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LAID AWAY AT REXBURG.

D EXBURG, Ida., April 12 .- On Mon-

and Rexburg has seldom witnessed so

large an outpouring of people to pay

day Mrs. Chloe Clegg Osborn and

her baby girl were laid to rest,

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MOTHER AND CHILD

Special Correspondence.

TOWNSITE FOR M'CAMMON SLATED

Company Has Been Organized to Plat Out Section Purchased Adjacent to O. S. L.

REGULAR POCATELLO BUDGET

Commercial Club Gets Busy on Matters of Concern to the City -Other Items.

special Correspondence. OCATELLO. Ida., April 13th .---D Ouite a stir has been created here over the news that has come from McCammon during the week, and present indications are that McCammon bids fair to become quite a prominent spot on the map of Idaho. The news referred to is to the effect that a company has been organized, to be known as the McCammon Investment company, and composed of T. M. Edwards, J. P. McDermott, Frank Waxelberger, Charles Edwards, H. O. Harkness and Thomas Jenkins, for the purpose of building up McCammon and encouraging business enterprises of all kinds to locate there.

To this end the company has bought up all the holdings of Mr. Harkness there, with the exception of the hotel, the creamery and the livery stable, these will be retained and operated by Mr. Harkness.

The land purchased comprises about The land purchased comprises about 40 acres, lying close to the tracks of the Oregon Short Line, and surveyors will be put to work at once platting it and laying out the lots. Streets will be laid out, graded and lined on either side with shade trees, and it is stated that a force of forty men will begin work on the new townsite immedi-oicly.

Plans are already out for a two story hardware store, to be built of brick also a drug store (this later to be operated by the Ferguson-Jenkins com-pany of Pocatello) and several cot-tages, a bank is also to be put up in the near future, and situated as it is in the center of a large farming and

stock raising country, as well as be-ing the junction of the Oregon Short Line from the east and south, Mc-Cammon would appear to possess ev-ery advantage necessary to make of it quite a respectable village.

COMMERCIAL CLUB.

The Commercial club of Pocatello is beginning to interest itself in some matters of concern to the city, but matters of concern to the city, but which for some cause or causes un-



I. B. PERRINE.

Pioneer Fruitgrower in the Twin Falls District and Tpye of the Idaho Self-Made Man Who Has Risen to Affluence by Taking Advantage of The Natural Resources of the Gem State

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PRESTON ITEMS TOLD BY CORRESPONDENT.

Special Correspondence. D RESTON, Ida., April 13 .- Francis Clayton was operated on last Tuesday for appendioitis. At last reports he was recovering nicely from

the operation. On Friday Judge Alfred Budge of Paris, Idaho, was in town in the interest of the High Creek Electric Light and Power company. Judge Budge says that the company expects to have

the city of Preston lighted with electricity by July 1. On Friday Ed Hollingsworth, recently released from a term of imprisonment in the Montana state penitentiary, entered the office of Atty. A. C. Smith, while under the influence of liquor and demanded money of Mr. Smith. On Mr. Smith's refusal to "pay

up" Hollingsworth caught him by the A CCORDING to the snowfall bulle-tin issued by the U.S. throat and began choking him. The disturbance attracted the attention of passers by and the marshal was called. Hollingsworth was placed in jail to sober up. Mr. O. O. Crockett has received word of the release of his son George who has been doing missionary work for the past two years in the Southern states.



vere. The snow is fast disappearing, and the roads are getting dry, but it will be some days yet before farming will commence

commence. On Saturday the 31st ult., a farewell party was given to J. R. Pugmire, who departed the next day for a mission to England. He is the third son of the family to be a mission of the family to go on a mission to England. His father died while on a mission to Tennessee in 1888.

DEPTH OF SNOW IN IDAHO AS REPORTED TO MARCH 31

Special Correspondence.

MARYSVILLE, Ida., April 13 .--Preparations are being made to

SPRING AWAKENING AT SUGAR CITY NOW ON.

Special Correspondence, C UGAR CITY, Fremont Co., Ida., April 12 .- For the past week the weather has been delightful. Spring is surely here to stay. The grass is springing up everywhere and the trees are again showing signs of life. The farmers are busy getting ready for spring work; and some have already been out on their land with plows, harows and levelers. Prospects are very tright for a prosperous season for the farmers and stock raisers of these parts. The building boom is still on and as fast as material is shipped in it is put

into the buildings. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Timpson arrived from Salt Lake today. Mr. Timpson left last week for Salt Lake City. While there he was united in maniner to there he was united in marriage to Helen Mar Whitney, daughter of Apos-tle Whitney, Mr. Timpson is stenog-rapher for the Sugar company at this point, and has a host of friends and as-sociates who wish him well for the fu-

The Primary dance given in the opera house last evening was a success and netted the association a neat little sum with which to meet expenses.

