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I WILL smash the German line in France if you will smash that Damnable Hun propoganda at home.--General Pershing

DIETRICH.

Now that school is closed, Red Cross meetings adjourned, church services discontinued and all social gatherings suspended on account of the influenza epidemic, news items from Dietrich are as scarce as any good deeds among the war lords of Germany.

It is a bad wind that blows no good. School being closed gives the big boys a chance to do some good work in helping their folks in the potato harvest. Incidentally, Dick King is now engaged in helping his grand-dad put away the fruits of the garden for winter use.

Mrs. Ray Ellison, sister of Mrs. J. A. Bailey, has arrived here and will occupy rooms in the restaurant during the absence of her husband, who is now in New York en route to France to help lick the war lords. Mrs. E. P. King is domiciled at the same place. Mrs. Bailey is likely to bid adieu to her husband before long. Then the restaurant building will be occupied by three patriotic young women who have willingly lent their morals to help the holiest cause that mortal ever lost or gained.

Secretary of State Daugherty and Mrs. Daugherty were this week's visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Cornell.

Three car loads of potatoes have been shipped this week to Oklahoma. These with the many cars of wheat and hay being shipped give to Dietrich an air of business, notwithstanding the general cessation of many kinds of work during the epidemic.

Miss Harris, one of our popular teachers, suspending her vocation on account of the closed schools, is now helping C. F. Borden with his clerical work during the rush of shipments.

Mrs. F. C. Smith, one of our teachers, entertained her sister teachers, Miss Patterson and Miss Harris, at dinner in her rooms in the hotel last Monday.

Mrs. Shellman was a Shoshone visitor last Wednesday. She has received information that her son, Lyall, badly wounded in the European war, has been sent to the hospital at Lake Champlain, New York.

The Irrigation company now has a force of men—as large a force as the security of men will permit—engaged in blasting and removing rock from lateral 102A in the southeast corner of the tract.

There are probably from 30 to 40 men and women in the Dietrich tract who have not registered as voters. They are warned that if they do not attend to this before 9 o'clock on Saturday evening, November 2, they will not be able to vote for any state, district or county officer at the general election. And if they neglect this American duty they will have no right to complain if things go wrong. Saturday, October 26 and Saturday, November 2, S. S. ing the registrar, will be in his office at Dietrich all day.

WOOD RIVER CENTER GRANGE.

Harry Turnbull, Fred Gehrig, B. Bernard, A. Bayless went up to the mountains to help Lester Cannon gather their cattle to bring down for the winter.

Pearl Butler has returned home from Shoshone where she has been working.

H. Sandy was in town Friday. Messrs. Hastings, Love, Warren, Laboff, Mills returned from their hunting trip with a deer piece.

Mrs. Lester Cannon visited with Mrs. Harry Turnbull for a few days this week.

Hattie Peck motored to Gooding Wednesday.

Florence Butler visited with Mrs. Hastings the first of this week.

Mrs. Ivie and Mrs. Vieira called on Butlers Saturday evening.

A. Butler, Chas. Butler and Harry

Cannon returned from the mountains Wednesday. They saw a lot of fine scenery and that was all.

Frank Alvin Cannon is on the sick list.

Mr. Ivie has traded his old Chevrolet on a new one.

Alfred Sandy has been quite sick this week.

Mrs. Butler and daughters, Violet, Florence and Bertha, visited with Mrs. Sandy Sunday.

BIG WOOD RIVER NEWS.

No Spanish influenza on the North Shoshone tract that we know of.

Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Mills motored to Gooding and Shoshone Monday.

Our school was dismissed Friday on account of influenza.

Mrs. Golske and children spent Tuesday at the Ryan home.

Mrs. Earl Burdett who underwent an operation in Gooding three weeks ago is slowly improving.

Mrs. A. L. Horn is numbered with the sick this week.

Thanksgiving will soon be here, but on account of this epidemic don't suppose there will be much excitement on Big Wood.

J. A. Mills had quite an accident with his car last week caused by a connecting rod coming loose.

Mrs. Harrison Ryan took Mrs. Mills to Gooding Saturday to get Mrs. Burdett, but they found her not so well and Dr. Lamb said she could not be moved sooner than Thursday.

S. H. Ryan received word from his brother Tanner, who is at Fort Stevens, Oregon, saying he was leaving Saturday for Virginia.

The family of Charles Cleveland took dinner Sunday at the Sparks home.

Tony Boesinger killed hogs Saturday.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hewitt will be pleased to know they reached their destination safe, only having one accident. The gasoline tank caught fire but no damage was done. Mrs. Hewitt says Michigan does not seem like it did seven years ago.

