

Idaho News From Her Main Cities and Towns.

POCATELLO HAS A MURDER MYSTERY

Bruised Body of a Babe Thrown Into Snake River From a Passing Passenger Train—Funeral of Victims of Short Line Wreck at Eaton—Smooth Grafters Come to Grief—Movement on Foot to Establish a Baseball League for Southeastern Idaho Next Season.

Special Correspondence.
POCATELLO, Ida., Sept. 29.—The extreme to which a woman will go to hide her sin from the eyes of the world, even to the utter disregard of the laws of humanity and of God, has just been revealed in the gruesome discovery made by the young son of Charles Rutledge at American Falls last Friday. The young man was fishing along the Snake river, and as he passed under the trestle whereon the trains of the Oregon Short Line cross the river at American Falls, he noticed a suit case partly submerged in the shallow water near the bank. He drew it out of the water and upon opening it was horrified to find therein the body of a baby girl, apparently about four days old. The body was barely cold when discovered, and was dressed in clothing of the finest material, showing that this crime had been committed by some one of means. The skull was frightfully bruised, and round the little one's neck a shoe string was so tightly wound that it had cut into the flesh, death having undoubtedly resulted from strangulation.

It is the theory of the officers that the little one was killed on the train Thursday morning, and then placed in the suit case and thrown out, as the train was crossing the trestle, the intention being to have the Snake river hide the secret in its silent bosom. The friends evidently failed to rightly calculate the speed at which the train was moving, hence instead of falling into the river the poor little fell into the shallow water near the bank, where it was subsequently discovered. Some of the officers are of the opinion that the crime was committed here in Pocatello, and the body taken on the train Thursday morning to the place where it was thrown off. It is stated that the actions of two women in a sleeping berth just at that time aroused suspicion, and they are being watched.

Deputy Sheriff Salt went to American Falls and obtained the body, and also the clothing in which it was dressed, and as far as he has been unable to discover any clue that would lead to the discovery of the guilty parties, as there must have been more than one person implicated in the crime.

WRECK VICTIMS BURIED.
The remains of Knute Rovelstad, the fireman on the passenger that collided with the "Cannon Ball" mixed train at Eaton last Saturday morning, were laid to rest here Monday. The funeral services were held under the auspices of the local lodge Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Knights of Pythias, the deceased being a member of both organizations.

The Eagle conducted by the remains to the cemetery, and the ladies auxiliaries of both orders also took part in the proceedings.
Eugene Alex. LaRose died at the hospital at Boise Saturday night, from the effects of the severe scalding under the wreckage from whence he was drawn by the engine agent of the train. He remained by his side to the last. The remains have been brought to this city and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Knights of Pythias are in charge of the funeral arrangements from the Catholic church here on Wednesday afternoon.

The remains of J. W. Harrison, the mail clerk, were sent to his home in limited baggage. The wreck is very company officials to keep the matter to themselves. It is reported that the body of Harrison was found in a doublet having just been taken out of the wreckage. The other mail clerk, D. M. Meeklen, escaped without injury. Harrison was forced out of the car on a pile of mail sacks, but how it happened he cannot explain. No one was injured on the freight train, but on the passenger Mrs. Lucy E. Walker, of Dalton, Miss., had an arm broken and several minor injuries. Mr. O. M. Hargis, of Demar, Kan., body that are not serious. He is recovering from his wounds. He is recovering from his wounds. He is recovering from his wounds.

