

News from Her Majesties and Cities and Towns.

GERMAN IS DISCOVERED DEAD

Commits Suicide While En Route To St. Anthony, Where a Position Awaited Him.

TOURIST SLASHED BY NEGRO.

Judge Budge's Office Holding Contested Because He is Latter. Day Saint—Other News.

Special Correspondence. Pocatello, Idaho, Dec. 12.—John G. Cramer, a German, aged 46 years, en route from Topeka, Kan., to St. Anthony, Idaho, where he was to accept a position of instructor in shoemaking at the industrial school, committed suicide at the Pannock hotel some time Monday.

SLASHED BY A PORTER.

C. D. Loomis, a passenger traveling from Chicago to Portland, Ore., was slashed by a porter on a train.

CONTEST IS FILED.

An echo of the last state election was re-acted Monday morning at the courthouse when an appeal was filed by the Democratic state central committee of Idaho against District Judge Alfred Budge.

GROWTH AT McCAMMON IS COMING RAPIDLY.

Special Correspondence. McCammon, Dec. 11.—McCummon has made rapid growth in the last 12 months.

CAUGHT BIG FISH.

Lew Lehrbas, the popular conductor and sportsman who has a record of catching the largest trout this year, came nearly losing his laurels the other day when his active opponent, Ben Bean, returned from the "Big Bend" last Thursday with a trophy.

CLERKS ELECT OFFICERS.

At a reorganization of the Retail Clerks' union last Wednesday the following officers were elected: Lee Harper, president; Rose Gilmore, vice president.

MONTEPHELIER OLD FOLKS GUESTS OF HONOR.

Special Correspondence. Montpelier, Dec. 12.—The old folks party, given at the Pavilion on the evening of the 4th inst., was a complete success in every particular.

IDAHO BOY A WONDER AT HANDLING BEETS.

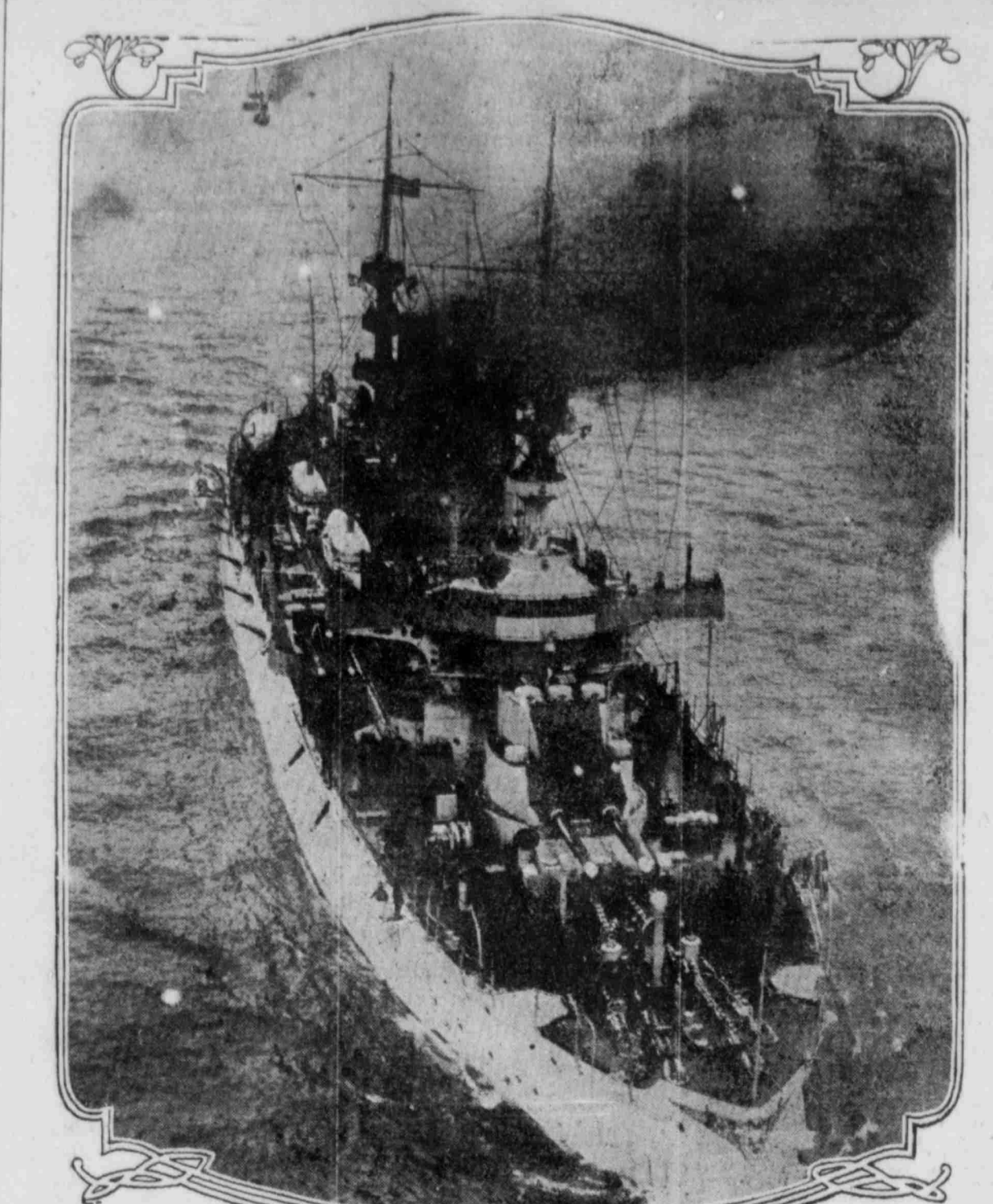
Special Correspondence. Whitney, Ida., Dec. 12.—We have a challenge to offer any beet grower in any part of the section, and that is this: There is a 12-year-old boy here in Whitney (Delorus Beckstead) who drove a four-horse team and dumped into the cars over 25 tons of sugar beets in less than nine hours' work.

