

BEET MEN GET PAID DEC. 15

This Year Amalgamated Sugar Co. Will Pay \$7,000,000 to Growers

More than 600,000 tons of beets were purchased during the season which just ended from farmers of Utah and Idaho for the eight sugar plants in operation in Utah and Idaho. Vice President S. M. Edgell of the Amalgamated Sugar company said today. This is \$6,000,000 more than were purchased in 1919 records show.

With the final beet pay day set for December 15, farmers of the two states will receive \$7,000,000 from the Amalgamated Sugar company for beets delivered during the month of November.

During the entire season the farmers of Utah and Idaho will have received \$7,000,000 for sugar beets when the final amount is paid December 15. Eight factories of the company are in operation in Utah and Idaho. Beets from the various farmers were transferred from farm to factory in record time, according to Mr. Edgell.

Impanel Jury for Basil Demos Case

With the impaneling of a jury this morning in Judge A. W. Agge's division of the district court, the trial of Basil Demos, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses, opened. The entire opening session was consumed in the jury selection and it is not likely that the case will get fully under way until late this afternoon.

Demos is alleged to have sold a store in Ogden to Charles S. Wheelwright and to have claimed the stock free from all debt. Wheelwright is said to have paid \$1800 for the business and to have found after the disappearance of Demos that \$700 was still owing on the stock. Demos left the city following the sale in November 1919, and is said to have left many debts behind. He successfully eluded the officers until four months ago when he was captured in East St. Louis and returned to Ogden for trial. Following his arrest he was released on bonds of \$2000.

14 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

TRIES TO LIGHT FIRE WITH 'GAS'; DIES OF BURNS

William G. Bovee, an employe of the Union Pacific railroad at Green River, Wyo., was fatally burned yesterday morning at Green River, according to word received here today. The report received today stated that Bovee, who was in charge of the freight department, attempted to light a fire in a small stove in the freight house, using gasoline instead of coal oil on the fire. The can containing the fuel exploded, Bovee receiving burns on the arms, legs, head and chest, which resulted in his death at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred at 7:40 a. m.

Bovee is the son of N. A. Bovee, of Herman, Nebraska, and had been employed by the Union Pacific at Green River for several months. No damage was done to the freight house, the flames being extinguished by other employes who rushed to the aid of Bovee. Bovee was unmarried.

Deputy Returns With Alleged Auto Thief

Deputy Sheriff Dick Wootton arrived in Ogden last night from Lewiston with Fred Wasley, 24 years of age, charged with the theft of an automobile October 19, from W. H. Draney of Ogden. Wasley is now in the county jail.

The officer said that Wasley admitted taking the car from Ogden. On arrival at Lewiston he ran the car into a shed near the sugar factory where he was repainting it when Logan officers found him at work, it is said. Wasley is said to have run when the officers approached and to have hid in the sagbrush where he was captured within a short time.

The car is said to be undamaged and will be brought to Ogden today. Wasley is an iron molder, but has been employed as beet topper near Lewiston recently. His parents live at Everett, Wash., he said.

Wireless Phones to Be Installed Here

J. B. Adams, telephone engineer of the fourth forest service district, was in Ogden a short time yesterday afternoon, but departed last evening for Idaho to install a switchboard at the headquarters of the Idaho forest.

Mr. Adams is expected to return to Ogden within a month, and establish wireless telephone communication between the Forest Service building at the corner of Twenty-fourth street and Lincoln avenue, and the Aerial Mail station at the state fair grounds in Salt Lake.

Equipment for installing the wireless telephones is already on hand at the forest service building. The sets will be adjusted for use in the Thunder Mountain forest in Central Idaho.

The Social Season Has Arrived

FORMAL Dress must be correct in every detail, particularly in the wearing of the needed accessories. The open season for celebrating is here—the opera, the theater, the dance and other social functions. Accuracy of fashion and quality elegance are certain in everything you buy here for formal dress.



'Better School Week' Program Outlined Returned to Ogden on Wife Desertion Charge

'Better School Week' is being observed throughout the Ogden schools this week. The program at the Grant school, arranged by Principal Henry Barlow, is typical of what is being done.

On Monday the school emphasized education as it appealed to the pilgrims; the central topic was the educational ideals of the pioneers. Wednesday will be given over to a discussion of the financial benefits derived from an education. Thursday the school will participate in community singing and then listen to a fifteen minute address by Superintendent W. Karl Hopkins, while on Friday a general summary of the week's work will be compiled.

George Matthias, formerly of Ogden was brought to the city last night in custody of Deputy Sheriff R. B. Woolley of Winterquarters and placed in the county jail on a charge of wife desertion. Matthias is alleged to have been arrested at Winterquarters while working as a coal miner. The complaint for his arrest was sworn by Mrs. Matthias who resides in Ogden and who claims that her husband has refused to provide for her support. Matthias went to Winterquarters three weeks ago. He is 45 years of age.

D'ANNUNZIO CALLS OFF HIS WAR AGAINST ITALY

TRIESTE, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press).—"The state of war" between the regency of Quarnaro at Fiume and Italy will not proceed, said an official statement given out by headquarters of General Gabriele d'Annunzio today. It declared this decision had been reached because d'Annunzio had received a note from the Italian minister of war stating that General Cavaglia's order which brought about the poet-soldier's declaration of a state of war with Italy, did not have the character of an ultimatum. Members of the special commission of Italian deputies which has interviewed d'Annunzio at Fiume, left for Rome tonight. Some of the deputies said in conversation that they had hopes that an agreement could be reached.

