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W. S. S. QUOTA FOR NEVADA

Equalized from figures for population, bank deposits, tax valuation, Liberty loan and W. S. S. sales in 1918.

State quota—\$1,143,500.

County	Quota Assigned
Churchill	\$ 53,000.00
Clark	12,500.00
Douglas	29,000.00
Elko	92,000.00
Esmeralda	80,000.00
Eureka	16,000.00
Humboldt (Northern)	56,000.00
Humboldt (Southern)	20,000.00
Perkins	12,500.00
Lander, (Northern)	14,000.00
Lander, (Southern)	14,000.00
Lincoln	31,000.00
Lyon	52,000.00
Mineral	25,000.00
Nye	100,000.00
Ormsby	15,000.00
Storey	37,000.00
Washoe	302,000.00
White Pine, (Ely)	120,000.00
White Pine, (McGill)	50,000.00

Total, \$1,143,500.00

Nevada's War Savings quota for 1919 is set at \$1,143,450, instead of the previously announced figures of \$1,184,000, according to telegraphic advice from the Federal Reserve bank for this district. Fred L. White, Director of Savings.

"This new figure," said Mr. White today, "is based upon careful tabulations of population, bank deposits and on subscriptions to the four Liberty loans and the 1918 issue of W. S. S."

"The sum that we must raise this year is smaller by nearly half a million dollars than our actual sales last year when the idea of savings stamps was new to our people and a great many other war activities were taxing the incomes of Nevadans."

"This thing is easy. We wanted victory; we got it; now let's pay it. One more victory loan and this just allotment of stamps, and the thing is done, in Nevada's usual way of doing things. Every citizen of this state is a committee of one to see that his family, his neighbors, and his community go over the top in the last, bloodiest, battle of the war, which is not ended until the score is paid."

Workers Needed In Red Cross

The Red Cross needs more trained Home Service Workers in small towns as well as in the cities.

A limited number of students can still be admitted to the fourth San Francisco Red Cross Institute of Home Service, which will open Mar. 24. This is a six week intensive course in social work.

Preference will be given to those students who are recommended by their local Chapters, but others will be admitted as far as there is room.

The course consists of lectures by experts at the State University and of practice work under expert supervision. Applications will be received by the Red Cross at room 357 Flood Building, San Francisco.

Lee Residence Has Close Call

Friday night at her residence Mrs. M. Lee, while generating a gas lamp failed to get the generator hot enough, and during the time she was relighting the generator torch, the gasoline spilled over the mantle and ran down onto the lamp, so that when applying the torch again the gasoline caught, fire spread over the table, burnt a small table covering, and made quite a blaze. Mrs. Lee had presence of mind enough to put the fire out and took the lamp outside, although in so doing suffered a small burn, but not serious. Mr. Lee happened to be away at Caliente on business; at the time and it was very fortunate that no more damage was caused.

Reports Financing of Lund Railroad

Satisfactory financing of the proposed railroad from Lund, Utah, on the Salt Lake road, to Cedar City, a distance of 31.9 miles, is officially announced. Bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000 have been taken by Philadelphia capitalists and the Hanover Construction Company of the same city has been given a contract for the building of the line.

The story of the large tract of coal and iron lands that are tributary to this proposed line of railroad, an area long known to be among the richest anywhere, has been written many times and is generally familiar to those who have kept in touch with the publicity given to this section of Utah. Both the coal and iron deposits of this region are so large in quantity and so excellent in quality that they have undergone careful examination at intervals for many years, but the lack of adequate transportation facilities has kept their active development virtually at a standstill.

War Tax Increase on Telegrams.
Effective April 1 the war tax on telegrams for which the toll and rate is more than 50 cents will be increased from 5 cents to 10 cents per message. Messages referring directly to Red Cross work and government messages are exempt from the tax.

E. F. Freudenthal Dies Suddenly

H. E. Freudenthal received a wire Tuesday morning from Judge Wm E. Orr at Las Vegas that his brother passed away that morning.

E. F. Freudenthal was born at Virginia City, Nevada on the 3rd day of November, 1864, three days after the State of Nevada was admitted to the Union. His first visit to Pioche was with his mother and Aunt Mrs. Grambs in 1869, returning to Hamilton and on the 7th day of February 1871 returned with his father to this place where he has resided ever since. He was married to Ada Peaslee February 23, 1898 at Pioche, with her two sons Ed and Jess, survive him.

He had been in poor health for the past two years and the last three months seemed to be getting worse. He went to Las Vegas on mining business, and also to stay there for a while, in the hopes of bettering his health as the altitude was much lower than here. The first few days there he seemed to improve, but last Saturday was taken to the hospital as his heart action was very bad. He was better the next day and on Monday seemed to be in the best of spirits, but the tax on the heart had run its course and he passed to the Great beyond Tuesday morning.