Much praise should be given Ward Mills, the 14-year-old son of J. A. Mills. He has caught four large lynx cats and four skunks this fall already.

MOSES N. WEBB IN OPEN LETTER CONDEMNS N. P. L.

Weiser American.

M. N. Webb, the well known Mann Creek farmer and former member of the Idaho legislature, is out in an open letter taking issue with the Non-Partisan league and advising his fellow farmers to have nothing to do with it.

His letter is addressed to the "Loyal Democrats of Idaho," and is as follows: "Democrats, loyalty is one of the great virtues, and is in great demand at the present time. He who is disloyal at this time will not live long enough to get rid of the stain.

"We are to be put to the test as never before. Will we as a party prove true? I hope we will, and you will. Remember the willful twelve. Don't be disloyal.

"In 1912 when the Republican party were dissatisfied with a steamroller ticket, they put out another ticket and called it Progressive. They headed it with as loyal a man as lived and followed up with a perfectly honorable and loyal set of candidates. They set before the people their own principles on their own platform and gave their reason for their course. They won out over the other faction. This was fair. Now, we democrats have been unhorsed by everything but Democrats. A lot of Socialists, pro-Germans, I. W. W.'s and Republicans who say they are Democrats. They know they could not win office on a straight ticket of their own, but ask the Democrats to help

them put them in possession of the government of our beloved state of Idaho.

"Some of their leaders are disloyal Socialists, I. W. W.'s and pro-Germans, or rejected Republicans. Others are suspected of disloyalty. None of the Non-Partisan candidates should be called true Democrats. No true, straight and loyal Democrat should be found helping put them in possession of our government.

"In other states the Non-Partisans have unhorsed the Republicans in a similar way, saying they are Republicans, which goes to show they are hypocrites, deceiving the people.

"Take for example our Non-Partisan candidate for congress, L. I. Purcell. He is a life-long Republican who cannot win on his own ticket, and after helping make the Republican state platform this year he says he is a Democrat. Shades of Achanas, such hypocrisy. Honor is a precious jewel, but do you Democrats think it rests on the brow of L. I. Purcell? Well, I don't either. Wouldn't it turn your stomachs to have to say Hon. L. I. Purcell? The same of Jeppesen, Samuels, et al. They were put on the Democratic ticket by everything but Democrats. Now what shall we do? What ought we to do? Do we Democrats owe the Bolsheviks our votes? Are we going to give our state over to hypocrites and disloyalists? That would make us a party to the act, disloyalists ourselves. I prefer to vote for straight, honorable Republicans a straight, honorable ticket. We recommend the same course to all true and loyal Democrats. Now you farmers and townspeople who are loyal at heart, do not be further deceived. Germany first wants to deceive the world, then ruin it. Don't help any of their side-shows.

"Be true, loyal citizens now and you will never regret it. "M. N. WEBB."

GOODING FIGHTING FOR THE HONOR OF IDAHO

Frank R. Gooding is making the fight in Idaho that the daily press of the state should have made many months ago.

He is making the fight in Idaho that the St. Paul Dispatch and other loyal papers made in Minnesota, saving the honor and protecting the good name of that state.

He is making the fight in Idaho that the Oregonian made in Oregon and that the Butte Miner made in Montana, both these states have been saved from the red hand of state Socialism.

He is making the fight for the honor of Idaho, and every loyal red-blooded man and woman in the state should enlist under the standard he has raised.

The fight is on; there are but two sides. Let every man do his duty. Scotch the snake of Socialism.—New Freedom.

THE MASK OFF.

The grinning skeleton of anarchy in its most violent form is always found whenever the mask of patriotism is torn off the Non-Partisan leaders. Here in Idaho they pose as democrats. In North Dakota they stole the organization of the Republican party and use it in the same manner as they use the Democratic party in Idaho.

When Ray McKalg came to Idaho last winter he stated that he was at that time state secretary of the Republican party in North Dakota. Here is a resolution recently passed by the Non-Partisan organizations in Hettlinger and Adams counties, North Dakota:

"Whereas, it is the sense of the people in control of the present nominees of the Republican party that the state should own the business in the state of North Dakota; and, Whereas, we believe in equality and justice; Be it resolved that our state committee be instructed to have placed in the platform of the Republican party and nominees for the legislature for the Forty-ninth legislative district be instructed to advocate the state ownership of farm lands, horses, cattle and machinery and that the same be acquired on the basis of value for the three years immediately preceding the war.

