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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

Forecast for Lewiston and vicinity
Rain tonight and Wednesday;
high southerly winds.

Following data recorded at local
office United States weather bureau
at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Maximum temperature, 45; mini-
mum temperature, 32; mean tem-
perature, 38; precipitation, trace.

W. W. THOMAS,
Official in Charge.

OUR FARMS OUTFIT THE KLONDIKE

The discovery of the Alaskan gold-
fields and the turning loose of the
golden floods of the Klondike is what
saved the country from the hard
times of 1893, say the statesmen
of the Bryan school, but the gold
fields of Alaska are dwarfed by the
wealth produced by the American
farms, and the American farmer is
the greatest wealth producer in the
world. The report of Secretary Wil-
son of the department of agriculture
has some astonishing figures, and
shows why the farmer is able at this
time to save the nation by the val-
ues he has to sell from the products
of his farm.

The crops of the country this year
are worth 57 per cent more than in
1899, a time when prosperity was
considered at high tide. Secretary
Wilson says the crops of the United
States in the last nine years would
pay for "duplicating every mile of
steam railroad in the country," in
13 years "would replace the present
banking power of the United States
in capital, surplus, deposits and cir-
culation, and in 17 years would re-
place the banking power of the
world." With such a foundation for
credit, the supply of foreign gold
could be greatly increased in neces-
sary. Our exports of farm products
last year amounted to \$1,055,000,
or \$79,000,000 more than in
1906, the figures of which exceeded
any former year. The country, in
addition to meeting its own wants
on a liberal scale, has an immense
surplus to sell to the nations that
raise less food than they consume,
and have always upon their hands a
serious problem that is unknown in
the United States.

American farmers are in a differ-
ent position from that of the period
of depression in 1893. Many West-
ern farms at that time were hope-
lessly mortgaged, and one of the
main reasons assigned for the finan-
cial difficulty was the failure to meet
these obligations as they fell due.
Prices were low, work was scarce,
and many industries were suspended.
A great number of farmers were run-
ning behind. Now they are unusual-

The Light
That's Bright

Under the glittering
light of the electric
lamp every thing is
seen at its best. A
poorly-furnished house
becomes bright and
cheerful in appearance
with the introduction
of electric light.

The dark and dingy
store once avoided
by shoppers, quickly
changes its character
and becomes a busy
mart of trade under
the radiant brilliance
of Electric Illumina-
tion.

Call at Electric
Light Office

ly free from debt, their production
is largely increased and prices, on
the whole are better than ever be-
fore. For several years their chief
obstacle has been to secure as much
labor as they can apply to advan-
tage. This shortage of workers on
the soil still exists and is well worth
the attention of the unemployed.
They are wanted on the farms, and
there is no place where, with a little
capital, they can branch out with
more benefit to themselves. The re-
port of the secretary of agriculture
is most encouraging, and indicates
that what is called the panic of 1907
is in truth accompanied by condi-
tions of substantial prosperity.

THINK IT OVER

It has been hinted at from reliable
sources that Count Rossi is the cap-
italist that is going to finance the
"Modern Venice" scheme.

The presence of the national
troops down at Goldfield is simply to
insure to everybody a "square deal."
The bayonet is sometimes the pro-
moter of patriotism and fair play.

Governor Hughes is going to emu-
late Cincinnatus and stay with his
plow until called from the field. He
evidently takes his job seriously.

The banks still have the cash and
the people are acquiring the confi-
dence by the absent treatment.

Secretary Straus evidently thinks
that the yellow peril is not danger-
ous if taken in broken doses.

There will probably not be any
stringency in the circulation of New
Year's resolutions.

When divorce opens the family
closet, there is every reason to ex-
pect that we may witness the grin-
ning family skeleton.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Frederico Caragion, a subject of
Emmanuel III, king of Italy, yester-
day declared his intentions of be-
coming a citizen of the United
States. The applicant is 21 years
of age and has been a resident of
the United States for several years.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episco-
pal church will meet Wednesday
afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of
Mrs. T. O. Hanlon, 1022 Main
street.

