

out to start Sunday, will have been surrendered. A detailed statement will be given at the close of the drive.

Does your lamp work right? Bring it to C. H. Gundlach, next to the post office—Adv. 2112.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hood, formerly of Elko, who had been spending the winter in California, spent a portion of Tuesday in Wells visiting with Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Olmatnd. They were en route to their home at Adrian, Michigan.

Mrs. E. O. Raymond and son, Ed Auld, returned Monday evening from Salt Lake City. During the operation performed upon Edward for adenoids, as mentioned last week, his tonsils were also removed. Returning here, they stopped over in Ogden for a short visit with friends.

In sending the goods a mail will save delay by stage for return of caravans—Score—Adv. 2112.

From Ogden are to the office of Mr. D. F. Nelson, who has 110,000 miles on the road to 110,000 more, bonds will be on sale.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pengelly and two children were overseas the first part of the week from Merlin. They will remain about a month. Mr. Pengelly reports that last Sunday more than \$10,000 worth of bonds were sold in the St. Elmo stores at Merlin. Mr. Pengelly will return Harry Day, who will spend a month in his farmhome at Wells.

Bretch, Carl, Cora, Dorothy, Russ, June and Robert, Louise Lampier are returning to—Adv. 2112.

The following words, taken from the independent, touch conditions in the towns in this country than either state of the far bank to the river is bestowing upon the Indians. Indians, however, know of three tribes who seem to have less and the more each day if they are forced to hand over the land to the "White" at the price of a fleecy payment.

Now is the time to put up good, fresh eggs. Call at the Wells Drug Store for Egg-Keep.—Adv. 2112.

A social, for the benefit of the Red Cross, will take place at the opera house in Wells on the evening of Friday, April 28th. The Indians having this affair in charge are working like beavers making every arrangement that will lead to the pleasure and entertainment of those who attend. A feature of the social will be "The WHITE Elephant." Be sure you see the exhibit. A large advertisement elsewhere gives all the particulars.

If you know why plumbing or repair work to be done, send for C. H. Gundlach, the plumber, next to the post office—Adv. 2112.

Joe Ralph of Elko, salaried after several days spent in Salt Lake City and Ogden, returned here on Saturday evening of last week. At the latter place Mr. Ralph purchased three purebred Hereford bulls, for one of which he paid \$400. The animals were shipped here and will be used with his cattle for breeding purposes. Mr. Ralph is one of the most successful cattle raisers in Elko county and knows the value of keeping his herds well bred up.

Order your McCormick mowers in pairs early. Tabor Lumber & Tract Co.—Adv. 2112.

Clara, Neddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin, Farmers

of Elko, are to be married Saturday afternoon.

Fix a comfortable chair, a good book received recently at the post office—Adv. 2112.

CHIEF OF RUBY INDIANS MAKES A STATEMENT

During the past week or two the papers of the state have contained articles under such heads, telling that there was grave danger of an Indian uprising in the eastern part of the state, and that the Indians of Deep Creek, Idaho, were and Tamahave been brought into public war on the whites. In order to set at rest apprehensions that may be entertained of an uprising, Mr. Herold has interviewed MacLean Timmok, chief of the Idaho valley Indians, who is spending sometime in Wells with his family, and the chief states that any of the Indians of his country entertain any idea whatever of making trouble. He has issued a statement in writing authorizing publication as follows:

Wells, Nev., April 18, 1918.

I want everybody to know that I don't want to fight the people around here. I am very clean any time when I am washed, because my grandfather was the first chief and was the one that made friendly with the whites at Ruby valley in the early days, and after he died my father took his place. Several years ago he remained out, I suppose then, I have had several councils with the chief at Deep Creek, Idaho, and they stated that they will help America, a way that white needed.

"I also want the people around here to know that I don't know anything about the uprising at Deep Creek. There is only one Indian at Deep Creek or the reservation who has been trying to organize some Indians for an uprising, and he resulted an informer. We don't know the guilty one for certain. If we did we would send him to jail, or whatever else he needs. My tribe has nothing bad to say about the whites, and we don't want any trouble with them.

"I want the people to remember my grandfather made the first treaty with the whites in the State of Nevada in the nation. His tribe helped the whites fight the Renegades Indians at that time. If my people are needed we will go to war without being drafted. We want all to know that my tribes are not citizens, but we will all go to war against Germany if wanted. If the fire comes to this country. That is all I have to say now."

"If anybody wants to see me they will always find me at the Indian camp at Ruby Valley."

"CROSSING MOUNTAIN TIMMOK."

EUREKA COUNTY GOES "OVER THE TOP" IN GOOD SHAPE.

Lately it has been reported by many people that Butte County was "dead," a term used to indicate that times were very quiet over there. However that may appear to some, the result of the bond issue in that county proves that it is very much alive. On the first day of the present bond drive

the people here today availing on a driving party and patriotic meeting seem well the population of the county does not seem strong yet, while in the take home games. The guard accompanied by the band band came up one hundred strong early in the evening. The band played patriotic air and the guard drilled on the street, to the great delight of the spectators.

United was served in the lunch dining room to the members of the guard and their partners. At eight o'clock all turned to a merry dancing party. Besides those from Elko, large crowds came from Winnemucca, Dayton, Elko, and Lovelock. Fifty-six tables were placed around the hall.

The scene of the evening was the government of the flag to the guard by W. M. Wiley, on behalf of the State Republicans, and the color guard by Captain Herold. The guard, E. H. Miller, and Major Carter of Elko, members of the guard, spoke eloquently in defense of the flag. The guard will soon be presented for inspection by gathering of the轩辕族 citizens of Elko county in the spirit of loyalty and devotion to America. The ideals was summarized as follows:

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have disposed of my auto business at Tabor, Nevada, to Mr. M. Lombardi. All sales prior to the 14th day of March, 1918, are payable to me alone. Notice is also given that, having disposed my concession with the Indians, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted or incurred of the business prior and after the 14th day of March, 1918.

H. Z. OLSON.
Tabor, Nevada, March 10, 1918.—Adv. 2112.

RED CROSS BAZAAR AND JITTER DANCE

To be given by
THE RUBY VALLEY IMPROVEMENT CLUB LADIES

At Mercantile Hall

SATURDAY, MAY 11

There will be Intermission and cake, a candy booth, a spread booth, and games such as checkers, etc.

Donations will be gladly accepted by the president, Mrs. Leslie Sharp.

Everybody come. It's a fun time, and help a good cause.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE

51 Gazette Bldg., Reno, Nev.
APRIL 2, 1913.

Mr. H. G. McBride,
Elko, Nevada.

Dear Sir:-

I recall our conversation last summer in reference to some land and water in Ruby Valley, and have learned that you and associates have acquired considerable land and have filed on the water in the locality where we have some six or seven hundred acres of Indian land, part of which is served by an old Indian ditch in which they have had a water right for many years. I hope to have their right fully recognized by other water users, and trust that there may be no conflict with any one in securing such right. You doubtless know that no ditch can be constructed across this Indian land without a permit from the Interior Department for such right-of-way. If it is your intention to construct any ditches which will affect the Indian land in any way, I would be glad to give you such additional information as may be required, and to report the case to the Office for proper action as promptly as possible, in order that the development of your property may not be delayed. I feel sure that you will appreciate this information if you are not already in possession of it, as it might save you future litigation.

Hoping that all these matters may be adjusted amicably, I am

Very respectfully,
C. E. Asbury
Special Agent.