# Idaho News From Her Main Cities and Towns.

# FIRST YAER OF ADMINISTRATION.

What Has Been Accomplished by Governor Gooding and His Associates.

DAHO LAND DEPARTMENT.

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D OISE, Feb. 1.—The first year of chapresent administration of state affairs has now become a part of the history of ld mo. The year 1903 eas in many ways the busiest ever exprienced governmentally in Idaho. The olume of business transacted in all beartments of state has greatly inceased over any previous year. The

staffed on all departments added work and new and vexing problems. farough the recommendations in the overnor's message to the legislature number of very Important measures were passed at the eighth session, makis radical changes in the conduct of weral of the state's institutions. These gs laws and the new policies adopted are had a material bearing in the

enduct of practically every department

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LAND DEPARTMENT.

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The reorganization of the state land deartment, called for by several laws eated last winter, has occupied practically every spare moment of the members of the state land board. The volume of busines transacted by this degrament shows how well this work has been done. During the year 1905 the fate land board sold 18,353.22 acres of lad, the contract price being \$325,153.72. Of this amount there was paid in cash flik.40.32 on the principal and an admice payment on the interest was received of \$30,530.99. During the year 1905 the state land board sold 18,353.22 acres of land, the contract price being \$325,153.72. Of this amount there was paid in cash \$114,740.32 on the principal and an advance payment on the interest was received of \$30,530.99. During the year the board leased 158,091.7 acres of land, collecting as rentals \$33,534.2. In addition to these amounts the land department received the following: Repayment of investments, principal and interest, \$848,848.42; timber sold (burned over in Kootenai county), \$7,024.55; Carey act lands, \$33.673.97; register's small fees, \$2,497.65. Of the total of \$607.71.52 collected by the land department, \$337,071.62 was in the natue of fees, which can in the future be used in paying the expenses of the department.

LANDS SELECTED.

During this year over 189,000 acres of During this year over 180,000 acres of taluable agricultural and timber lands were selected. This was done with a great deal of care. Every acre of timber land selected has been cruised, its imber value estimated and appraised, the contour of the ground mapped, and a report of the various natural conditions made. The same care has been taken with every 40-acre field of agricultual land, before a filing was made. For this reason the land board feels that in the future it will not be conthat in the future it will not be con-tented with the unfortunate condition at existed in the part. in having to re marking to re-broush large bodies of land after the fate had been put to enormous ex-mare in making the selections and pay-be the filing fees, which can never be Movered. During the past year the had beard secured the relinquishment of 1,000 acres of worthless land that had been hastily selected by former bards. A bill has been introduced in Monds. A bill has been introduced in Congress by Senator Dubois providing by the relinquishment of 80,000 acres bore, which has been clearlisted to the state. This bill must be passed by Congress before the state can have an American and the state of t portunity to select lands in their

INTERESTS PROTECTED.

The great object of the present adork of the land department was well he that no worthless lands should taken, and that the interests of the tate were protected in every county. To do this work well has involved incased expenses. Every acre of timber and selected has to be cruised, estimated and platted; in the agricultural distincts an inspection and report to the and report to the s single filing w wed. In sev-state the land ccupying school of years, without having paid anyt nto the school ack rentals. as high as \$300 It is the intention ton to have a con-

for this end agents description of a this end agents have been kept con-tantly employed. In eight of the cour-fies the work is now practically com-pleted, giving the board full data rela-tive to lands owned by the state in those counties. When this work is completed, the depense of conducting the department will be much smaller than is the past.

FOREST FIRES.

Lest year was most dargerous known in Idaho of millions of of the driest and mate, had to be part and south Ideat fires raged for during the summer owned by the Both in destructive forthree months nd early fall, endon Neglect of the tically have insurant dreds of thousand state's timber. To the state's fire wall instructions are duty would prac-the loss of hunefforts of instructions of the rand board, the fir loss was kept down to less than \$3,000. board, the fire REVENUES DOUBLED.

A new set of books has been pur-by the tad of the land department, and the state land office will be a credit to the fate. During the year just of the land now owned by the state; leased lands and doubled the acreage of from rentals.