GOOD OPENING TO BE SECURED AT LA BELLE.

Special Correspondence.

A BELLE, April 10 .- The weather is fine at the present time, the snow has nearly all disappeared, under the warm spring sun, but it freezes at night yet. The farmers are busy getting their land ready for the crops.

The matrimonial fever struck this place in the month of February, and

it has become quite contagious, four couples having been made happy since it first broke out. On the 14th of March the Bishop's daughter, Grace, was given a reception on the occasion of her marriage to Carl A. Pearson,

Bishop Morgan performed the cere-mony. About 70 adults and children partook of a sumptuous dinner. People are beginning to arrive in this

Snake river valley seeking new homes, and an invitation is extended to all those who wish to change their loca-tion to see this place before they buy elsewhere. There is room for 25 or 30 There is a good opening for a mer-chant, a music instructor, and other

professions The Relief society celebrated the an-nual day in a fitting manner.

DOINGS DURING THE WEEK AT PARKER, IDAHO.

Speial Correspondence.

DARKER, Ida., April 12.-Except where it drifted the snow is gone in Parker, but very little work has been done so far. Most of the snow sank into the ground, as it thawed, instead of running off on a frozen crust, as it often does. The only stir here at present is on account of the "county

BRIGHT FUTURE IS AHEAD OF CASSIA COUNTY.

AKLEY, Cassia Co., Ida., April 12.--- A good many conference visitors are returning home; bringing with them enthusiastic reports of a splendid time. People seem to be well pleased with the new appointments to the general authorities.

Among the things which look good to the people of this part of the country, with respect to future developments the following may be noted: Water for the south side in 1908.

An electric railway line from Twin Falls City to Oakley, via Rock creek, Dry creek, Warm creek and Burley.

Electric lighting and power for the entire valley from Shoshone and other power plant sites along the snake tiver, A marble factory and cement works at Willow creck. Machinery for the Burley pumping

plant will arrive shortly from Chicago and will be ready for use as soon as the electric power with which to operate the same will be ready. The coun-ty is taking on a steady, healthful growth and the people are happy and cheerful

REMOVAL OF COUNTY SEAT. There is a strong sentiment in favor There is a strong sentiment in favor of moving the county seat from Al-bion to Burley. Burley is on the rail-road, and, is the city of the future. This change will meet with almost universal approbation as it will bring the county seat 16 miles nearer to Twin Falls; 10 miles nearer to Oskley. Marion and Basin, and will shorten the distance of travel from Rock creek and all points along the lower south side. all points along the lower south side. It will also be favored by quite a good-ly number of the residents of Yale, Albion, Elba and Almo, Burley is the logical site for the second for the source for

ogical site for the county offices, therefore there will be little or no opposi-tion to the change. This will leave Albion a model school village, with the state normal and a splendid local where the state normal and a splendid local school.

It is reported that Maj. F. R. Reed, Burley's rusting land agent, will soon accept a situation with one of the big land companies of the northwest. He has made Burley grow, and will make any district look up, to which he may depart.

The major has done so much to relieve the sufferings of the new settlers on the south side in securing recognition from government reclamation of-ficials, with reference to pumping plant affairs, that there is quite a sentiment in favor of electing him to the United States senate or house of rep-resentatives. But the major is always true to his friends, and as there are other candidates for the senate, he modestly declines that honor. How-ever, there is a strong possibility that Cassia county will put the gallant Fred forward for congressman.

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Farmers of the Snake River Valley Organize for Their Mutual Benefit.

INTO \$500,000 CORPORATION.

For the Purpose of Getting Their Supplies, Machinery and Building Material at Reduced Prices.

