

## GOSSIP OF WEEK AT BOISE CITY.

Gov. Gooding Explodes Another "Mormon Combine" Fake on University Displacement.

BAD LAND OFFICE SCANDAL.

U. S. Officials Are Accused of Grave Irregularities in Their Administration of Affairs.

Special Correspondence:

Boise, Idaho, April 13.—Gov. Gooding returned recently from a trip to the northern part of the state, where he attended a meeting of the board of regents of the University of Idaho, held at Moscow, incident to the burning of the main building of that institution.

He reports great loyalty shown that institution by the people of Moscow, who have been doing all that is within their power to provide relief during this unfortunate situation. While the buildings were yet burning preparations were being made by the city authorities and numerous citizens for the care of the students, and it was due to their timely aid that it was made possible for the school work to continue with but little interruption.

In an interview with the "News" representative this morning, the governor said, "Work upon the reconstruction of the University building will begin immediately. Plans are being laid and contracts let and the work will be pushed with all possible speed." While the total loss incurred by the conflagration is equal to about \$200,000, an amount equal to \$100,000 was covered by insurance. This was upon the building itself, and will assist greatly in the work of replacement.

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