

Idaho News From Her Main Cities and Towns.

VOLUNTEERS WILL RECEIVE MEDALS

Veterans of Philippine Campaigns May Secure Them Upon Application.

FAMILIES ALSO INCLUDED.

Few Men Have Applied for Medals and Few Probably Know Such Tokens Are Available.

Special Correspondence.

BOISE, June 6.—Quite a number of citizens of Idaho who served as soldiers in the Philippines are entitled to medals, provisions for which are made in national legislation. Just how many there are in the list is not known at this time, as the veterans of the First Idaho volunteers are scattered and efforts to locate them all have thus far been unavailing.

A letter has been sent by Senator Heyburn to James G. Camp of Rupert, and in turn sent by him to Win Tatro. Each veteran is requested to correspond with Gen. J. A. Alshire, quartermaster-general, U. S. A., Washington, D. C. The application should be accompanied by a statement of the services performed by the applicant, says Guy Flenner, secretary to Senator Borah, in a letter to L. N. Ross.

The letter of Senator Heyburn to Mr. Camp is as follows: "I enclose herewith a copy of the act of June 23, 1906, authorizing the presentation of a bronze medal, with suitable device, to each of the several officers and enlisted men who served in the Philippines beyond the term of their enlistment. This includes the veterans of the First Idaho volunteers. It appears that a very few of these officers or men have made application for the medal, which would indicate that they are not aware of the passage of this act, although it has been published in the newspapers. If you are interested in the matter and will kindly furnish a list of the members of the First Idaho volunteers they will be advised individually in regard to the matter. The families of the deceased soldiers are also entitled to this recognition."

THREATENED HIS WIFE.

As a result of threatening his former wife with death, John Wiersing was for the second time in one day placed under arrest yesterday. "I have told you," he said, "not to do that. I gave you warning; now you'll suffer the penalty. I'll put you under the sod by tomorrow morning." With these words ringing in her ears, Mrs. John Wiersing rushed to the police station last evening and swore to a complaint for the arrest the second time that day of the man from whom she had obtained a divorce a few days ago, on the ground of continuous abuse and ill-treatment.

The charge against Wiersing for which he was arrested yesterday was for entering the home which the court had decreed belonged to the woman, together with the children, and taking therefrom all the furniture which he sold for \$30, about one sixth of its real value. He was arraigned on a charge of larceny and released under \$200 bond. Shortly after his release he met his former wife on the street and uttered to her the threat as above noted.

The life of Mrs. Wiersing is filled with considerable romance. Her married life has never been happy, on account of the lack of love and consideration for her by her husband; although she at one time risked her life in traveling many miles on snow shoes through a blinding storm to reach a mining camp in order to be at the side of her husband who, at the time, lay on a bed seriously wounded. But the

real romantic part of her life came in at girlhood, while she was attending a Catholic school—a convent—in Chicago. By some chance she met Wiersing, fell in love with him, and after two or three meetings, he left Chicago and went to Denver. The girl ran away from the convent and followed Wiersing to Denver and from there to Portland, from Portland the couple came to Boise where they were married.

WEST'S THIRD TRIAL.

An opinion was yesterday handed down by the supreme court reversing the judgment of the Elmore county district court in the conviction of William West of larceny.

The defendant was sentenced on June 6, 1903, to serve six years in the state penitentiary for stealing a horse. A subsequent motion for a new trial was overruled and this second appeal to the supreme court was from that order and from the judgment of conviction.

The supreme court in rendering its opinion yesterday, said in part: "There is no evidence in this record that would warrant the conviction of the defendant, and we must therefore, of necessity, under the well established rules of law, reverse the judgment, and it is so ordered and a new trial be granted. It is suggested that unless the state has further evidence than has been introduced in this case, the case should be dismissed."

FUNDS IN DEFUNCT BANK.

A petition has been filed with the judge of the district court for the withdrawal of the state and county funds from the defunct Capital State bank, which will be heard on the 8th of the present month. The unsecured depositors in this bank made by State Treasurer Hastings and the county assessor aggregate \$55,000.