Special Correspondence,

B LACKFOOT, Idaho, April 13.-For some time past the farmers of the Snake River valley have been endeavoring to effect an organization for the purpose of educating themselves in the growing of more uniform crops in order that their products may demand a better price and also for the purpose of protecting themselves against extorionate prices they are compelled to pay for farm implements, machinery

and building materials. The organization which was com-pleted at Blackfoot on the 10th inst. has pieted at Blackfoot on the 10th inst. has a capital stock of \$500,000, divided into 500,000 shares. It is known as the Farm-ets' Protective Association and com-mences with a membership of \$00 farm-ers extending from St. Anthony on the north to Pocatello on the south. Head-quariers have been established at Blackfoot, and the following have been elected for the first year:

Blackfoot, and the following have been elected for the first year: Directors-W. D. Huffaker, Idaho Falls: S. W. Laythe, Market Lake; Josiah Call, Rigby; R. H. Smith, Rex-burg; S. D. Fullmer, Salem: Wm. Cam-eron, Parker; W. D. Trego, Blackfoot, Officers-R. H. Smith, president; S. W. Laythe, vice president; J. T. Car-ruth, secretary; D. R. Jones treasurer; W. D. Trego, general manager, The board of directors are some of the most successful farmers of the val-

the most successful farmers of the valley and represent about \$150,000. They anticipate working upon a strictly cash basis and to buy in car load lots all supplies used by the farmers and sell them at wholesale prices plus the ex-pense of handling, thus benefiting the farmers both in their purchases and in

Tarmers both in their purchases and in the sale of their products. For two years past the Blackfoot Real Estate company have been doing an ex-tensive business under the management of J. Z. Stewart, of Logan. Utah. Hundreds of families have been located in this valley through the efforts of the company and on immense amount of company and an immense amount of real estate has changed hands. J. T. Carruth and Ed. Benzley, of this place, have purchased the interests of the other members of the firm and will con-tinue to do business under the same name, J. Z. Stewart returns to Logan.

been neglected in the

At the meeting of the board of gov-ernors held at the office of Chairman James H. Brady, Monday afternoon, the proposition to open a road from Pocatello to Marsh valley was freely discussed.

It is proposed to build a road run-hing over the hills from Inkom-twelve miles south of here—instead of following the circuitous route around by way of McCammon, as at present. It is claimed that the proposed road would cut the distance down to 18 miles, instead of 40 miles as at pres-ent. Before going ahead with the road however, it will be necessary to obtain permission from the govern-ment as part of the route lies through the forest reserve, and the matter of making final arrangements has been eft with the committee on roadways the

he matter of sewerage for the city of Pocatello, was also discussed and it was the order of the directors that the city officials be urged to give the mat-ter their earliest attention.

ART EXHIBIT.

The faculty of the academy are making arrangements for a splendid art exhibit here, commencing April 18, and extending over April 21. To this end the promoters of the enterprise have arranged with the A. W. Elson company of Boston Mass for an excompany of Boston, Mass., for an ex-hibition of 187 pictures, including carons, photogravures, oil paintings, etc. The object of the exhibit is to give te people of Pocatello an opportunity f seeing reproductions of some of the ork of the great masters, and to secure additional pictures with which to adorn the walls of the academy, for this latter purpose a small admission fee will be charged and whatever is left after the expenses have been defrayed will go for that purpose. The exhibit will be in the Trinity hall. Manager Segafoos, of the De Forest

reless, delivered his most interest-g lecture in the McNicholls and right hall here Tuesday evening, and result has been that the Rocky Mountain Bell company here is in danger of being left girlless, the girls having evidently concluded that there would be nothing doing in their line after the watch pocket 'phone spoken of by Mr. Segatoos was installed, and as a consequence several of the oper-Jountain Bell as a consequence several of the oper-ators have announced their engage-ments to be married. Manager Sega-foos is responsible for the statement that a station will be established here within the next 30 days.

BRIDGE WASHED UT.

County Commissioner W. H. Larwho is attending a meeting of the and here this week received word esday that the bridge over the Bear ver at Soda Springs had been washed away. The commissioners appropri-ated 3249 for repairs to this bridge at tell last meeting, and the money had list been expended, so that that mount as well as the cost of the oridge originally has gone down the

Hopson & Hull who have been in grocery business here for so long t the memory of man runneth not the contrary" have decided to cide it their grocery line and are aring to open up a first class furni-house in the building they are w occupying. The Buhl townsite opens April 17,

and the Short Line announces a rate of \$4.75 for the round trip, tickets on sale April 14 and 15, and limited to April 25. There will also be a sale of school lands in the vicinity April 16 and it is expected that quite a number of prospective purchasers will take adof prospective purchasers will take ad-vantage of the reduced rate.

