

## BRIEF ITEMS from Neighboring Towns

## ONTARIO

It was announced this week that Ontario will have a new 750-seat theater incorporating the latest plans incorporated in theater construction. Estimated cost of construction is between sixty and seventy thousand dollars, Howard Mathews of the Roxy Theatre stated.

City lots priced at more than \$10,500 in the aggregate were sold by the city council on Monday.

The Chicago Bridge & Iron company was successful bidder on the erection of the new 400,000 gallon water tank which will be a unit in the new water system program.

## VALE

Fred Berry and Leo Hellenak, owners of the Vale Creamery, announced this week that they will

start remodeling shortly after the first of the year with building expansion to follow later in the year designed to install a modern locker system with 1200 new all steel lockers.

Sixty tracts of county owned land were sold at auction last week. The total returns from the sale amounted to \$13,500.

## EMMETT

The bureau of reclamation will have one more year of battling the million yard dirt slide on Little Freezout hill near Emmett before a project, now completed, will overcome the difficulty.

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ROLAND DISCHARGED  
AT GREAT LAKES

Cyril W. Roland, A. M. 1/c R. 2, Payette, was discharged from the Navy at the Great Lakes, Ill., separation center Dec. 9, according to word received at this office.

ELMER REECE  
DISCHARGED FROM ARMY

Pfc. Elmer Reece, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reece, R. 1, Payette, was discharged from the army at Fort Douglas, Dec. 13 after having served 54 months in this country with the Ninth Armored division.

Before entering service Reece was employed as a farmer in this section.

## Strengthens Joint

Animal glue sticks to wood because in its thin, warm solution it penetrates the pores while still fluid. When it solidifies and dries its tremendous shrinking power draws the fibers of one piece to the other, making the joint stronger than the wood itself and of equal durability.

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## Glue in Horn Pits

Contrary to popular belief, the hoofs and horns of animals do not yield glue. But the pits of the horns are good sources of raw material.

## Lengthen Wear

Underarm shields and a back shield keep a dress fresh longer—postpone cleaning, and lengthen wear. Sleazy trims which make a garment look cheap may sometimes be replaced by more durable trimming.

## 100,000 Gypsies in U. S.

There are probably more than 100,000 gypsies of Romany blood in the United States and the number is increasing, according to the Associated Press.

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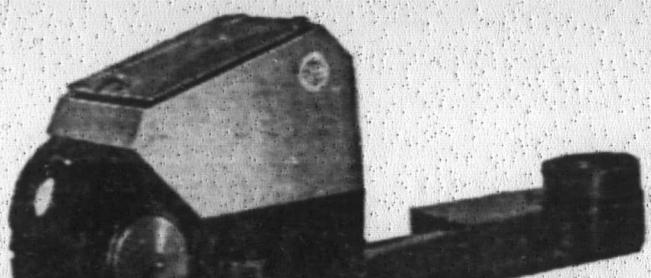
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