dead Ox. 45 acres alfalfa, made 6 tons per acre last year. 25 acres for spring crop. 10 acres pasture good improvements. See, phone or write owner, B. C. McClelland, New Plymouth, Idaho. It

Reason for It.

A millionaire merchant says: "My success is probably due to the fact that at night I store my mind and during the day I mind my store."

Browning Holds Record. The first Browning gun was made by John M. Browning when he was thirteen years old. It was not a machine gun, it may be surmised. Mr. Browning invented more successful firearms than any ten other men in history.—Forum.

FOR SALE: Thoroughbred Silver-laced Wyandotte eggs for hatching from winter laying hens. \$1.00 per 15 eggs.—Mrs. A. W. W.