

Idaho News From Her Main Cities and Towns.

FIRST YEAR OF ADMINISTRATION. What Has Been Accomplished by Governor Gooding and His Associates.

IDAHO LAND DEPARTMENT. Volume of Business Transacted by the Board Shows the Work to be Done.

Special Correspondence. ORE, Feb. 1.—The first year of the present administration of state affairs has now become a part of the history of Idaho. The year 1905 was in many ways the busiest ever experienced by the state...

LAND DEPARTMENT. The reorganization of the state land department effected by Governor Gooding has occupied practically every spare moment of the members of the state land board...

LANDS SELECTED. During this year over 150,000 acres of valuable agricultural and timber lands were selected. This was done with a great deal of care...

INTERESTS PROTECTED. The great object of the present administration has been to see that the rights of the land department were protected...

FOREST FIRES. Last year was one of the driest and most dangerous for forest fires ever known in Idaho. Timber to the value of millions of dollars...

DEEP SNOW PREVAILS IN AND AROUND CENTRAL. CENTRAL, Idaho, Feb. 1.—This section has been visited recently by a grand storm. It started to snow on Jan. 15...

REVENUES DOUBLED. A new set of books has been purchased for the land department, and the state land office with a credit to the board...

LAW PASSED. The law passed by the eighth session of the present administration. The state depository law, which was one of the measures whose enactment was most strongly urged by Governor Gooding...

STATE ENGINEER. The state engineer's office, for the first time since its creation has become more than self-sustaining through the fee system inaugurated by the law passed at the eighth session...

Under strong recommendations by Governor Gooding the legislature made a complete change in the system of appropriations for the construction of state roads. Instead of passing bills for the building of individual roads, a commission of three was created...

A meeting of the Lewis & Clark expedition commission was held in the governor's office on January 22. When Executive Commissioner McBride submitted his final report...

PORTLAND EXHIBIT. In addition to these amounts the land department received the following amount: Bonds of the state, \$11,145.00; timber sold (burned over in Kootenai county), \$7,024.70...

RIGBY IS COMING RIGHT TO THE FRONT. RIGBY, Feb. 1.—During the month of January Rigby has experienced one death and but little sickness, the only exception being the death of a child of Clifford Warner...

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

The weather continues around zero, and ice hauling is still in progress. Hay has doubled in price since fall, owing to the great number of cattle and sheep being fed in this vicinity...

Mrs. Eva Johnson, who has been dangerously ill, is now convalescent. Mrs. Carrie C. Gosselin, who has lately undergone an operation, is improving nicely. Heber L. Hale and his wife left for Boise, their future home...



SNAP SHOT OF BRIDGE ST. St. Anthony's Main Business Thoroughfare on a Saturday Afternoon.

SAM NIEFFENEGGER SUICIDES AT MALAD.

MALAD, Feb. 1.—Samuel Nieffenegger of Elkhorn shot himself last Saturday with a 22-caliber rifle. He was alone in the house when the deed was done...

TWIN FALLS PROJECT TO LAUNCH OUT Bigger Than Ever in the Near Future.

SEVERAL citizens went to Oklawaha to attend the quarterly conference held there last Saturday and Sunday. President Lyman and Elder B. H. Roberts were the representatives from Salt Lake City...

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SICK.

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SICK. Word was received here today to the effect that Senator Heyburn of Idaho is quite ill at his apartments in Stoneleigh court, Washington, D. C.

CURRENT HAPPENINGS IN PRESTON THIS WEEK.

PRESTON, Idaho, Feb. 1.—Jesse Oberly, the young man who made the murderous attack upon J. L. Alvor at a party some months ago, has been committed to the Industrial school. The action of the court in his case has the approval of the community.

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

BOISE FURNISHES NUMEROUS ITEMS

TWIN FALLS PROJECT TO LAUNCH OUT Bigger Than Ever in the Near Future.

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SICK.

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SICK. Word was received here today to the effect that Senator Heyburn of Idaho is quite ill at his apartments in Stoneleigh court, Washington, D. C.

CURRENT HAPPENINGS IN PRESTON THIS WEEK.

PRESTON, Idaho, Feb. 1.—Jesse Oberly, the young man who made the murderous attack upon J. L. Alvor at a party some months ago, has been committed to the Industrial school. The action of the court in his case has the approval of the community.

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

At Saturday's mass meeting the citizens of Preston decided to take \$20,000 worth of stock in the reservoir to be built about five miles above Preston, in which is known as Worm creek. This is the initial step for Preston's waterworks...

BURLEY BULLETINS DENOTE ACTIVITY.

BURLEY, Feb. 1.—The ice harvest still continues and the Wagner Brewing company of Salt Lake has a force of teams and men storing up ice for their cold storage plant...

