

CHERRY TREES ARE HIT HARDER THAN APPLES SAYS FRUIT INSPECTOR

Prospects Indefinite for Peach and Prune Crops Until Branches Thaw Out Enough for W. C. Hopson to Make Tests.

Milton apple trees were not damaged by the freezing weather, but Royal Anne cherry trees were badly injured, says W. C. Hopson, county fruit inspector who was in the city yesterday.

The recent moderation of the weather permitted Mr. Hopson to investigate the condition of the trees, which up to the present time had not thawed out enough to make tests possible. Mr. Hopson was unable to definitely state the condition of the peach and

prune trees, but he has sent twigs from the trees to O. A. C. where thorough tests will be made.

WESTERNERS CONFER OVER RECLAMATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Governors of western states and the members of the executive committee of the Western States Reclamation association are in Washington for a conference with senators and representatives of irrigation states.

The object of the meeting is to determine a uniform plan for the execution of the association's program. The reclamation organization will probably ask for an appropriation with which to complete all unfinished government reclamation work and to finance new reclamation projects.

28,000,000 WOMEN IN U. S. CAN VOTE IF SUFFRAGE WINS

Two Thirds of States Already Have Ratified Federal Amendment and Number of Other Legislatures to Meet.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The extent to which the women vote will count in the coming presidential election provided the constitutional suffrage amendment is ratified in time, may be seen in the fact that there are approximately 28,000,000 women of voting age in the United States.

Ratification of the amendment for which a minimum of 36 states is required is well under way. Since June, 1913, when congress submitted the amendment, 24 states have ratified. Rhode Island and Kentucky, ratifying on June 26, were the twenty-third and twenty-fourth states to swing into line.

Oregon's legislature convened in special session Monday and ratified the amendment. The National Woman's party predicts the same action by Wyoming, Idaho, and New Mexico, for which special sessions of their legislatures have been called within the next three weeks.

With Oregon, these states will bring the number of ratifications up to 28. Action is hoped for by the National Woman's party in Maryland, New Jersey and Mississippi, whose legislatures will soon meet in regular session. Virginia and South Carolina are also to have regular sessions at an early date. Eight other legislatures stand to ratify if special sessions can be secured," said the National Woman's party in a statement today. "They are Arizona, Connecticut, Indiana, Nevada, Oklahoma, Vermont, Washington and West Virginia."

"Of the 28,000,000 women of voting age, 17,000,000 are already eligible to vote for president in 1920. But only 7,000,000 will be able to vote for congressional candidates if the amendment is not ratified."

WITHDRAWAL FROM SIBERIA WILL TAKE PLACE IMMEDIATELY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Withdrawal of American troops from Siberia will be begun immediately, Secretary Baker announced today.

Some of the 8000 troops will be removed immediately to ships now in Siberia, and the remainder will be withdrawn as the evacuation of 16,000 Czech-Slave proceeds.

Some of the Americans will be taken to the Philippines which was their original station. All United States drafted troops are now out of Siberia, they having been replaced by enlisted men.

TRIAL OF 22 ALLEGED I. W. W. IS POSTPONED

SANDEPOINT, Ida., Jan. 13.—The trial of 22 alleged I. W. W., charged with violation of the new criminal syndicalism law has been postponed until January 19.

SAN FRANCISCO AND PORTLAND BOXERS SET 10-ROUND GO

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 14.—Johnny McCarthy of San Francisco and Alex Trambitas of Portland will swap punches in the main 10-round go of the boxing card which will be presented here tonight by the Portland Boxing commission.

VETERANS SET UP \$10,000 HOSPITAL FOR COMRADES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Jan. 14.—American Legion members here are determined to have their tubercular comrades in the service well taken care of. Disturbed with present arrangements for the soldiers' care, legion members decided to form a corporation with capital stock of about \$10,000 to take over a building formerly occupied by the San and Fox Indian agency at Stroud and convert it into a hospital for war veterans.

The corporation is to be formed by contributions from legionnaires and other sources interested in aiding the soldiers.

"WE REFUSE TO BE ROBBED." SLOGAN OF OLD CLOTHES CLUB

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Jan. 14.—"We refuse to be robbed" is the slogan of the Rock Island Old Clothes club, just organized. The object is to deal a solar plexus blow to the high cost of living as far as clothing is concerned. Buttons are worn bearing the magic letters "O. C." and the members checked themselves not to buy new clothes for six months.