Rod and Gun Ass'n to Name Officers

The annual election of officers will feature the monthly meeting of the Weber county Rod and Gun association, to be held Friday night in the county court house. A. T. Hestmark, president of the club will preside at the meeting. Elections of a president, vice president, secretary-treasurer and three directors will be made.

China exports about \$2,000,000 worth of firecrackers a year.

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Utah Railroads Pay Record Tax Per Mile

Railroads in Utah pay higher taxes per mile than in any of the other states where they operate, with the exception of the Oregon Short Line in Idaho, for the present year, according to the biennial report of the state board of equalization. In Idaho the main line pays a high or tax per mile than the main line in Utah, but this difference, says the report, is almost offset by the higher taxes paid by the branch lines in Utah compared with the taxes paid by the branch lines in Idaho. The board finds that in Utah this year the Oregon Short Line pays an average of \$296.34 on its main lines, or an average for all lines of \$1364.16. In Idaho the same railroad pays on its main line \$2264.79 per mile and on its branches \$619.49 per mile, or an

average on all lines of \$1251.50. The railroad pays a total of \$319,592.54 in taxes in Utah, where its mileage is 112 miles of main line and 114 miles of branches, and \$7,996,744.97 in Idaho, with 613 miles of main line and 932 miles of branches.

In Wyoming the Short Line pays \$738.58 on its main line and \$273.74 on its branches, or an average of \$679.63 per mile. In Montana, \$955.34 for main line and \$668.99 for branches, and in Oregon, \$1367.36 for main line and \$262.24 for branches, with an average of \$487.11. The Oregon figures are for 1919, those for 1920 not being available at the time of compiling the report.

The 1919 taxes of the Denver & Rio Grande, based on main line and branch tracks, were \$894.91 in Utah, \$536.45 in Colorado and \$361.59 in New Mexico. In Utah this year that road pays \$768.36 on main line and branches. Figures for this year in the other two states are not available. The Union Pacific Railroad company's figures in Utah this year were

\$2909 for main line, and \$284 for branches, an average of \$1698 per mile. In Nebraska that railroad pays \$1914 on main line and \$523 on branches, an average on road of \$1167.2. In Wyoming the company pays \$1084 on main line and \$169 on branches, an average of \$1101.3; in Kansas, \$1084 on main line and \$104 on branches, averaging \$600, and in Colorado an average of \$819 a mile on all lines.

IOWA MAIL CAR BANDITS GET LONG PRISON TERMS

DES MOINES Iowa, Dec. 7.—Fred Poffenberger and Orville Phillips, of Council Bluffs, two of the participants in the big mail robbery there, recently, were sentenced to 18 and 13 years, respectively, in prison at Leavenworth, late yesterday by Judge Martin J. Wade, of the United States district court. They pleaded guilty.

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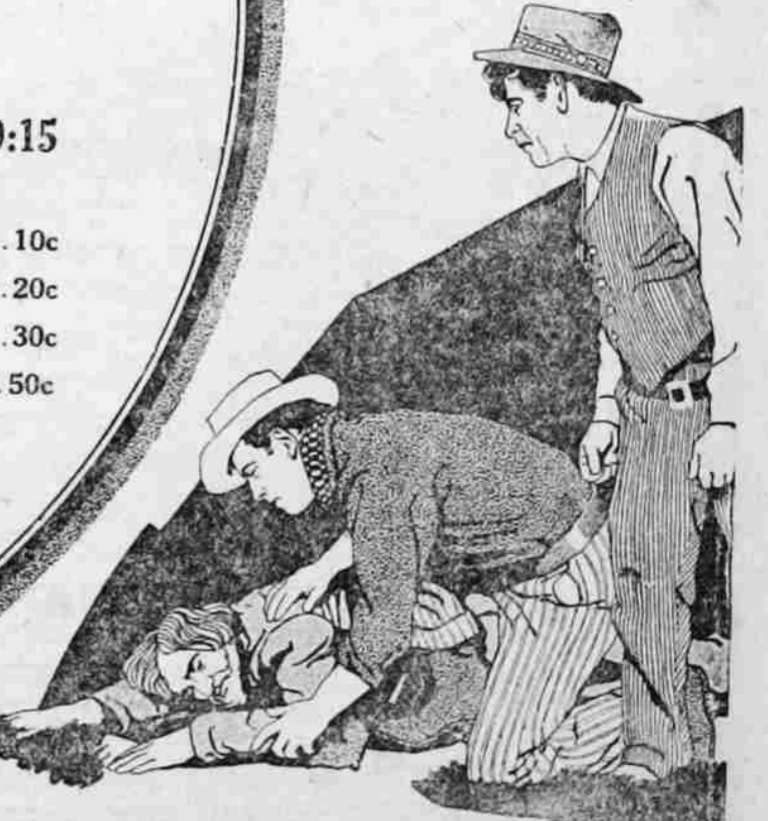


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Come in on the Schedule



PIONEER WEEK ALHAMBRA STARTING TODAY 5 DAYS