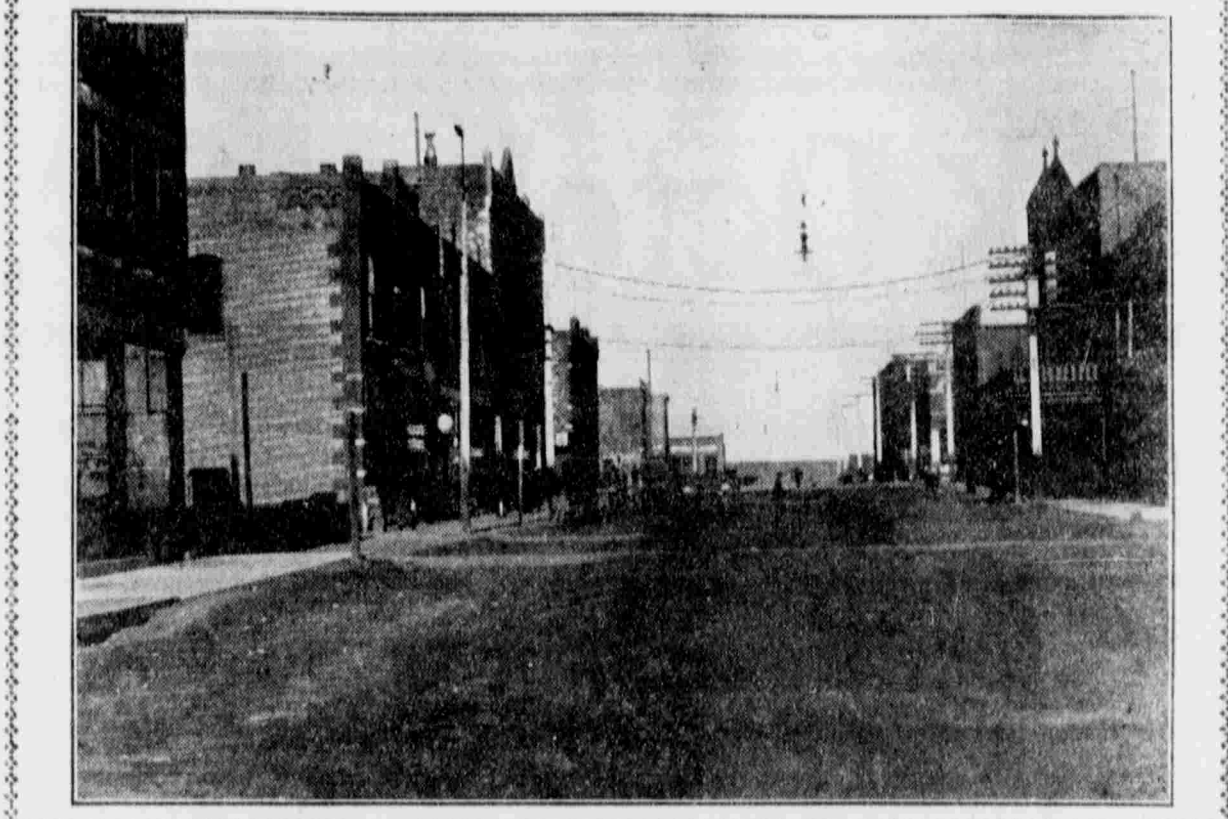
GRAFTERS HELD.
R. F. Matthews and J. R. Fowler, two smooth alibi grafters, were arrested by Idaho White's court Tuesday, and they were waived examination and held on \$500 each. These are the two who worked the E. F. Davis, and are supposed to be the parties who have cracked several others by the same graft.

This method was to call for an express package and to suddenly find themselves short of change, at least so he is said to have done, and would go to the bank to loan them enough to get the parcel, as they were in a desperate hurry, and they would make a charge for him afterwards. The money was well and after securing the parcel, they left the lender waiting outside the office while they went to the bank and the gentleman of the account and the gentleman of the account and the gentleman of the account.

WOMEN RAIDED RUSSELL DIVE.
Special Correspondence.
RUSSELL, Ida., Sept. 28.—Two ladies of this place, enraged at the fact that there was a gambling dive in operation, armed themselves with axes, and, taking a leaf from the book of Carrie Nation, swooped down on the Green's Soft Drink emporium. This institution has been operating here for some time, and rumor

IDAHO FALLS RISES FROM ASHES.

District Which Was Wiped Out by Fire Less Than Thirteen Months Ago Is Now the Site of Some of the Best Business Buildings in Northeastern Idaho.



DISTRICT WIPED OUT BY FIRE A YEAR AGO.

The accompanying reproduction of a photograph taken for the "News" shows the heart of the business section of Idaho Falls, which was totally wiped out by fire less than thirteen months ago. Undismayed by the worst fire in the history of southeastern Idaho the progressive citizens commenced clearing away the still hot ashes prior to erecting better, larger and more substantial business buildings. How well they have succeeded is shown in a measure in the picture. Stone fronts, plate glass and other modern accessories to up-to-date business houses mark Idaho Falls, which today appears to have arisen, if the old hackneyed phrase can be used, phoenix-like from her ashes with stronger pinions and more handsome plumage.

LEWISTON TO HAVE \$125,000 HOTEL

Building is to Be One of the Finest in the State of Idaho—Superintendent of Schools of Nez Perce County Reports on Conditions --Commercial Club Meeting.

Special Correspondence.
LEWISTON, Ida., Sept. 27.—There is a movement on foot to erect a hotel in Lewiston to cost, when completed, \$125,000. The building will be one of the finest in the state, and will be used exclusively as a hotel. An architect has been employed and plans will be submitted in a few days. The size of the structure has not been definitely decided upon, but it will be at least four stories in height, and of the most modern material. Work on the building will be commenced within a reasonably brief time.

SOUTH SHOSHONE SCHOOLS.
Miss Bernice McCoy, superintendent of schools of Nez Perce county, returned yesterday from a visit to the schools in the south Shoshone district of the county, says the Tribune today. Owing to the delay met in adjusting the financial matters between Nez Perce and Shoshone counties, growing out of the annexation of south Shoshone to Nez Perce county, a fund of \$4,723 is credited to the south Shoshone districts has been held up, resulting in much embarrassment to the school districts affected. Miss McCoy's visit was made for the purpose of conferring with the school directors and patrons of the schools toward the end of taking some step to relieve the situation, pending the period when the money due the districts becomes available.