CLOTHIERS MOBILIZE TO WAR ON H. C. O. L.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—The national retail clothiers association is mobilizing its forces for war on profiteers. One thousand members of the association met here today with the prime purpose of arranging full co-operation with the government in keeping prices of clothing as low as possible.

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MEDICAL CORPS HAS 730 COMMISSIONED VACANCIES TO FILL

Examinations, to be Held on March 15, Are Open Only to Applicants Between 22 and 32 for First Lieutenancies.

There are 730 commissioned vacancies in the Medical Corps, United States army, and for the purpose of filling them examinations of all eligible applicants will be held on March 15th next in the United States and its colonial possessions, including the Panama canal zone, as well as in France, Germany and Siberia.

In a bulletin issued today by Major General William C. Haan, in charge of employment of soldiers, it is announced that the examinations will be open not only to persons who have had military service in the world war but also to civilians.

First Lieutenancies.
The present law requires that applicants shall be citizens between the ages of 22 and 32 years, and that the original appointment be made in the grade of first lieutenant.

Hitherto it has been required that an applicant shall have served at least a year as an interne in some post graduate hospital, but this condition is waived for those who have served satisfactorily as commissioned officers for a period of at least one year during the world war.

Must Include Data
Applicants for examination in this country must be addressed to the Surgeon General of the Army, Washington, D. C. They must contain the following data: Name in full; date and place of birth; permanent address; medical schools from which graduated, with dates; professional experience; statement of military service; and documentary evidence of citizenship, if of alien birth.

All the applicants selected will be authorized by the proper authorities to appear at a designated place for examination by boards to be convened under instructions from the adjutant general of the army. Applications from those now in the service must

DRINKING OF BOOTLEG LIQUOR KILLS WEALTHY RANCHER NEAR BOISE

Idaho Moonshine Peddler Commits Suicide After Confessing to Sale of Beverage Containing Wood Alcohol.

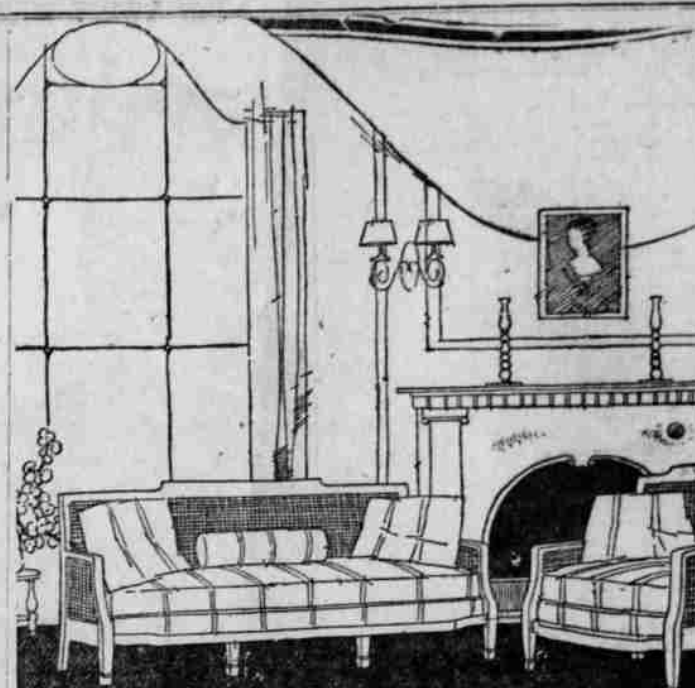
BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 14.—That the indiscriminate drinking of bootleg liquor in Idaho is proving fatal to imbibers just as it has in other states is shown in a report made by Louis D. Williams, collector of internal revenue.

He reported that Bill Jenkins, of Oneida county, a barber, committed suicide after he had confessed to the sale of liquor in which wood alcohol had been placed. One of the victims of the concoction was Nye Davis, a prosperous rancher. His death has aroused widespread indignation in that county and the climate is being made unhealthy for the bootleggers.

DEMAND FOR KAISER EXPECTED THIS WEEK

PARIS, Jan. 12.—The supreme council is scheduled to send a note to Holland early in the week demanding the surrender of the former kaiser. It is understood the big peace conference over unfinished peace matters are expected to reach a definite agreement for the disposition of Fiume before Wednesday.

he made through military channels. Further information may be had on application to the surgeon general of the army.



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