The action for the withdrawal of the funds is made under a formal ruling of the supreme court in a similar case coming up from Bingham county, the syllabus of which is as follows: "Public money deposited by a public officer in a bank becomes a trust fund, and no part of the estate of the bank, its receiver must treat such funds as the property of the true owner and not of the bank. The creditors of an insolvent bank are not entitled to share pro rata in the public moneys deposited in such a bank."

OBTAINED MONEY FALSELY.

For obtaining money under false pretenses, Charles Farquar, a former soldier at Fort Boise, was arrested on Wednesday and charged with furnishing bonds to a number of men.

It is charged that Farquar wrote three checks, aggregating \$50, on the First National bank of this city, where he never has had a bank account.

STATE MUTE SCHOOL.

The state school for the deaf, dumb and blind closed the first of this week for the summer vacation and 45 of the inmates left with guardians yesterday for their several homes throughout the state. A very commendable work has been accomplished by the efficient corps of teachers among these little unfortunates during the past year. Besides the acquisition of book learning many of the deaf are learning to speak.

STRIKE ENDED.

After a life of one week the strike of the brewery workers of this city came to an end and they were again permitted to go to work after a peaceful settlement of the difference between them and the brewery men had been effected. The trouble arose over the discharge of a man who had become incapacitated through being scalded. This man was also taken back and allowed wages during the whole time of his absence.

DIED FROM SCRATCH ON HAND.

From an insignificant scratch on the hand, blood poison was developed and the life of Pleasant Harris, one of the oldest settlers of this part of the country, was snapped off last Saturday. Deceased was 63 years old, and he made his home near Meridian for the last 20 years.

MAN FALLS FROM BUILDING.

The third accident since the construction work on the new state capitol building began, happened last Saturday, when a workman, John Robinson, fell 35 feet to the ground, breaking his ankle and inflicting bruises and lacerations on other parts of his body. The accident happened by the falling of a rock weighing over 500 pounds, upon the scaffold where

he was standing, causing the same to give way, thus precipitating Robinson to the ground.

Boise and vicinity are being visited with unprecedented rainfall. For the last three days it has been a continuous downpour.

THOMAS STEVENSON BURIED AT PRESTON

Special Correspondence.

PRESTON, June 4.—Perhaps the largest funeral ever held in Preston was that of Thomas Stevenson, who was buried here Saturday, May 30. He was ill but a few days, having contracted a severe case of the grip. On Tuesday he was bedridden and next day inflammation of the bowels developed and death followed within a short time.

The speakers at the obsequies were President William C. Parkinson of Hyrum stake, Elder John Johnson, Prof. George D. Casto, Elder George E. Pitkin of Paradise, Bishop Hickenlooper of Pleasant View, Weber county, Elders John Larson, James Johnson, President George C. Parkinson and Bishop George H. Carver.

The pallbearers were associates of Mr. Stevenson in the Oneida Stake of the Odd Fellows, of which institution he had been a member for 11 years, namely: Principal John Johnson, George D. Casto, W. K. Barton, James F. Hoyt, Oswald Christensen and H. Perry Howell. The longest line of caskets ever seen in Preston followed the remains to the cemetery, where the grave was dedicated by President George C. Parkinson. Thomas Stevenson was born in England, April 1833, and was early left an orphan. Through the institutionality of the late Bishop Hickenlooper he came to Utah, making his home for some time in the bishop's family. He subsequently married Nora Weaver and moved to Preston, where he resided until his death. His wife was at Bloomington, Idaho, attending a sick daughter, when he was stricken. Mr. Stevenson was greatly beloved in the community, and his death was much regretted.

Prof. John Johnson, W. K. Barton, M. P. Henderson, J. P. Hoyt, George D. Casto, Oswald Christensen and Ella Maughan left Preston Wednesday to be in attendance at the Church school teachers' convention in Salt Lake City. Clinton Meacham, Joshua Hawkes, A. W. Hart and James F. Callen were delegates to the state Democratic convention at Twin Falls.

Prospects for an abundant harvest are indeed bright.

OAKLEY CENTER OF SMALLPOX SCARE

Special Correspondence.

OAKLEY, Cassia Co., Idaho, June 4.—Fields and ranges have not had such a soaking in years as that experienced in the past two weeks. Snow and rain have been falling almost daily for a fortnight, and reports are current that three feet of snow has fallen in the mountains.