NEW FURNITURE COMPANY.
Bishop Milo A. Hendrick has sold out his interests in the grocery line and associated himself with the Kasaska Furniture company.

MONDAY FILE.
A blaze, that but for the activity of the members of the fire department would have wiped out a whole block, broke out in the Clayton block, on Front street, Monday morning.

NEW MEETING HOUSE.
A new meetinghouse for the L. D. S. Church at McCammon is to be built in the near future. A site has already been decided upon and work will be commenced at once. The Relief society gave a fair last week that was well patronized by all the settlers, and the display of products raised in and around McCammon was a surprise to all. Especially was this in respect to the display of fruit, plums, peaches, etc., made a display that was a revelation to all. The ladies realized a neat little sum from the proceeds of the fair, which will go into the building fund.

UNIQUE REUNION AT LEWISVILLE.
Patriarch P. G. Taylor, whose posterity numbers 400, honored by his descendants and relatives—News of the Week From Thriving Settlement.

Special Correspondence.
LEWISVILLE, Sept. 25.—A goodly number of old friends and relatives coming from Wyoming, Utah, Oregon and all parts of Idaho, were called together at the Taylor reunion held at Grant, Sept. 21, in honor of Patriarch P. G. Taylor of Harrisville, Utah.

SAD ACCIDENTS AT IDAHO FALLS.

Still Another Child Loses Its Life by Falling Into an Irrigation Canal—Little Girl Gets in Front of Mowing Machine and Legs Had to be Amputated—Y. M. M. I. A. Stake Conventions Well Attended Despite the Inclement Weather—A Runaway Every Day.

Special Correspondence.
IDAHO FALLS, Sept. 28.—Mr. J. T. Eeservy, who lives a few miles north of Idaho Falls, had the misfortune to lose his 16-months-old daughter by drowning last Saturday. The child wandered from its mother's side while she was busy, and before any one was aware of its absence it had fallen into the swiftly flowing Harrison canal. The body was found about half a mile below where it is supposed to fall in. The parents are heartbroken over the sad affair. Funeral services were held from the Willow Creek ward house on Sunday.

CUT BY MOWER.
On Tuesday of this week occurred a very sad and distressful accident to the child of S. A. Hanson, who lives in the settlement six miles west of Idaho Falls known as New Sweden. Mr. Hanson was cutting hay and in some unexplainable manner, his little girl got in the way of the cutter bar on the mowing machine and had her legs so badly cut and lacerated as to make amputation necessary. Mr. Hanson is frantic over the sad affair and blames himself for what he terms his carelessness, although he says he did not see the child until its painful cries reached his ears.

SUDDEN DEATH.
Mr. J. M. Hanson, a young man in the employ of the Times office, died very suddenly Monday of this week, due to a hemorrhage of the lungs. The young man has made a host of friends since residing here and his sudden demise has cast a gloom over the community.

STRENUOUS TIMES.
There have been no less than three runaways during the past three days. In a fight last Tuesday a young fellow, was hit in the head with a rock by Mr. Wilson, and put "hors de combat." After being revived he went on his way wiser though very sore bodily. He had

WEEK'S NEWS FROM BOISE CITY, IDAHO.

Special Correspondence.
BOISE, Ida., Sept. 28.—With his leg badly crushed and broken, body bruised and mind in almost a state of delirium, D. M. Parry of Salt Lake lay upon a cot in the St. Alphonsus hospital in this city, as the result of having been jostled from the train while attempting to pass from one car to another while the train was running full speed between Nampa and Boise on Sunday.

No one chanced to see the unfortunate man fall, consequently he was doomed to lie beside the track in the bleaching sun until another train came along to pick him up, which did not happen until several hours of painful waiting.

The attending physicians are using every effort to save the badly broken limb, but they entertain doubt as to the possibility.

INTERURBAN ROAD.
Work on the interurban railroad line to be constructed from Boise to Caldwell by the Boise Valley Railway company, limited, Donaldson and Ustick, chief promoters, begins this morning.

IMPORTANT CASE.
In the case of the United States vs.

SHEEP MEETING HELD AT WEISER.

A MEETING of importance to every sheep and cattle man in the state was held in this city Tuesday, when the members of the state sanitary board met for the purpose of discussing matters of interest to them, says the Weiser World.

The principal object of the meeting was to discuss the question of dipping sheep again this fall.

The meeting was called to order in the Commercial club rooms by President Fred W. Gooding of Shoshone. The other members of the board present were: D. H. Moseley, secretary; W. H. Allison, W. H. Philbrook, Dr. F. A. Allison, state veterinarian surgeon, and Dr. G. E. Noble, state veterinarian.

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