As soon as the weather permits work will commence on the spur leading from the railroad to the lumber yards of the Imperial Sash and Door factory.

Several citizens went to Oklawaha to attend the quarterly conference held there last Saturday and Sunday. President Lyman and Elder B. H. Roberts were the representatives from Salt Lake City...

Mr. Cleaver representing the Continental Oil company for the states of Idaho and Utah, was here last week selecting a site for a large warehouse and tank to be erected by his company.

H. H. Sessions of Marion and Joseph Sessions went to Bonifield last Friday to attend the funeral of their mother who died a few days before.

The death of Jens H. Woodcock occurred here Thursday, Jan. 25. He was 86 years of age. He was born in Anihorg, Denmark, Nov. 25, 1824, and joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the year 1856...

For nearly 30 years he was counselor to the bishop and was superintendent of Mantle Sunday school 27 years. In 1901 he was honorably released and with his family moved to La Grande, Oregon. In the same year he was ordained to the office of High Councilor by the late Apostle A. O. Woodruff...

SALEM RESIDENTS ARE ON EASY STREET.

SALEM, Idaho, Feb. 1.—Winter thus far has been a very pleasant one with clear, cold weather and good sleighing. The abundant harvest last year resulted in making citizens here almost independent. The people here all own their own homes and have ample provisions in store until harvest comes again...

The murder was one of the most atrocious in the annals of crime of this city. Early on the morning of Oct. 4, 1904, Charles Daly was murdered in his home on Third street. His wife Jennie and the boarder bond were arrested for the crime. At first Mrs. Daly said that she shot her husband in self defense, but later changed her story...

SUNDAY CLOSING UPHOLD.

The supreme court today handed down a decision in the Frank Calloway case, involving the Sunday and midnight closing ordinance. The court holds that the ordinance is constitutional.

RELIGION AND POLITICS FIGURE IN MONTPELLIER.

MONTPELLIER, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The personnel of the directors of the Montpellier Pavilion Stock company, as elected Saturday evening, is Hon. W. W. Clark, president; Hon. G. C. Gray, vice president; A. B. Mattson, F. L. Oriskank, H. H. Hoff, H. H. Dalrymple and Geo. E. Gardner. The directors met with Architect Munson of the firm of Munson and Schaub of Logan last evening and have under consideration the construction of a theater and dancing pavilion. The site has been selected and work will begin at once...

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM POGATELLO

Japs Take a Leaf Out of a Hold-Up's Text Book and Go Into Business.

JUDGE HANDED OUT FINES.

SOME ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE Gate City of Idaho—Railroad Personals.

Pogateello, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The much talked of "yellow peril" that has been the cause of so much reflection upon the part of many of the wise sages of the times, especially since the vanquishment of the Russians by the intrepid Japs—bids fair to become a reality here in Pogateello.

NEW NATIONAL BANK OPENING AT PAYETTE.

PAYETTE, Idaho, Feb. 1.—Active preparations are now under way for the opening of the new Payette national bank, which will take place early next month. Work will begin at once on the remodeling of the bank building, on the corner of Main and Boise streets, which is to be the home of the new institution...

The new bank will be one of the strong financial institutions of the state. It has been capitalized at \$50,000, all of which has been paid in, and the stockholders include some of the most substantial men of the community. The following are the officers and directors, all of the officers being directors with the exception of the assistant cashier: O. H. Avey, president; W. S. Brundage, vice president; A. P. Scritchfield, treasurer; H. B. Spaulding, assistant cashier. Directors other than the officers are J. A. Lauer, Henry Ervine, Carl Amussen, J. F. Nesbitt, C. E. Pratt, Chas. Henrichsen.

NEW CITIZENS COME TO TOWN AT LEWISVILLE.

LEWISVILLE, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The five-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson died Saturday night of bronchitis. Funeral services were held at Mr. Erickson's Monday evening, and the remains taken to Blackfoot for interment on Tuesday.

On Sunday night, Jan. 21, the wife of E. B. Hunter presented him with twin boys weighing 8 pounds apiece. And on Tuesday, Jan. 22d, the wife of Harry Robinson gave birth to an 8 pound girl. The six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jardine died at Rexburg on Tuesday of convulsions. The remains were brought to Lewisville for interment. Funeral services were held at R. F. Jardine's on Wednesday.

On Thursday, Jan. 23, Mrs. L. M. Atkinson, widow, was joined in wedlock to Abner Langdon, widower. Bishop David Kingdon tying the knot. A small company of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride. Congratulations and a pleasant evening followed.

On Friday, Jan. 25, the primary gave a character ball in Taylor's hall. More than 80 characters were represented, and a great part of the money was excellent. The house was crowded, and all felt well repaid for going. The proceeds went to the repairing of the meetinghouse.