Now you farmers of Lincoln county

read that and stop to consider it before you vote this fall. This league proposes in North Dakota to force state ownership of all property Farms shall be taken over by the state on the basis of their value three years immediately preceding the war. Are you ready to turn over your farm to the state on the basis of its value April 6, 1914? Do you wish to forever be remanded to the position of tenant farmer and have all your property held in common? Can you get a more exact copy of the Russian revolution than that?

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HAVE YOU SOLD YOUR HAY?

R. E. Shepherd, Manager of North Side Tract, states that hay in North Idaho is selling for \$34 per ton. Live stock owners are shipping cattle out on account of lack of feed. Mass meetings of farmers to discuss the situation has been called for Saturday, October 26, 1918, at 2 p. m. on the court house lawn at Shoshone. It is expected to petition Director General McAdoo to grant special freight rates to relieve the situation in North Idaho. Harvey Alfred has been invited to speak.

Very truly yours,
County Agricultural Agent.

HOME SERVICE COMMITTEE WORK

To those having sons, brothers, husbands or other relatives in the army, navy or air service:

Do you receive your allotment regularly? Are you in doubt as to what you should do regarding insurance? The Home Service Section of the Red Cross will gladly help you to adjust these things, or other troubles you may have.

Home Service room over the Lane Hardware store. Open from 1 to 5 every afternoon.

URGENT CALL FOR NURSES.

Owing to the present influenza epidemic, the Red Cross Department of Nursing desires to get in touch with every graduate nurse, every woman who has had any training, every practical nurse, and every woman who has taken the training to be a nurses' aid. Use your newspapers to issue the call. Have reports go to the chapters from them to the division director. The Red Cross offers to graduates \$75 and expenses, and to undergraduates and aids from \$30 to \$50, according to qualifications, with expenses Division office must direct assignments.

Forward names and amount of training to the Department of Nursing at the division office, 211 White Bldg., Seattle, Wash., as soon as listed.

MAY S. LOUIS,
Director Dept. of Nursing.

War Work for Women.

The County Chairman of the Women's Committee of National Defense, has a book on occupations for women in war work. Many young women have found just what they wanted by consulting its pages. Anyone wishing advice please consult the chairman, Mrs. Fred W. Gooding. A plan is on foot whereby every one will be asked to sing the same songs at the same time on Thanksgiving morning throughout the county.

UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN.

November 11 to 18 there will be conducted what is to be known as the United War Work Campaign for the purpose of raising the sum of one hundred seventy million five hundred thousand dollars for the use of the seven great organizations working with our soldiers and our allies for the relief of suffering and providing comforts and necessities which are obtainable in no other way. There is no longer any necessity of arguing with the American people about the necessity and benefits of the work or that through these organizations alone are we assured of the most economical and honest distribution and use of our money for its legitimate purpose. DON'T TALK, PAY. You are not asked to GIVE; you are asked to pay a just debt you owe to those who are fighting your battles.

THE WELFARE CAMPAIGN.

Seven welfare organizations serving American and allied soldiers at home and overseas have combined, at the request of President Wilson, in a drive for war funds during the week of November 11 to 18.

These organizations are the Young Men's Christian Association, National Catholic War Council (includes the Knights of Columbus, American Library Association, War Camp Community Service, Jewish Welfare Board and the Salvation Army.

A nation-wide campaign to raise \$170,000,000 will be carried on. Eight western states together with Alaska, and Hawaii have been asked to raise five per cent of this amount or \$8,525,000. This is apportioned as follows: California \$4,688,750; Washington \$1,278,750; Oregon, \$767,250; Montana \$511,500; Idaho \$426,250; Utah \$344,000; Wyoming \$196,975; Nevada \$85,250; Hawaii \$213,125; Alaska \$17,050.

The Idaho campaign is under the general direction of C. A. Barton, chairman, Richard E. Randall, campaign director, and a state executive committee, consisting of representative members from each organization participating.

Plans for the campaign are being rapidly worked out and the most effective combination of workers ever united in a single effort in Idaho is being built up.

The slogan of the workers in the campaign will be: "Every person in Idaho seen and given an opportunity to give!"

The slogan for the state: "All it needed!"

Every cent of the great national fund of \$170,000,000 will be prorated among the affiliated organizations and used in war work. Every cent of Idaho's \$426,250 contribution will be used for the welfare and to sustain the morale of American and allied soldiers and sailors.

State, county and local committees have been formed and the campaign will be carried to every home in Idaho.