Frederick E. Stevenson of Lew-
iston and Mary M. Grief of Santa
Rosa, Cal., were granted a license
to wed by County Auditor Gifford
yesterday.

Charles Bartlett, aged 14, and Hal
Bartlett, 15, are on trial today be-
fore Probate Judge Hanlon on
charges of incorrigibility. The de-
fendants reside in the Spalding sec-
tion and were arrested yesterday
by Deputy Sheriff Masters.

C. F. Byrne was an arrival this
morning from Kendrick. Mr. Byrne
states the Co-operative Grain com-
pany resumed buying grain at Ken-
drick yesterday, paying 69 cents for
club and 71 cents for bluestem. The
farmers are paid in cash. It is es-
timated the delivery at Kendrick this
season will reach about 300,000
bushels.

The regular monthly meeting of
the board of trustees of the Lew-
iston State Normal school was held at
the president's office at the main
building yesterday at 4 o'clock. The
principal business before the board
was the allowance of monthly bills,
including architect's estimates for
the contract work on the new build-
ing. The meeting was adjourned un-
til Friday to complete some unfin-
ished business.

The Little Home Bakery, at Sixth
and Main, will serve Baker's lunch
at all hours of the day.

The annual inventory of the Lew-
iston State Normal school property,
just forwarded to the state insur-
ance commissioner, shows that the
state has values in the institution
amounting to \$147,373.21, a gain for
the year of \$20,988.58. It is es-
timated in the report that \$15,000 of
this is in the dormitory to be known
as Lewis hall, now in course of con-
struction.

The twenty-one committee of the
promotion bureau entertained at din-
ner today George I. Scofield and
George F. Carroll of Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. S. E. Kyte left this morning
for Long Beach, Cal., where she will
spend the winter with her sister. She
has been visiting here with her son,
H. F. Kyte for the past three months

Mrs. Kyte's home is in Chico, Cal.,
and this is her first visit to the Lew-
iston country. She expressed her-
self as well pleased with the city
and delighted with the climate.

Robert Goucher, acquitted yester-
day on the charge of violating the
Sunday law, is on trial this after-
noon on a charge of selling liquor
to Indians. The case is being heard
before a jury in Justice of the
Peace Erb's court.

W. H. Stewart has purchased the
Dr. L. C. Henderson residence, on
Tenth street, in Clarkston, the con-
sideration being \$1,800. The prop-
erty is one of the choice residence lo-
cations, and has a street frontage of
150 feet.

H. L. Walrath was brought to
Lewiston last night from Orofino
and placed in the St. Joseph hospital
for treatment. He was accompanied
by Dr. Fairley, the well-known Oro-
fino physician.

The funeral of the late M. H.
Sprague will be conducted tomorrow
morning at 10 o'clock from the Vas-
sar undertaking chapel in the new
quarters on East Main street.

Miss Anna Richards, aged 23
years, died in this city yesterday
evening from tuberculosis. The de-
ceased came to the Lewiston coun-
try two years ago for her health and
until recently resided with her cou-
sin, A. F. Radinsky, near Waha. The
funeral arrangements have not been
completed.

E. L. Stewart, state horticultural
inspector for the state of Washing-
ton, was a visitor in the city yester-
day to investigate the nursery stock
of the Vineland nursery, with the
idea of buying heavily for the acre-
age property he is planting in the
Spokane country.

The Gamewell fire alarm system
recently purchased by the city is be-
ing installed this week. Manager
Brown, who came to direct the
work, has a force of men at work
in the central fire station putting in
the indicators and doing the wiring.

NORTHWEST INLAND NOTES

Spokane.—After several weeks
reign by holdups and thugs, and
numerous reports of robberies, the
crime of murder has been added to
the list, and while the police have
under arrest two suspects, the mys-
tery is still unsolved. The victim of
the tragedy was Peter Schultz, a
motorman for the Washington Power
company, who reached his hotel at
2 o'clock Sunday morning from the
car barn, and within an hour his
lifeless body was carried out of his
room. Schultz was severely beaten
and shot through the lungs with a
32-caliber revolver.