He devoted all of his time to mining and had the interest of this camp always at heart, bringing capital to invest many, many times, and re-invested all that he made, always with the hope of making another turn. He was associated with many prominent mining men and retained their confidence to the last. He was ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in need, and was generous to a fault. Friends he had many, enemies none.

He was a member of the Tonopah Elks Lodge, and they wired the Elks at Las Vegas to see that everything necessary was done.

His remains were brought to Pioche Wednesday morning and the funeral took place Thursday at 2 p. m., from the Union Sunday School building.

Services were conducted by M. L. Lee, the choir rendering "In the Hour of Trial" a solo "Oh, Rest in the Lord," from Elijah, by Mrs. Amy Osborne Hartman, and at the grave "Abide With Me."

The Elks acted as a body escort and at the school house the school children had been formed and dropped into line and marched to the Odd Fellows Cemetery where the interment took place.

The pall bearers were C. M. Sampson, A. A. Carman, J. A. Clark, John Ewing, R. R. Orr and S. F. Whitney.

His wife was at Los Angeles, and arrived Wednesday being met by her two sons at Caliente. He leaves behind his wife, and two sons, one, E. H. Freudenthal, residing at Pioche, and a sister, Mrs. Laura Duque, residing at Paris, France, and a nephew there, Mrs. McPherson, a niece at San Francisco, and Mrs. Tony Jacobson of Salt Lake a cousin, who came down for the funeral.

The Record extends to the relatives its sincere sympathy in this their hour of bereavement.

Nevada Leads In Divorces

Approximately one out of every nine marriages in the United States is terminated by divorce according to figures compiled by the bureau of the census and made public today.

Excluding South Carolina, where all laws permitting divorce were repealed in 1878 the three lowest divorce rates in 1916, for which year returns are now complete, are shown for the District of Columbia, North Carolina and New York, where the rates were 13, 31 and 32 per 100,000 respectively. The highest rates were returned from Nevada, Montana and Oregon, which show 607,323 and 225 respectively.

In all states except Maine, West Virginia, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, North Dakota, South Dakota and Colorado the divorce rates were higher in 1916 than in 1906.

Desertion is shown by the figures to have been the cause of about 38 per cent of the divorces.

Records also show that the marriage rate in 1916 was 1050 per 100,000 or nine times as great as the divorce rate of 112 per 100,000.

OLD CLOTHES WANTED BADLY BY THE RED CROSS.

The drive for the collection of used clothing for the liberated people of Europe started Monday by the Red Cross and will continue for a week. Every kind of garment for all ages and both sexes is urgently needed. In addition to which piece goods, light warm cotton flannel and other kinds of cloth from which baby garments can be made are wanted.

Shoes of every size, ticking, sheets, blankets, scrap leather for repairing shoes, and, in fact, anything except flimsy garments are wanted.

"You're no good, you are a 'kazooler'." The Record man would like to know what a "kazooler" is. This remark was heard as the Editor passed down the street.

New beets, new cabbage and other fresh vegetables on special sale today at the Pioche Market.

Judge Walsh, having completed court left for Goldfield to-day. R. McNamee and Leo A. McNamee also left for the Vegas and Los Angeles.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Juryman hereafter will receive \$4 per day instead of \$3. A bill passed by the last legislature is responsible for the change.

The State Tax rate for 1919 was fixed by the Legislature at .6695 and .6745 for the year 1920. This with the county rate of \$1.00 makes the rate \$1.6695 on each \$100 valuation for the year 1919.

The Electric Movies will present next Friday "The King of Youth" with Madge Kennedy in the leading role. Also the New Ford Weekly. On Monday a Select Picture "The Burden of Proof," featuring Marion Davies.

The new blanks for corporations to make their income returns are now in evidence and they are as long as the moral law. After you have figured out correctly, you no doubt will find that you have aged some since their receipt.

At last spring is here. Why do we know? A divorce and marriage in one day ushered in with a double rainbow last night and sunshine to-day, and with the little birds mating is evidence enough that it must be spring.

District Court Holds Session

The Tenth Judicial District court opened Monday at 10 A. M. with Judge Emmet J. Walsh, of Goldfield, presiding in place of Judge Orr, and the following matters were taken up.

MONDAY.

In the case of the State of Nevada, vs. Joe Oselletto, felony. The defendant was arraigned, and pled Not Guilty, the case being set for trial Wednesday at 10 a. m.

Mrs. Laura Callahan was sworn in as court reporter for the present sitting of court.

The estate of Benj. Sanders was taken up and proceedings taken for check to close the same up, as it has been in Court for about ten years.