Oakley has another siege of smallpox and at this writing there are some three places under quarantine, with nine persons afflicted. The plague was brought into this community by two youths who had been out through western Idaho and eastern Oregon, canvassing. One of these returned to Oakley on the evening of May 8 and attended a social given by academy students, and as the school had just closed that day and the students were to scatter to their respective settlements the next day, therefore the disease was carried into a number of different settlements—all from Oakley. Much indignation is felt in this place toward the young man who spread the malady.

As soon as the people here discovered what had befallen them, they maintained a strict quarantine. Public gatherings were discontinued until the danger line had been passed and as a result, it is hoped to speedily remove all traces of the disease.

A good many of the people from this county will go to Salt Lake to attend the young people's convention, beginning June 12. Special sleeping car accommodations will be provided by the O. S. L. officials at Burley, the car to leave that station on the evening of June 11.

In the Johnson garden one finds the choicest varieties, the finest colored and the highest priced. Mildred Grant and the Madame Frances Kruger varieties, which find ready sale in eastern rose stores, where prices rise higher in proportion to the quality of the rambler. Conspicuous for exotic beauty is the Mrs. David McKee, and the Madame Resel, a rose strangely like the carnation, both in appearance and in perfume, demands equal mention.

The Mrs. Mawley, with its scarlet beauty, grows side by side with the Liberty, whose crimson petals try to outblush its neighbor. Here also one can find the dainty, fragrant perfume of the Highland Mary and the perfect white Kaiserine, while the J. Clark grows in perfect radiance. This latter rose recently earned first prize in the famous London rose show. It frequently grows to a diameter of seven inches with a depth of five inches and its fragrance is in proportion to its size. The salmon-colored beauty, Queen Mab, is now bursting into exquisite bloom, while the Rose Salier of the St. Thomas Lipton, the Betty the Killarney and the President Roosevelt raise their beautiful heads in joyful magnificence beside the Bessie Brown and the Viscount Falkland. What Mr. Johnson has done has been done by many other growers, on perhaps a smaller scale, and the incentive for beauty making is growing until good-natured rivalry is certain to spring up, while improvement in breeding is certain to follow. The growth of tearful and beautiful hybrids is no more difficult than to cultivate cabbage roses and ordinary bloomers.

LEWISTON PLANS ROSE CARNIVAL

Today Pretty Idaho Town Will See Rare Floral Display.

WILL ECLIPSE FORMER SHOWS

Southern California Fiestas to be the Pattern Followed—Exhibit in Commercial Club Rooms.

Special Correspondence.

LEWISTON, June 4.—A rose carnival will be held here June 6, an event to be participated in not only by the people of this city, but by flower fanciers of Clarkston and Asotin. Such an affair was held eight years ago, but on a much smaller scale, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church. It was such a success that each year has witnessed a repetition of the festival, and this season will witness a display that will far eclipse any previous attempt.

The carnival will be in no sense sectarian this year. It will be under the direction of Mrs. C. W. Shaw, assisted by Mrs. J. B. Morris and Mrs. J. P. Thompson. Preceding the exhibition, which will be held in the Commercial club rooms, there will be a parade, after the pattern of the California fiestas, with children riding in vehicles of various kinds profusely adorned with roses. As an instance of the beauty of the roses in the way of beautifying a home with flowers, the Spokesman-Review of recent date says:

What Assistant District Attorney Miles E. Johnson and his wife have done as owners of a householder in the three cities if they will devote a small portion of their time to rose culture. Beginning a few years ago with a dozen cuttings secured from an eastern catalogue house, Mr. Johnson has filled his lawn with some of the choicest varieties, and throughout the summer his garden is a bower of fragrant beauty.

His yard is now filled with more than 200 blooming varieties, from the common native blooms to the exotic French hybrids that sell for \$100 apiece. As an amateur grower Mr. Johnson has made a conspicuous success, and his garden is the envy of his neighbors and the pride of every citizen who loves beauty and a fine flower culture. On the west side of this cottage Mr. Johnson has a number of exotic climbers. They overrun a trellis built on much the same style as an old-fashioned grape arbor. Here one finds the Madame Wagram, the Philadelphia rambler, the Empress of China and the Rene Marie Henriette, all ever-blooming climbers of surpassing beauty and fragrance.