The response of the nation to this appeal will prove the soul of America and her loyalty to her fighting forces; the response of Idaho and her generosity will be a tribute of love from the hearts of her people to her boys and all the boys offering their lives that Liberty and Righteousness shall not perish from the earth.

NO REAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

It should be clear to the voter this fall in looking over his ballot, that should he be a Democrat, he has no state Democratic ticket to vote for. True, on the ballot will appear a list of candidates with the word "Democratic" after each of the individuals masquerading under the Democratic title, but this is the list framed by the Non-Partisan league. The word Non-Partisan itself does not appear of the ticket.

It must be thoroughly understood that the Non-Partisan went into the Democratic primary and stole the organization and the name, and the Non-Partisan candidates, some of whom are renegade Republicans and some of whom are Socialists, are bunched under the camouflage of "Democratic," so there is really no Democratic state ticket, and most Democratic party workers understand this, though it may not occur to the average individual when he looks at his ballot.

As Fred Fioed has very truthfully said: "The Democrats have no ticket in the field this year," the name having been fleeced from the regular partisans.

The Republican and Socialist tickets on the ballot are the only two sailing under their own colors, and there is nothing bogus about either of them. But the so-called Democratic ticket is not a Democratic ticket, and everywhere the word occurs after a name on the state ticket it covers a Non-Partisan.

The ballot is of much different form this election and the candidates must be voted for separately, and it will require much more time to cast a ballot than formerly. But unless you condone the offense of the Non-Partisans in rapping the Democratic party steer clear of every name on the state ticket that bears the title "Democratic," for it is not of that party, and is not endorsed by that party.

CONGRESSMAN SMITH'S RECORD.

Addison T Smith of Twin Falls, who has been renominated for congress in the primaries without opposition, has actively supported the government's plans for preparedness and consistently sustained the president in all his recommendations for the enactment of emergency legislation and ample appropriations for the conduct of the war. He is the author of a bill which has attracted the attention of congress and is both branches of congress and is strongly recommended by Secretary for enactment next session, to provide farms for returning soldiers on reclaimed arid, swamp and cut-over lands, under the provision of which soldiers and sailors will have the preference right of employment and entry.

Congressman Smith has been active in support of prohibition legislation, woman's suffrage, rural credits, the fixing of a price for wheat, which will encourage ample production and give the farmers a fair profit. He has also advocated legislation to regulate the price of farm machinery, vehicles, harness and other commodities farmers have to buy. He has specialized on the enactment of legislation for the benefit of settlers on the public land and has several laws of this character to his credit.

He initiated and carried to a successful conclusion legislation providing for the government to take over the King Hill Irrigation Project, for which \$600,000 was appropriated, saving to the settlers their homes and earnings of years. A bill which he introduced over a year ago has been made the basis of a systematic plan, strongly endorsed by the administration, to encourage private capital to invest in irrigation bonds where the projects are constructed by the Reclamation service, under which the Bureau, North Side-Minidoka, Fort Hall and other proposed irrigation projects will be constructed. His prompt and intelligent attention to the requests of his constituents has attracted to him a large personal following regardless of politics, who are interested in his reelection.

SHALL IDAHO BE GOVERNED FROM NORTH DAKOTA?

If the state ticket, headed by Samuels for governor, and nominated by the Non-Partisan league, not by Democrats, shall be elected Idaho's state affairs will be run from North Dakota, by Townley and Arthur Le Seuer. Townley is the absolute boss of the Non-Partisan league, and Le Seuer, the I. W. W. leader and Socialist and disloyalist, is the principal adviser and executive secretary of the league. In North Dakota every official act is directed by Townley and Le Seuer. The state officials there are mere dummies.

In Idaho the hand-picked candidates of the league are also to be mere dummies if the Non-Partisan league wins in the November election. Like every legislative candidate of the Non-Partisan league, they are pledged to take no action without the approval of the executive committee of the league, which means Townley and Le Seuer.

Such a state of affairs would mean Idaho's public affairs run from the outside by rabid Socialists, by men who would set up a Bolshevik government in Idaho.

We have every confidence that the loyal citizens of Idaho, irrespective of party, will administer a sharp rebuke to this plan of the Non-Partisan league and elect the Republican ticket from top to bottom.

Man invented the telephone, but woman holds the line.

Sugar hoarders who are hanging the flag out in front of their homes are making it tell a lie.

It is the power to murder at will that makes the Kaiser a menace to civilization. If he were no more than an egotist the world could smile.

Man invented window screens, then nature came along and produced insects small enough to go through the meshes. There the matter stands.

BARNUM WAS RIGHT