W. W. Clark; song, "Hard Times Come Again No More"; select reading, Miss Shury; address, President, Jos. E. Shopy; herald; vocal solo, "Count your many blessings"; Chas. R. Pierce; select reading, Miss Rose Law; song, "Home, Sweet Home."

Several foot races were engaged in and prizes awarded. Dancing of old-time dances also afforded much enjoyment to the aged, as well as some of the younger persons in attendance. In the step dancing contest, Mrs. Joh Dunn, who is past 72 years of age, was an easy winner, receiving as the prize an elegant carving set. At 11 o'clock refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, coffee, cocoa, and cake, were served in the balcony. The Bear Lake Valley Railway & Electric Light Co. has just changed hands.

L. R. MARTINEAU TALKS TO MALAD'S GOOD PEOPLE.

Special Correspondence. MALAD CITY, Dec. 12.—Helliman, the 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Eszell, died Tuesday. The child has never fully recovered from an attack of the measles which he had about a month ago.



BATTLESHIP VIRGINIA PASSING OUT ON WAY TO JOIN FLEET IN HAMPTON ROADS. The accompanying picture was taken from the Brooklyn bridge, and shows the U. S. S. Virginia as she was steaming seaward en route to Hampton Roads, where she will join Admiral Evans' Pacific "Fight or Flee" fleet.

ALLOTMENTS ARE NOW ANNOUNCED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Owing to the generally good condition of the range in all parts of the state, few changes will be made in the grazing allotments on the national forests in Idaho for the season of 1908.

NOTES FROM NAMPA AND NEIGHBORING COUNTRY.

Special Correspondence. NAMPA, Dec. 11.—The weather for the past week has been very threatening, with but little rain.

STORK BRINGS THREE GIRLS TO HIBBARD.

Special Correspondence. HIBBARD, Idaho, Dec. 7.—The stork has brought three girls to Hibbard.

greater part of the sickness being colds and la grippe. There have been, however, four or five cases of typhoid fever of quite a serious nature, but except one have now pretty well recovered.

MITES FROM MENAN—BABBES PASSES AWAY.

Special Correspondence. MENAN, Idaho, Dec. 9.—The six week's old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson died Dec. 5, after a short illness.

BAPTISMS IN ENGLAND.

THE Millennium Star of Nov. 28, reports the following baptismal services in the English conferences: A baptismal service was held at the Gordon Public Baths, Manchester, on Nov. 19.

SUGAR CITY ENJOYS WELCOME FALL OF SNOW.

Special Correspondence. SUGAR CITY, Idaho, Dec. 11.—About four inches of snow fell here last night and this morning.

PRESTON PEOPLE MEET—NO PANIC PERPLEXITY.

Special Correspondence. PRESTON, Dec. 12.—While the people of southeastern Idaho have read considerable relative to the present financial straits, they have scarcely known that anything out of the ordinary had occurred.

MARYSVILLE SUFFERS FROM MONEY FLURRY.

Special Correspondence. MARYSVILLE, Ida., Dec. 11.—This place, like other towns, feels the effect of the money panic.

ALLEGED FORGER RETURNS TO COAST

Gov. Gooding Honors Requisition Papers for San Francisco Fugitives.

BIG CONCERNS ARE AT WAR

Special Correspondence. BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 10.—Governor Gooding has granted requisition papers for A. I. Rogers, alleged forger of San Francisco, who is now under arrest in Wallace, this state.

CONCERNS AT WAR

While the supreme court was in session in Moscow last month, a case was filed in which the Potlatch Lumber company et al. vs. the plaintiffs and the Northern Pacific Railroad company et al. defendants.

IRRIGATION SCHEME

D. W. Ross, engineer of the reclamation service in Idaho, has just returned from Washington, D. C., where he has been perfecting arrangements for a great storage reservoir.

FORMER SALT LAKER KILLED IN PARKER.

Special Correspondence. PARKER, Idaho, Dec. 9.—Friday night and Saturday it rained and froze Sunday. The approach of winter has every one piled up with coal.

ing a popular school as attested by the large enrollment. Miss Nellie Thomas addressed the Ladies' class in the academy Wednesday morning.