In rare and exquisite bloom the White American Beauty is one of the choicest bloomers, its large, heavy petals, as if by magic, are of a delicate perfume making it dear to the heart of rose fanciers. Growing beside it is the Margaret Dixon and the Caroline Testout, a variety famous in Portland, Lewiston. The Belle Subtrich, the Rene Gerard, the Madame Camille and the La France family all demand superlatives. The Eugene Galinger, with its large, odd, red petals and its heavy fragrance, shares honors with the Eugene Marit and the Etiole de Lyons, the Star of Lyons, as the French roses from the Etiole de Lyons, a brilliant red tea rose of high culture and acknowledged beauty.

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SPOTTED FEVER CASES EXIST AT MALAD

Special Correspondence.

MALAD, June 3.—This place is experiencing the strangest kind of weather for this time of the year, ever known here. There has been about three weeks of continued rainfall, with no signs of a clearing. The days and nights are cold and disagreeable. Small fruits have been damaged by frost, and the gardens are slow in development.

There are four cases of spotted fever in town, at the Hughes home, where Mrs. Sarah Hughes, a competent nurse is caring for them. Mrs. Nellie Morgan returned home Monday from Salt Lake City, where she has been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Merrill of Brigham City is in Malad visiting with her son, Fenley Merrill and wife.

HEAVY SHOWERS AT NAMPA PROMISE BIG BEET CROPS

Special Correspondence.

NAMPA, Idaho, June 4.—During the past week much rain and the surrounding country has been blessed with a beautiful rainstorm, lasting in the neighborhood of 48 hours, with a pre-

cipitation of 2.13 inches. This will do a great amount of good as the land in some sections was becoming very dry and it was necessary for a great many of the farmers to irrigate their crops. This condition, however, is now relieved and good crops are certain. The beet crop is looking very prosperous. It was necessary to do considerable re-planting on account of the extremely dry spring. That what was replanted are coming exceptionally well and a good crop is practically assured. The ball game between the business men and the Nampa High school was very interesting and resulted in a victory for the former. The proceeds of the game went to the Nampa High school for the purpose of procuring a magic lantern for school purposes.

CURED HEMORRHOIDS OF THE LUNGS.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Kidney and Bladder Cure and in a few days the hemorrhages stopped. I am now cured and my lungs are now as sound as a bell. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Kidney and Bladder Cure cures the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. For sale by F. J. Hill Drug Co., "The Never Substituted."

Flour and Mill Products. Bailey & Sons Co., 63 East 2nd South.

BOY DRAGGED TO DEATH BY A RUNAWAY HORSE

Special Correspondence.

SUGAR CITY, Ida., June 4.—A most distressing accident happened here last evening when Ralph Johns, the eldest child of Walter M. Johns, was dragged to death by a horse. The young boy was sent to a neighbor's to get their family driving horse, which was always considered gentle and trusty.

The lad was trying to bridle the horse but the animal kept moving his head, so Ralph put a rope around his head and tied the other end around his waist so he could use both hands to bridle him with. The horse in some manner became frightened and started to run about the field, dragging and kicking the boy as he went. When neighbors who witnessed the accident reached the boy he was found lifeless. His body terribly mangled and his head crushed. Ralph was 10 years old; was bright and industrious, and was beloved by all who knew him. His parents are well known here and in Ogden, where they lived prior to coming to this place. The funeral will be held tomorrow, Friday, at 2 o'clock, at the ward meeting-house.

There has been a great deal of rain in these parts the past two weeks; there is hardly a day passes but considerable rain falls. The dry farmers are jubilant over the prospects, but the farmers over the prospects, but the authorities, sign heavily and shed abundant tears at the moment of death; while a young seal was once observed to weep when teased by a sailor.—London Answers.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

Briggs—I was most sorry to hear of the terrible accident which happened to your wife. Did she suffer any injuries?

Spriggs—Nothing very serious. All her teeth were knocked out by the collision.

Briggs—I suppose she's very much changed, is she not?

Spriggs—Not at all. She's only a little more biting.—Le Pele-Mele.