Walla Walla.—The new Y. M. C.
A. building is being dedicated with
appropriate ceremonies lasting for a
period of three days. The building
was thrown open today for the in-
spection of the public, and tomor-
row a general reception to the public
will be held.

Wenatchee.—Approximately 9000
acres of school land located in Doug-
lass county will be sold at public
auction from the steps of the court-
house in Waterville on January 4.
The land is appraised from \$10 to
\$16 per acre, and will be sold for
one-tenth in cash on the day of the
sale and one-tenth each year there-
after until the full amount is paid.
Any purchaser can make full pay-
ment for the land at the time of purchase if desired.

Wenatchee.—The irrigation of
Prairie View is a project that is now
being considered and will be fully
discussed at a meeting to be held
next Saturday. The proposition is
backed by a large number of promi-
nent citizens in the district affected,
and one of the features of the ir-
rigation plans provides for the sinking
of wells for artesian water.

Wenatchee.—A profit of \$4000
from a six-acre orchard of apple
trees that were six years old is the
record made this year by Wilbur Lit-
tle, who purchased the tract in the
northern section of the city a little
over a year ago. The profit of \$4000
is above the cost of picking, pack-
ing and marketing.

Reardon.—The city council has at
last passed the ordinance which in-
creases the saloon license from \$500
to \$1000 per year. Three saloons
are affected by the new ordinance,
and it is reported a fourth place will
be started within a few weeks. The
increase in the license has been a
matter of general discussion for the
past several months.

Toppenish.—E. H. Ferguson is be-

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All Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats			
Regular Price \$12.50,	Special price.....	\$ 9.95	
Regular price \$15.00,	Special price.....	12.45	
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Our stock is new and up to the minute. Owing to trade conditions it is too heavy. We sacrifice profits. Consequently our reduced prices are legitimate. Christmas shopping with us for Men is the place you are looking for, ladies.

Watson Clothing Co.

hind a project to organize a com-
pany to explore the Yakima Indian
reservation in search for oil. Mr.
Ferguson states all conditions indi-
cate the presence of oil and he is
anxious to organize a company that
will subscribe funds to carry on the
investigations.

Pullman.—The open weather has
permitted work to be rushed on the
new buildings for the Washington
State college, and during the past
several weeks a force of 50 men has
been employed in the work. The
progress on the buildings has been
most satisfactory, and within a short
time all of the structures will be
completed and turned over to the
board of regents.

Colfax.—The High school prin-
ciples of Whitman county met Sat-
urday in regular monthly session and
discussed matters of interest in the
High school work. The organization
of High school principals was effec-
ted some time ago, and the results of
the meetings are most satisfactory.
It is expected the plan of county or-
ganization will be spread throughout
the state within a short time and a
state organization will eventually be
effected.

Wallace.—Elaborate preparations
are being made for the firemen's
ball, which will be held on New
Years' eve. This ball is an annual
feature in the social life of Wallace,
and is considered one of the great-
est successes of the year.

Pullman.—M. M. Porter, account-
ant of the Washington State college,
has resigned his position and will
engage in farming and dairying. Mr.
Porter will raise only pure-bred
stock, and will make this one of the
leading features of his farm.

"My child was burned terribly
about the face, neck and chest. I ap-
plied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The
pain ceased and the child sank into
a restful sleep." Mrs. Nancy M. Han-
son, Hamburg, N. Y.

FROM THE COUNTY RECORDS
(By Commercial Trust Co.)

Deeds—Dec. 9, 1907.

Harry Lydon, sheriff, to Bayard T.
Byrns, SE ¼ NE ¼, N ½ SE ¼ S ½;
NW ¼ SW ¼, SW ¼ NW ¼ 4-37-
1 W., sheriff's certificate of sale,
\$180.55.

Clyde Hensley to Josie P. Leon-
ard, E 50 feet lot 4, block C, Mc-
Allister addition, \$1500.

Josie P. Leonard to George S.
Watson, E 50 feet lot 4, block C, Mc-
Allister addition, \$1500.