CHINA SALE

Now are at 25 E. First So. Studio, noom 36 Hooper Block.

On Saturday evening a reception was held in the Third ward meetinghouse in honor of Elder William Hawkes who has recently returned from a two year's mission- to the Eastern states

In a practise game of ball the other day Guy Peterborg fell, breaking his arm between the elbow and the wrist. Mrs. Soren Peterson has been critically ill for several days. The Commercial club met in the

Fourth ward meetinghouse last night veral committees reported on work done since the last meeting. The reports showed that the committees have been doing considerable "boosting for Preston.

The work of excavating has begun for the basements of the two business blocks to be built by J. G. Smith and John McQueen.

and John McQueen. On Friday Nephi Jenson of Glendale was thrown from a horse, badly wrenching his right shoulder and otherwise shaking him up. A number of farmers commenced plowing the first part of the week but were compelled to discontinue on ac-count of raivy weather which hes

count of rainy weather which has prevailed for several days. Students at the O. S. academy are

preparing for commencement which of May. There will be two days' pro-gram. Members of the general board are expected to be present. This year there will be nine graduates as fol-Normal course, Carmen Benson, there will be nine graduates as for-lows: Normal course, Carmen Benson, May Eames, Phillis Page and Jennie Tanner; dressmaking course, Mabel Wilcox, Jennie Smith, Ella Kofoed, Julia Walgren and Vinna Hale. There will be a dancing party given at the academy tonight. Prof. John Johnson of the academy has returned from Salt Lake where

has returned from Salt Lake where he has been for the purpose of makhig arrangements with Salt Lake art

itss to give a concert at commencement exercises next month. Last evening a surprise party was given Mr. S. R. Parkinson at his new home on First East street. The occabome on First East street. The occa-sion was the celebration of his 75th birthday. Music and games were the order of the evening. Those pres-ent were members of the family.

The students' domestic meetings at the academy have been discontinued for the year on account of so many of the officers of the Domestic society having left school. The Students' Do-

naving left school. The Students' Do-mestic society has been one of the most active and useful in the school during the past year. As the school year nears its end a great deal of en-thusiasm and class spirit is manifest in the organization of, the various classes. With the spiring weather the students are also beginning to take lively interest in the out-door sports. lively interest in the out-door sports.



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nent of agriculture, Idaho sec tion, the snowfall during March, while unusually heavy in some of the valleys. was, as a rule, in mountainous districts somewhat deficient, so that the prospect for an abundant flow of water is in

some sections not so good as it was at the close of February. Conditions have been favorable, however, for the con-tinued packing of snow in the mountains. In the upper Snake River drain-age area correspondents are unanimous in predicting a waterflow above the average. Reports from the region drained by the Bear river indicate that drained by the Bear river indicate that the snow supply is abundant and well packed. But few reports have been received from Wood River points, but the outlook for a good flow of water in that stream seems good. In the area drained by the Boise river the snow supply seems somewhat uneven, but is generally equal to an abune the aleganse

generally equal to or above the average, and is well packed. The Owyhee and Seven Devils mountains carry good covrings of snow, promising more than he usual amount of water. In the salmon and Clearwater drainage areas,

nd in the extreme northern portion of he state, drained by the tributaries of the Columbia, the snow supply is rela-tively less than that found farther south, but the snow is solid, much of it having fallen early in the winter, and the waterflow from these streams will probably be somewhat above average. 'he fact that so large a part of the now fell early, and has therefore had

ample time to drift and pack, is favor-able for the continuing of a good flow till well into the summer.

IDAHO PARISIANS START UP SPRING WORK.

Special Correspondence. DARIS, Ida., April 12.-A week age,

a foot of snow covered the valley. but a few days of warm sunshine followed by showers have reduced nearly all to mud. The conference visitors who crossed the valley to Montpeller in sleighs last Wednesday are returning over roads hub-deep in mud. It will he nearly two weeks before any plowing can be done. The winter has been

ing can be done. The winter has been one of the longest and coldest in the history of the valley, and the price of hay has been higher than for many years. Cattle are in good condition, however, as they have been well fed notwithstanding the high prices of feed. Scowcroft Bros. of Ogden have recently established a mercantile instituion here with E. M. Pugmire of St. 'harles as business manager. It is starting out in aggressive style, and will, no doubt, draw its share of the