Geo. J. Maack.

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TROY CITIZENS PROTEST AGAINST SLY'S PARDON

Special Correspondence.

TROY, June 3.—If the majority of the people of this town have their say, a pardon will not be granted to L. P. Sly, convicted murderer of Marshal J. H. Hays.

The aged mother of Sly circulated a petition in Latah county, which received numerous signatures, asking the board of pardons to liberate her son. Many persons signed the petition out of sheer sympathy with the prisoner's mother, and not because they believed Sly should be pardoned. Many of these persons have reconsidered their action, and are joining in a counter

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if you children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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IDAHO ACADEMY COMMENCEMENT

Annual Exercises Held at Pocatello This Week Were Attended by Crowds.

TWO WOMEN AND A DIAMOND

Arrested and Thrown in Jail Accused Of Compounding a Felony in State of Washington.

Special Correspondence.

POCATELLO, June 4.—The academy of Idaho held its annual commencement exercises this week, which were well patronized by the citizens, the work done by the pupils reflecting earnest and capable instruction by the respective teachers.

Tuesday evening a concert was given by the music department of the academy. Wednesday night the senior class presented the "Merchant of Venice," followed by the annual banquet. A back service was maintained each evening with headquarters at the postoffice, leaving at 7:40, 8 and 8:20. The closing commencement exercises were held this evening at the auditorium, Hon. J. H. Richards of Boise delivered the baccalaureate address.

Tomorrow and Saturday the Fraternal Order of Eagles will entertain with society circus, under the management of Nat Reiss, the carnival king. Thomas Bennett of North Harrison avenue swore to a complaint Tuesday afternoon, charging ex-Policeman E. C. Neel with attempted assault on Mrs. Bennett one day last week.

HEAVY RAINFALL.

Pocatello has experienced the coldest and wettest month of May in her history. The mean temperature being 49. The average precipitation on record for the past nine years is given at 1.66, that of May, 1908, 3.98 or over three times the usual amount. The month contained 19 cloudy days, eight partly cloudy, and only four days clear sunshine. The rain however prevented the frost. Dry farming this year is a valuable asset to the country.

WOMEN IN JAIL.

Mrs. Rosa Seguin, and her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Preston, are confined in the county jail charged with compounding a felony. The arrest was upon telegraphic orders from North Yakima, Washington, received last Thursday. It is given out that they are jointly responsible for the disappearance of a high priced diamond pin, owned by a man at the place named.

An item of local interest developed from the fact that owing to the cell being occupied by a sick consumptive woman, the prisoners were confined in the sheriff's office.

One of the jurors took pity on the younger woman who though married is still in her teens. With the permission of the sheriff he took her to the county jail, where she remained until returned however, she made an excuse, got out of the building and it was several hours before Jailer Lewis discovered her in an uptown lodging house. She was returned to custody.

Mother and daughter were temporarily released Saturday on habeas corpus proceedings, but were re-arrested, charged with being fugitives from justice and with compounding a felony. The charge was sworn to by County Attorney Gray. The trial was set for hearing before Justice Masonheimer. Bail of \$1,500 each was demanded, in default of which they were remanded to the custody of the sheriff. The women were returned to Washington, today.

GATE CITY NOTES.

J. H. Schanewelt vs. Oregon Short Line, was awarded \$335 damages by the jury for stock killed by the defendant near Soda Springs.

William White, who confessed to burglarizing the Hyde store at Downey, was sentenced by the district judge last Friday to one year with hard labor.

Peter Hemmert, who borrowed a team and wagon at Blackfoot, and sold the same in this city, was given a conditional sentence by Judge Budge by postponing the same till the next session of court, with the understanding that the prisoner is to get at once to his home and support his family till that time.

Miss Catherine Jenkins, aged 15 years, and the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jenkins, of Arimo, Oneida postoffice, this county, died Monday of appendicitis at the latter place, having been at one time residing here with her parents. Many Pocatello people attended the funeral which was held at McCammon, Wednesday.

There's no better preparation for the day's duties than a cup of piping hot Ground Chocolate at breakfast. It invigorates, nourishes, strengthens, without artificial stimulation. Does Coffee?