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THE CITY ELECTION

The city election will take place on Tuesday, April 22. A number of reports of probable candidates are current, and a contest over several city offices is promised.

The incoming city administration will have many difficult problems to handle. It must determine whether, within the next two years, Grangeville is to forge ahead and become an attractive residence city or whether it is to stay a country town with wooden sidewalks and streets of mud and chuck-holes.

In considering the several candidates for the city council, it would be well for the voters to determine who are progressive.

A bright, clean, attractive city cannot be brought about without the expenditure of money. Now that the war is ended, Grangeville can afford to improve and with improvement will come growth of business and population.

The city election is important, and upon the outcome of the forthcoming election will depend whether Grangeville is to progress or stagnate.

NON-PARTISAN TROUBLES

Trouble has broken out in the ranks of the Non-partisan league. In Idaho and in North Dakota differences have arisen among the members of the league, and among the leaders of the party, which threaten the existence of the socialistic organization, and probably will check the operation of many of its pet schemes of socialistic domination of industries.

Trouble recently broke out in the Idaho organization at Nampa, when an effort was made by men prominent in the league to oust Scholtz from the job of manager of the league publication.

In North Dakota, a number of league candidates who were elected to state office last fall, have rebelled against the

Townley crowd, because of its extravagant appropriations for socialistic experiments. A referendum election in North Dakota is assured on legislation passed at the recent session of the Townley legislature.

Further interesting exposures of the Non-partisan league and its methods are imminent.

CHICAGO'S MISTAKE

Chicago made a mistake. She re-elected "Big Bill" Thompson mayor. Thompson, Republican, on Tuesday defeated Robert M. Sweitzer, Democrat, for the mayoralty, by a plurality of 17,600, while Maclay Hoyne, running as an independent, was a poor third.

The reelection of Mayor Thompson is a disgrace to Chicago. Thompson, four years ago, was elected mayor by a plurality of more than 147,000, and Tuesday his plurality dropped to a mere handful, compared with the big advantage given Thompson in 1915.

William Hale Thompson has been branded as a pro-German. At any rate, he is un-American, and he has not been able to successfully prove in the minds of many persons that he was not actually a sympathizer with Germany.

Bill has never been able to overcome the huge amount of adverse criticism heaped upon him because of his failure to invite Marshall Joffre to Chicago. Whether his election Tuesday was due to his appeal for Republican votes on party principles, or whether due to the German vote of Chicago, meager reports on the election returns so far received in the west do not disclose.

WIRES CROSSED

Announcement that necessity requires an increase of approximately 20 percent in telephone and telegraph rates in the United States, under government control of wire communication, will cause to arise anew in the minds of the people the wisdom of governmental experimentation in the operation of various great public utilities.

The increase is said by Postmaster General Burleson to be due to increased salaries paid employes of the telephone and telegraph. True it was, under private ownership of these utilities, many employes received meager wages, but nevertheless the wages paid these selfsame employes usually were commensurate with the ability displayed by the workers.

If the public is to be continually confronted by increases in telephone and

telegraph rates, in order that obscure employes of the wire communication systems may be coddled by the government, especially in the matter of greatly increased wages, the public some day will realize that the public, itself, is entitled to some coddling, in the matter of improved service and reasonable charges therefor.

FERDINAND

(Special Correspondence) Dr. Buchanan of Ho was transacting business here Wednesday.

The Community club held a social Tuesday afternoon for the ladies who spent the time in needle work. Luncheon was served at 4:30 by Mrs. Peebles and Mrs. Bibb.

A farewell party, given by the Wednesday evening club, was tendered to Mrs. E. Randall Thursday evening. Mrs. William Green and two children departed Wednesday for Lewiston, where they will reside.

Walt Holbin was a passenger Thursday for Lewiston, returning Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Dutro are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mabel Clift, of Asotin.

Frank Hayden underwent a minor operation at the Aleorn hospital last Saturday.