Patents

U. S. to L. Acrea, NW ¼ SW ¼
6; E ½ SE ¼ 6-40-2 E.

U. S. to Louisa L. Frel, SW ¼ SE
¼ 5-40-3 E.

U. S. to Fred C. McGowan, lots 3,
4, section 7-41-2 E., S ½ SE ¼ 12-
41-4 E.

U. S. to Hugh P. Henry, S ½ NW
¼ W ½ SW ¼ 17-41-2 E.

U. S. to Eva May Cady, E ½ SW
¼, SW ¼ SE ¼, SE ¼ NW ¼ 25-
41-2 E.

U. S. to John Frel, E ½ SE ¼,
NW ¼ SE ¼, SW ¼ NE ¼ 25-41-
2 E.

U. S. to Henry W. Puckett, SE ¼
NW ¼, S ½ NE ¼ 27, SW ¼ NW
¼ 26-40-1 E.

Michigan State Grange

SAGINAW, Mich., Dec. 10.—Hun-
dreds of delegates were in their seats
when the Michigan State grange be-
gan its annual meeting in the Ma-
sonic temple here today. The gath-
ering will be in session four days.
Reports of the various officers show
the past year to have been one of
unusual activity for the organiza-
tion, with a gratifying increase in
membership.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum
sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch
of your clothing. Doan's Ointment
cures the most obstinate cases. Why
suffer? All druggists sell it.

Can't look well, eat well or feed
well with impure blood feeding your
body. Keep the blood pure with
Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply,
take exercise keep clean and you will
have long life.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-
ward for any case of Catarrh that
cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh
Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., To-
ledo, Ohio.

We, the undersigned, have known
F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years,
and believe him perfectly honorable
in all business transactions and
financially able to carry out any ob-
ligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken in-
ternally, acting directly upon the
blood and mucous surfaces of the
system. Testimonials sent free.
Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all
druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for con-
stipation.

Order to Show Cause.
In the probate court of Nez Perce
county, Idaho.

County to show cause why order
of sale of real estate should not be
made.

In the matter of the estate and
guardianship of Eva D. Nichols,
Lois C. Nichols, Fred E. Nichols,
Charlie J. Nichols and Ralph E.
Nichols, minors, deceased.

F. W. Nichols, the guardian of
the estate of all of the above named
minors, having filed in this court his
petition duly verified, praying for
an order of sale of all of the real
estate of said minors for the pur-
poses therein set forth,

It is therefore ordered that all
persons interested in said estate of
said Eva D. Nichols, et al., above
named, appear before this said prob-
ate court on the 8th day of Janu-
ary, 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock
a. m. of said day, at the courtroom
of said court at the courthouse in
the City of Lewiston, County of Nez
Perce, State of Idaho, to show cause
why an order should not be granted
to the said F. W. Nichols, guardian,
to sell all of the real estate of the
said Eva D. Nichols, et al., minors
above named, and that a copy of this
order be published at least four
successive weeks in The Evening
Teller, a newspaper printed and
published in said city and county.

Dated this 4th day of December,
1907.

T. O. HANLON,
Probate Judge.

Filed this 4th day of December,
1907.

(SEAL) T. O. HANLON,
Probate Judge.

To Test Battleship Idaho.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The re-
sults of the trial trip of the Idaho,
which is to take place tomorrow off
Delaware breakwater, are awaited
with much interest at the navy de-
partment, where the new battleship
is regarded as one of the finest fight-
ing machines afloat. The Idaho is of
13,000 tons displacement and is ex-
pected to make 17 knots. She will
carry four 12-inch and eight 8-inch
breechloading rifles in turrets and
eight 7-inch breechloading rifles in
broad-sides, besides a strong second-
ary battery. She is a sister ship of
the Mississippi, also to have her trial
at an early date. Both vessels were
constructed at the Cramp yards in
Philadelphia.

Don't use harsh physics. The re-
action weakens the bowels, leads to
chronic constipation. Get Doan's
Regulators. They operate easily, tone
the stomach, cure constipation.