To draw the fire out of a burn, heal a cut without leaving a scar, or to cure boils, sores, tetter, eczema and all skin and scalp diseases, use De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. No remedy causes such speedy relief. Ask for De Witt's—the genuine. Sold by F. C. Schramm, druggist; where the cars stop.

THIS IS ONE—\$3.50

ROMNEY DEPENDABLE SHOES, 258 So. Main St.

RELIGION AND POLITICS FIGURE IN MONTPELLIER.

MONTPELLIER, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The personnel of the directors of the Montpellier Pavilion Stock company, as elected Saturday evening, is Hon. W. W. Clark, president; Hon. G. C. Gray, vice president; A. B. Mattson, F. L. Oriskank, H. H. Hoff, H. H. Dalrymple and Geo. E. Gardner. The directors met with Architect Munson of the firm of Munson and Schaub of Logan last evening and have under consideration the construction of a theater and dancing pavilion. The site has been selected and work will begin at once...

NEWS OF THE WEEK FROM POGATELLO

Japs Take a Leaf Out of a Hold-Up's Text Book and Go Into Business.

JUDGE HANDED OUT FINES.

SOME ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM THE Gate City of Idaho—Railroad Personals.

Pogateello, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The much talked of "yellow peril" that has been the cause of so much reflection upon the part of many of the wise sages of the times, especially since the vanquishment of the Russians by the intrepid Japs—bids fair to become a reality here in Pogateello.

NEW NATIONAL BANK OPENING AT PAYETTE.

PAYETTE, Idaho, Feb. 1.—Active preparations are now under way for the opening of the new Payette national bank, which will take place early next month. Work will begin at once on the remodeling of the bank building, on the corner of Main and Boise streets, which is to be the home of the new institution...

The new bank will be one of the strong financial institutions of the state. It has been capitalized at \$50,000, all of which has been paid in, and the stockholders include some of the most substantial men of the community. The following are the officers and directors, all of the officers being directors with the exception of the assistant cashier: O. H. Avey, president; W. S. Brundage, vice president; A. P. Scritchfield, treasurer; H. B. Spaulding, assistant cashier. Directors other than the officers are J. A. Lauer, Henry Ervine, Carl Amussen, J. F. Nesbitt, C. E. Pratt, Chas. Henrichsen.

NEW CITIZENS COME TO TOWN AT LEWISVILLE.

LEWISVILLE, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The five-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson died Saturday night of bronchitis. Funeral services were held at Mr. Erickson's Monday evening, and the remains taken to Blackfoot for interment on Tuesday.

On Sunday night, Jan. 21, the wife of E. B. Hunter presented him with twin boys weighing 8 pounds apiece. And on Tuesday, Jan. 22d, the wife of Harry Robinson gave birth to an 8 pound girl. The six-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jardine died at Rexburg on Tuesday of convulsions. The remains were brought to Lewisville for interment. Funeral services were held at R. F. Jardine's on Wednesday.

On Thursday, Jan. 23, Mrs. L. M. Atkinson, widow, was joined in wedlock to Abner Langdon, widower. Bishop David Kingdon tying the knot. A small company of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride. Congratulations and a pleasant evening followed.

On Friday, Jan. 25, the primary gave a character ball in Taylor's hall. More than 80 characters were represented, and a great part of the money was excellent. The house was crowded, and all felt well repaid for going. The proceeds went to the repairing of the meetinghouse.

To draw the fire out of a burn, heal a cut without leaving a scar, or to cure boils, sores, tetter, eczema and all skin and scalp diseases, use De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. A specific for piles. Get the genuine. No remedy causes such speedy relief. Ask for De Witt's—the genuine. Sold by F. C. Schramm, druggist; where the cars stop.

ROMNEY DEPENDABLE SHOES, 258 So. Main St.

Advertisement for Romney Dependable Shoes, 258 So. Main St. Includes a picture of a shoe.

RELIGION AND POLITICS FIGURE IN MONTPELLIER.

MONTPELLIER, Idaho, Feb. 1.—The personnel of the directors of the Montpellier Pavilion Stock company, as elected Saturday evening, is Hon. W. W. Clark, president; Hon. G. C. Gray, vice president; A. B. Mattson, F. L. Oriskank, H. H. Hoff, H. H. Dalrymple and Geo. E. Gardner. The directors met with Architect Munson of the firm of Munson and Schaub of Logan last evening and have under consideration the construction of a theater and dancing pavilion. The site has been selected and work will begin at once...

The Circulation of the Desert News in the State of Idaho Exceeds 5,000 Copies.

Advertisement for Victor & Edison Records, featuring a gramophone and the text 'THIS IS ONE—\$3.50'.