A. L. Scott was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Domic Strapozone, in place of Wm. E. Orr who resigned owing to now being on the Bench. Bond was fixed at \$250, and in case certain money now in the bank in California belonging to the estate should be transferred to Lincoln county, the bond was fixed at \$3,000.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP

The County Budget for the year 1919 appears in another column.

Lamond Woods of Clover Valley is attending court session.

Mrs. Ruth Lloyd returned to Salt Lake Monday, after a few days visit.

Miss Sarah Im Obersteg and Lucile Ryan were visitors during the Court week.

Chas. C. Ronnow of Las Vegas was a visitor in town during the week.

W. R. McFadden, Auditor of the Nevada Industrial Commission came in Tuesday on his regular visit.

Mr. Frank Walker came up from Caliente Sunday to be in attendance at the court, which opened Monday.

W. H. Carr, Mgr. of the Geysers ranch came in from Arizona Saturday and left Sunday for the ranch.

Ed. Price, who came down from Salt Lake to attend the funeral of his sister left Monday for that place.

Doc Buchanan left Monday for Jackrabbit to take a position as blacksmith with the Black Metals Inc.

W. R. Jones and W. J. Mullikin of Caliente called on the Record this week and we are not going to tell what they did.

Dr. J. D. Campbell returned yesterday from Carson City, where he has been in attending the session of the State Legislature.

Leo A. McNamee of the firm of McNamee and McNamee, came in Tuesday and is associated with his father F. R. McNamee in the Oselletto case.

Mrs. Tony Jacobson came down from Salt Lake City Thursday to attend the funeral of her cousin E. F. Freudenthal. She is the guest of her cousin H. E. Freudenthal.

C. A. Thompson returned from Salt Lake last Friday. He reports his motor very much improved and that she accompanied him as far as Caliente and from there went on to Pioche.

Mrs. J. L. Bowman in charge of Red Cross work here, left Wednesday to attend a meeting of the National Women's Liberty Loan Committee to be held in Reno Friday and Saturday.

The Pioche Fire Commissioners

made a decided improvement this week when they installed a bright light at the corner of Main and Meadow Valley St. It is one of the latest street gas lights and gives a splendid light.

Mr. Jas. Hulise, who had his eye hurt while picking some ice from the end of a pipe, and is now at Los Angeles under treatment—word comes from there that the sight of the eye is gone; but there is a possibility of not having to remove the eye. The loss of the sight is peculiar in view of the fact that the eye showed no abrasion or cut of any kind; just a hard blow on the sight which caused blindness from the first.

Peter Baul dropped into town Tuesday with W. A. Smith of Sharp, Nye County. He has just concluded a deal whereby Smith sold to Boul the Roadside claim for \$50,000, payable in 18 months, with \$2,000 down. It is said that the ore is very rich, some of it going as high as \$2,000 to the ton. As the haul of this ore will be Pioche a distance of 80 miles, or to Ely, it is to the interest of his county that the road in that direction receive some attention from the Road Com. Wm. Culbertson as it means a great volume of trade in this way, which otherwise may be diverted to Ely.

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Caliente Notes and Personals

The influenza epidemic has entirely disappeared from Caliente and Dr. West Smith is enjoying a relief from his heavy labors of the last month.

Mrs. Ernest Godbe passed through Caliente Saturday night on her way from Salt Lake to Los Angeles, where she will continue to make her home. Her son, William Godbe, who is in the assay office at the Prince mine, motored down and had a short visit with his mother while the train was changing crews.

Last Saturday an immense chicken hawk was brought to earth by Paul Roberts, son of Conductor Roberts. This bird had been causing an immense amount of damage for some time, annoying the neighborhood poultry, and its deprent oia were brought to a timely end by the well directed shot high in the air by the young sportsman.

L. C. Denton and L. L. Bart have let a contract with Geo. K. Riding for the construction of a new moving picture theater to take the place of the old Rex theater. The new building will cost \$3,500, will be 25 by 70 feet and will be located immediately east of the new postoffice and will be finished within thirty days. A complete new seating equipment will be installed and it is anticipated to have the theater in operation by May 1. It is the intention to give three shows Saturday and Sunday. It is also the intention to give dances in the new building, and also accommodate the general public by renting it for public and private gatherings of all kinds when not otherwise occupied.

Dr. J. West Smith has plans drawn and is about to let a contract for a one-story addition to the building as a first class hotel. This addition will be in the rear of the main building, just back of the room occupied by Henderson's barber shop and pool room which is to be occupied as a dining room for the hotel. In the new addition will be placed the kitchen, hot air heating and hot water equipment. It will also contain a bath and toilet and a hallway extending from the dining room to the lobby in the main portion of the building. This annex will be of cement construction and it is Dr. Smith's intention to have the building completed and ready for occupancy within two months.