William Goodall was a passenger for Lewiston Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Adley and two daughters, Lucile and Dorothy, arrived from Lewiston Monday, to take immediate possession of the Ferdinand hotel.

Mrs. Meakin entertained a few relatives last Sunday. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hansen and children of Cottonwood; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Hansen and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Peebles, Mrs. E. Randall, all of Ferdinand.

Miss Clara Nau entertained a party of friends Sunday evening at the home of her brother, Albert Nau, in honor of Mrs. Randall who will soon depart for Lewiston.

Sewing will be discontinued at the Red Cross rooms, owing to lack of workers.

CLEARWATER

(Special Correspondence) Horace Hornaday has returned from Kooskia.

Miss Dorothy Westenhiser has returned to her home on the prairie, after spending two weeks visiting friends in the Clearwater section.

Mesdames Daveport, Brown and Brotnor were Stites visitors Saturday.

Several from here attended the sale at the White place, above Kooskia, Wednesday last.

George Riebold purchased about thirty head of cattle from Dan Cowling, and from parties around Kooskia.

HOW IS YOUR COMPLEXION?

A woman should grow more beautiful as she grows older and she will with due regard to baths, diet and exercise, and by keeping her liver and bowels in good working order. If you are haggard and yellow your eyes losing their lustre and whites becoming yellowish, your flesh flabby, it may be due to indigestion or to a sluggish liver. Chamberlain's Tablets correct these disorders.

Dry lime and sulphur spray at Lamm Drug Co.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lewiston, Idaho, March 15, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Edwin C. Harbison, of Elk City, Idaho, who, on May 28, 1914, made H. E., No. 05430, for a tract of 120 acres within what will probably be when surveyed, Section 32, Township 27 N., Range 10 East, B. M., described by notes and bounds as follows: Beginning at Corner No. 1, which bears N. from U. S. L. M. No. 241, 25.07 chains, thence S. 1 o 36' West 75 chains to Corner No. 2, thence N. 88 o 24' West 16 chs. to Cor. No. 3, thence N. 10 36' E., 75 chs to Cor. No. 4, thence S. 88 o 24' E., 16 chs. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning. List No. 778, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. B. Burney, U. S. Commissioner, at Stites, Idaho, on the 5th day of May, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: Henry C. Oliver, of Stites, Idaho; Joe A. Hoover, of Elk City, Idaho; Lewis C. Stephenson, of Elk City, Idaho; William M. Logan, of Elk City, Idaho. Henry Heitfeld, Register. 46-5

RESTORATION TO ENTRY OF LANDS IN NATIONAL FOREST.

Notice is hereby given that the lands described below, embracing 201.75 acres within the Selway and Nezperce National Forests, Idaho, will be subject to settlement and entry under the provisions of the homestead laws of the United States and the act of June 11, 1906 (34 Stat., 233), at the United States land office at Lewiston, Idaho, on June 5, 1919. Any settler who was actually and in good faith claiming any of said lands for agricultural purposes prior to January 1, 1906, and has not abandoned same, has a preference right to make a homestead entry for the lands

actually occupied. Said lands were listed upon the applications of the persons mentioned below, who have a preference right subject to the prior right of any such settler, provided such settler or applicant is qualified to make homestead entry and the preference right is exercised prior to June 5, 1919, on which date the lands will be subject to settlement and entry by any qualified person. A tract of land described as Lot 3, Sec. 25, and Lot 1, Sec. 26, T. 32 N., R. 7 E., B. M., 43.40 acres, application of W. A. Swan, Clarkston, Washington; List 1-3632.

A tract of 112.60 acres, within what will probably be when surveyed Secs. 9 and 10, T. 30 N., R. 13 E., described as follows: Beginning at Corner No. 1, identical with Forest Service Monument, consisting of a red fir post marked P. S. M. H. 1; whence the confluence of North Star Creek and the Selway river bears N. 19 o W., 2.55 chs.; extending thence S. 10 o E., 15.15 chs.; thence S. 60 E., 34.84 chs.; thence N. 40 o E., 45.45 chs.; thence N. 39 o W., 31.20 chs.; thence S. 61 o W., 18.50 chs., to the place of beginning, application of William Reap, Grangeville, Idaho; List 1-3663.

