

SKATING ON THE TRUCKEE ENJOYED AT RENO.

Right in the heart of the city, thanks to a week's temperature of twenty degrees and less, the largest pleasure resort opened here for many years is now enjoying the patronage of hundreds of Renoites, and ice skating is becoming the chief outdoor sport, taking the place of motoring, golf and all other pleasures that fall into the background when the thermometer drops and the snow begins to fly.

Ice skates that have been stored away for years are being brought out, sharpened up and made ready for use, and it is estimated that fully 3000 people participated yesterday in the greatest of winter sports—ice skating—either as skaters or interested spectators.

Riverside drive from Bellé Isle bridge west for three blocks was lined with automobiles all day and hun-

dreeds stood on the banks of the river watching the skaters, the boys playing hockey on the ice and particularly some excellent performers on ice skates cutting fancy figures with their steel runners.

It has been nearly ten years since the river has been frozen over with ice thick enough to skate on and with the help of the city street cleaning force and the fire department, it is thought that the skating will be kept in good condition for a few weeks more providing the temperature drops below freezing every night, as has been the case for several days.—Reno Gazette.

Vice-President Marshall in a recent statement said that the suffering of Belgium at the hands of the Germans seemed to him mild in comparison to the brutality exhibited by Turkey toward Armenia. He pleaded for help for the starving hordes.

SAVING AT SPIGOT WASTING AT BUNGHOLE

One of the most conspicuous examples of public ownership of electric railways is the case of the Boston Elevated.

It was taken over about a year ago and has run the taxpayers in the hole in that time over three million dollars.

The commission handling the property for the state is an able one, and is composed of five of the sharpest New England financiers who get into politics.

With hue and cry they attack the high salaries paid the officials, and have managed to save twenty-five thousand dollars in that respect but have run behind in their general expenses over three million dollars and carried 18,000,000 less passengers than for a similar period of 6 months last year under private management. Rates have already been increased

from five cents to seven cents and if the deficit is to be made up ten cents must be charged.—The Manufacturer.

TELLS HUN DELEGATION THEY MAY GO TO HELL.

Food Administrator Herbert C. Hoover, now in Europe arranging to supply the people of the devastated regions, refused emphatically to discuss German food conditions with Teuton envoys who sought a meeting.

In answer to their request for a conference he sent the following message: "You can describe two and one-half years of arrogance toward ourselves and cruelty to the Belgians in any language you may select and tell the pair personally to go to hell, with my compliments. If I do have to deal with the Germans it will not be with that pair."

GRAND LODGE HONORS MEMORY OF GRAND TYLER.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Adolph Jacobs were held at Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon and many members of the Masonic fraternity and a large circle of friends were present to pay their last tribute to one who had been brother and neighbor to a number of them for more than half a century.

The ceremonies were conducted by the Grand Lodge of Masons, of which branch "Little Jake," as he was lovingly termed by his friends, had served as grand tyler over twenty years. Past Grand Master George Gillson of this city presided and there were several grand officers present from this and other parts of the state.

The ceremonies, in accordance with Masonic ritual, were simple, but impressive, and were followed by the singing of several hymns by a selected choir and the rendition of "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" by Mrs. W. P. Harrington. Eulogistic remarks were also made by T. L. Bellam, grand chaplain, of Sparks, and Hon. Sam Platt of Reno. Both testified to the character and enabling qualities of "Little Jake" and each spoke from actual contact with him. The former as he knew him in Masonic activities, and the latter as one who had enjoyed and cherished the friendship of the deceased from the days of childhood.

At the conclusion of the services the lodge recessed, but shortly before 6 o'clock it again formed and escorted the remains to the depot and placed them on the outgoing train, by which they were conveyed to San Francisco, where burial will take place.

The pallbearers, all brother Masons and old-time friends of the deceased, were Sam Platt, W. H. Cavell, P. B. Ellis, Tom Olds, S. H. Peters, and Abe Cohn.

Among visiting Masons attending the ceremonies were M. L. Johnson, W. H. Scott and G. W. Spencer of Dayton, Grant Merrill of Woodfords, T. L. Bellam of Sparks and M. W. Kyle, A. W. Holmes, Sam Platt, E. D. Vanderlieth, J. E. Threlk, J. A. Donnelly, W. M. David and Sydney Foster of Reno.

The remains were accompanied on their last journey by Mrs. Jennie Jacobs, the widow of the deceased, and their son, Isadore Jacobs.—Carson Appeal.

WILL HOLD EXAMINATION FOR MOAPA POSTMASTER

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Las Vegas, Nevada, on January 25, 1919, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Moapa, Nevada, and other vacancies as they may occur that postoffice, unless it shall be decided in the interest of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$481 for the last fiscal year.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a state where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at eighteen years, women eighteen years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications must be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

GEORGE TATE DEAD.

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suicidal intent, on the 31st day of December, 1918."

George Tate was 64 years, six months and three days of age at the time of his death. He was a native of England and had resided in Las Vegas since 1912, prior to which time he resided in Searchlight for several years. He was a quiet, pleasant man and a good citizen. During his life here he made many friends, who sincerely regret his unfortunate end.

The funeral services were held on the afternoon of January 2, Rev. W. H. Rogers officiating, and the remains were interred in the Woodlawn cemetery.

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