In Memoriam

We the undersigned committee on resolutions submit the following: Whereas God in his infinite wisdom has seen fit to take Mrs. Elsie Culverwell from among us.

Be it resolved that our charter be draped for thirty days in memory of her.

Be it further resolved that a letter of condolence be sent her bereaved family, and that a copy of said resolutions be printed in the Pioche Record.

In loving memory of Elsie

There is a place in our memory
Our lines that you fill
No other can take it
No one ever will.
Committee

Lena Franks.
Mona Scott.
Eva Slaughter.

Heard At The Movies

I wish you wouldn't put your arms around me when the lights go out, for they go on so suddenly like, that I jump.

On the screen "He'll be tickled to death—sotto voce in the audience "Gee, I'd like to be tickled that way."

Thompson seems to have lost some of his "Pep" since his visit to Salt Lake.

\$1,000 for one night. Some price.

See that young lady; she winks with two eyes.

I used to like Brunettes, but I like Blondes now.

The bed room scene in "Friend Husband." In the audience, "A \$10,000 husband with a 5 cent nerve."

She fell for him, and who wouldn't.

What is a twin bed for.

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ACTIVITIES OF THE LEASERS

Mansir and Crow who shipped a carload of ore from the mine at Comel which they have under lease from Culverwell and Ronnow received a check for a little over \$1,600, netting them over \$14 per ton, after paying railroad freight, assaying and reduction charges. This is certainly an excellent grade of ore; and they have another carload out for shipment. This is what counts, shipments by the leasers that brings in returns and good returns.

Chas. Culverwell returned from a visit to the mine Monday morning and reports that the mine is responding better than anticipated to the work going on. They now have three feet eight inches of solid ore, that will average as good as the ore which they have just received returns from, and the ore body is exposed enough to warrant in saying that they have at least two more carloads in sight. This is indeed good news, and it is shipments like this that will draw the attention of the investing public to this place more than anything else.

The Donohue-Stindt lease is still responding to development work, and ore is accumulating on the dump which will soon make another carload.

Of Interest To The Mine Owner

Owners of unpatented mining claims are advised that the assessment work must be performed during the year 1919. The resolution pending in Congress to extend the period whereby the owner could signify his intention of not doing the work failed of passage during the late session of Congress so there fore, the ruling that prevailed for the years 1917 and 1918 is arbitrated.

This matter is partially explained in a letter written by Senator Charles B. Henderson. It has since been learned that the resolution during the last hours of the session, although it had passed the Senate. The letter follows:

"Acknowledging receipt of your favor of the 21, I beg to advise that the usual assessment work will probably have to be performed for the year 1919. My measure eliminating this work passed the Senate, but from what I am able to learn, the House will refuse it. Also the time is so short that it is most unlikely that we could get this legislation passed in the House."

Very truly yours,
Chas. B. Henderson.

Nevada Now Has Prohibition Law

When it was discovered a few days ago that there was a very likelihood that the initiative prohibition law stood a good chance of being declared unconstitutional through the lack of record on the journals, and that the state supreme court had previously rendered a decision on this point, there was a hurry up to get a bill through to cover the ground.

Had there not been a new prohibition bill passed and the old law knocked out there would be a wide open state until such time as the federal law went into effect. Even this law is not yet a matter of working fact.

A new bill was drawn and offered by Assemblyman Chandler. This bill provides for more liberal features such as the sale and manufacture of near beer, the sale of liquors for medical purposes and extracts for the housewife. The bill is in line with what the people want.

The bill went through the Assembly, was hurried into the Senate declared an emergency measure and sent to the committee of the whole. There an attempt was made to amend with the initiative law per centage of alcoholic beverages but this failed and no amendments were attached. With a favorable report from the committee the bill has passed and is in the Governor's hands today.

Should the supreme court declare the old law ineffective and unconstitutional the new bill takes its place leaving Nevada on the dry side of the stream.

Then the amendments to the present act will have to be considered. This amendment to the initiative law provides for the use of near beer, extracts and some other trimmings. There is the contention that it is possible to amend the law providing that the amendments do not destroy the intent of the law or interfere with its enforcement and those back of the amendment are of the opinion that the present amendments as passed will in no way invalidate the law.

It is conceded that the people have voted the saloon out of business and it was the original intention of the law. If the legislature has straightened out the objections to the bill to the people as a whole then something has been accomplished, as it is confessed that the bill in its present form is too drastic and not the desire of the people as a whole. The next few weeks will probably see the opinions of the courts filed on the two issues and it may be that Nevada will enjoy some of the benefits of this legislation.—Carson News.

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