A tract of 30.75 acres, within what will probably be when surveyed Secs. 1 and 36, Twps. 32 and 33 N., R. 12 E., described as follows: Beginning at Corner No. 7 of H. E. S. No. 460, being Freeman's original claim; extending thence N. 15 o 02' E., 18.13 chs.; thence W. 22.22 chs.; thence S. 12.90 chs.; thence S. 75 o 16' E., 18.12 chs.; to the place of beginning, application of Frank L. Freeman, Kooskia, Idaho; List 1-3668.

The W 1/2 W 1/2 SW 1/4 SW 1/4, the SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4, the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 26, T. 27 N., R. 2 E., 15 acres, listed without application; List 1-3701. March 21, 1919.

D. K. PARROTT, Acting Assistant Commissioner of the General Land Office. 46-4

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Grangeville Savings & Trust Co.

at Grangeville in the state of Idaho, at the close of business March 4th, 1919

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Cash on hand, Due from banks, Checks and drafts on other banks, Loans and discounts, Stocks, bonds and warrants, Banking house, furniture and fixtures and abstract department, Other real estate, Expenses in excess of earnings. Total Resources: \$210,092.81. Liabilities include Individual deposits subject to check, Savings deposits, Demand certificates of deposit, Time certificates of deposit, Cashier's checks, Letters of credit, Total deposits, Capital stock paid in, Surplus, Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed. Total Liabilities: \$210,092.81.

STATE OF IDAHO, County of Idaho, ss.

I, R. H. Russell, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. R. H. RUSSELL, Cashier (seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1919. I certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. H. ROTHWELL, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: Henry Telcher, J. A. Bradbury, Directors.

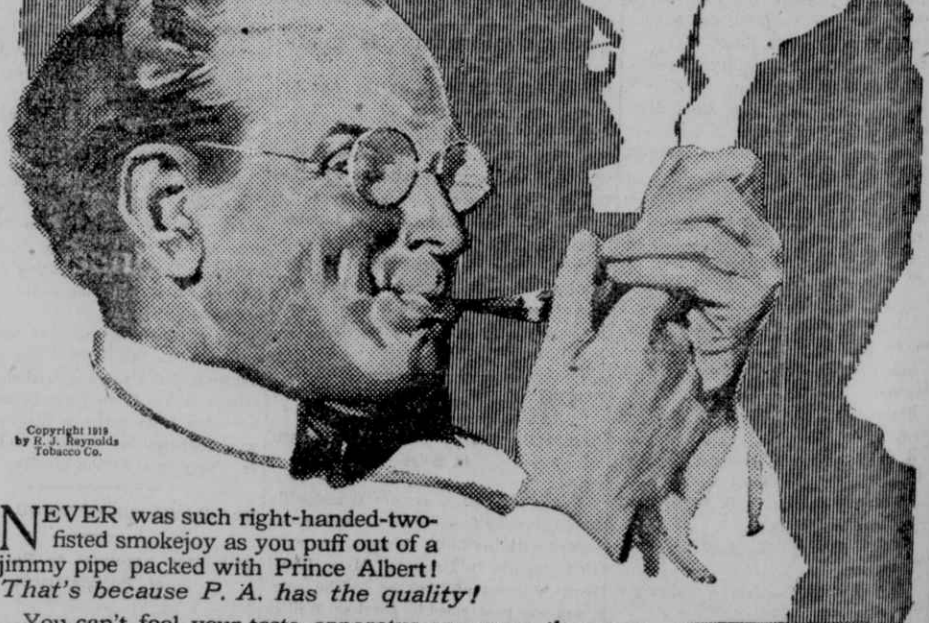
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