local trade. Exhibition day was observed at the Fielding academy March 30, when the missionary and winter courses closed. The representative visitors from various wards of the stake spoke in highest commendation of the work exhibited in the respective departments, and were

especially pleased with the excellent showing made in manual training. One conspicuous step in advance of forme school seasons was noted in the fact that the academy now has its own, orchestra, which delighted the visitors with appropriate music. Another sign of program was the academy of of progress was the publication this year of a well edited school paper, "The Search Light," which makes its appearance in magazine form twice each month. A number of calls have recently been

received by academy students, who have been pursuing the missionary course of study, and they will depart to their various fields of labor in the near future. to their various heids of labor in the near future. William A. Budge, a grandson of President Budge of this stake, recently left Paris for a mission to Great Brit-ain, a farewell party being given short-ly before his departure.

extend the railroad toward the Park line at an early date, and every.

her, as do her mother, two sisters, Mrs. Luella Jackson and Mrs. Beh L. Rich, and a brother, Isaac W. Clegg.

PROSPECTS OF A BOOM.

MARYSVILLE ENJOYING

thing points to a bright future for Marysville. No town in the great Snake scorcher. River valley has brighter prospects. The business men are well organized and are all working to centralize the business and make this town grow up for the best interests and welfare of the people, and they are encouraging good, substantial buildings to be erected

for business purposes. It is expected that many visitors will flock into this country this season. A contract has been let to enlarge the main canal to a capacity to irrigate about 9,000 acres capacity to irright about 9,000 acres more land than is now watered. Some 4,000 of this land is held under the Carey act, which will be opened up this season; the balance is subscribed for by the settlers, and will now put hun-dreds of acres of the best land in this part of the country under cultivation, inducements are being offered the brea Inducements are being offered the large land owners to divide up their land with the theusands who may come in seeking homes. Good, thriving, hones and industrious people are desired, for there is room here for many such to make themselves comfortable, while land is being sold at a reasonable figure. Monday, the 3th, the Relief society gave its annual reunion, which was a day of rejoicing and feasting. As the day appointed happened to be on Bish-op James H. Wilson's birthday, they surprised him with a present of a leath or upholstored chair.

The smallpox cases are now confined to one family, and it is hoped no more cases will break out.

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seat" business, and if the temperature rises as rapidly up to the time of elec-tion as it has done so far, it will be a Hay is from \$12 to \$15 a ton and very ittle to be had even at that figure. There was born to Wm. Hunter and

wife, March 27, a girl; to Fred H. Ma-son and wife, April 2, a boy, and to Will Davis and wife, same date, a boy, Il concerned doing nicely. Patriarch Wymon M. Parker was the

recipient of a pleasant surprise April 2, it being his seventy-eighth birthday. It was an enjoyable affair.

MEN PAST SIXTY IN DANGER.

MCA PAST SIXTY IN DANGER. More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidnoy and blad-der disorders, usually enlargement of prostate giand. This is both painful and abugerous, and Foley's Kidney Curs-should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port. Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged pros-tate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Chrie I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 91 years ty years, although I am now Sold by F. J. Hill Drug Co

EXCURSIONS TO TWIN FALLS

April 14th and 15th.

Via Oregon Short Line for sale of school lands at Twin Falls, April 16, and opening Buhl townsite, April 17. Round trip from Salt Lake \$11.65, tickets good for return to April 30. Buhl is situated 17 miles west of Twin Falls City in the Twin Falls tract and is surrounded by a large territory of choice lands all of which will be nder irrigation for this season's crops. Many improvements are taking place including the construction of a \$25,000 hotel. See agents for further parhotel. See agents for further par-ticulars. City ticket office 201 Main St.

LOCATION OF SMELTER CITY.

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SIX BEST SELLING BOOKS

Record For March

According to the foregoing lists the six books which have sold best in the order of demand during March were:

 The Wheel of Life, Glasgow, (Doubleday, Page & Co.)...\$1
The House of a Thousand Can-dles, Nichelson, (Bobbs-Mer-rill Co.)
The House of Mirth, Wharton, Scribner.)
The Conquest of Canaan, Tark-ington, (Harper) .\$1.50 1.50 1.50 The Conquest of Canaan. Tark-ington. (Harper)
Barbara Winslow, Rebel. Ellis. (Dodd, Mead & Co.)
A Maker of History. Oppen-heim. (Little, Brown & Co.) . 1.50 ... 1.50 heim. (Little, Brown & Co.) .. 1.50

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