LAWS PASSED. The laws passed by the eighth session with pride of the administration. The

state depository law, which was one of the measures whose enactment was most strongly urged by Governor Goodmost strongly urged by Governor Gooding, has fully met the expectations of its friends. At present there is \$300,000 of state money loaned to the banks of Idaho. For the first time that office is proving a source of revenue to the state. At present the earnings of the people's money will be from \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year, and the money is all kept within the confines of the state. The office is now more than self-sustaining, as will be the treasurer's office in each of the counties when the county commissioners comply with the county depository law, passed last winter. The enforcement of these laws not only will reduce the burden of taxation, but it will remove one of the most deplorable features in our political life—the activity of banks in political campaigns.

STATE ENGINEER. The state engineer's office, for the first The state rigineer's office, for the first time since its creation has become more than self-sustaining through the fee system inaugurated by the law passed by the eighth session. This will result by the eighth session. This will result in a saving to the taxpayers of \$7,000 to \$8,000 a year. The people have been giv-en a good state banking law, which was greatly needed for protection. Through the wisdom of the legislature in estab-lishing a fee system, this department the wisdom of the legislature in estab-lishing a fee system, this department is already more than self sustaining. A new office was created, that of state examiner. The insurance commissioner was given the duties of this office, and the vectle have had the benefit of the work of the department without cost

STATE ROADS.

in taxation.

Under strong recommendations by Governor Gooding the legislature made a complete change in the system of appropriations for the construction of ate roads. Instead of passing bills r the building of individual roads, commission of three was created. with the governor as the chairman and an appropriation of \$50,000 was and an appropriation of \$50,000 was made to carry out the provision of the act. At the first meeting of the commission a resolution was passed by which the policy of that body was announced. It was decided that communities to be renefitted by the construction of roads asked for should share with the state in the expense of construction putting up half the cost of with the state in the expense of construction, putting up half the cost of such roads. The counties through which such roads are to be built and the mining camps interested, have met the commission in a spirit of fairness, and as a consequence roads have been and are being constructed at a cost of nearly \$100,000, with an appropriation of only \$50,000.

More than half a million dollars be-

More than half a million dollars be-longing to various school and endow-ment funds have been loaned by this administration, increasing the state's loans from these sources to more than one and a half million dollars. This is bringing in a revenue of about \$80,000 annually for the benefit of such in-

PORTLAND EXHIBIT.

A meeting of the Lewis & Clark exposition commission was held in the governor's office on January 22, when Executive Commissioner McBride submitted his final report. After all bills were paid, the sum of \$665 was turned into the state treasury. Idaho's apinto the state treasury. Idaho's ap-propriation was the smallest of any of the Pacific Coast states, and it is a

propriation was the smallest of any of the Pacific Coast states, and it is a source of pride and gratification that such a splendid showing was made—all being done within the appropriation for that purpose.

The experience of the year has shown that through the changes in policy, and the new laws enact 1, a number of the departments of the state have been put more nearly on a self sustaining basis. That is, the money collected for fees during the past and present years, and covered into the treasury, will be available under the new administration for the payment of expenses, thus reducing the amount necessary to raise by taxation for the expenses of government.

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Last but not least was the launching of the great battleship Idaho, which was one of the most successful affairs. of the kind ever given in the United

RIGBY IS COMING RIGHT TO THE FRONT.

Special Correspondence.

D IGBY. 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 who resides between this city and Grant and who succumbed to diphtheria.

In the meantime the population continues to grow. There were six lusty babies blessed on the first fast day of the new year and there have been sev-

eral births since that date.

Two weddings occurred in this community recently. Franklin Gardner and effic Clark were married here by Bishop G. A. Cordon, and Joseph W. Coucher, the chorister, and Sarah E. Electric March Finn, the local milliner, were united in the Temple and are now spending their

honeymoon in Utah.

Despite the prevailing cold weather business has been keeping up well.

Among the shipments during the past month were 20 carloads of grain, eight of hay, two of flour and five carloads of hogs.

Rigby is growing and the press of business has made it necessary to ap-joint an assistant to the cashier of Anderson Brothers' bank, in which the Rigby merchant; have been taking tock with gratifying success.

The structure erected by M. T. Peck

and designed for a furniture and un-dertaking business with an opera hall above has been completed.

The Rigby Star has changed hands and now shines like an aurora borealis. A Commercial club comprised of the leading and enterprising citizens of this city has been organized and the sequel of an ambitious advertising cam-

paign is anticipated.

Material is now being hauled for the erection of a grain elevator. It looks extremely probable that the iron horse will soon come snorting through the canyon from the east, and the prospects for abundant crops dur ing the coming season are favorable at

#### DEEP SNOW PREVAILS IN AND AROUND CENTRAL.

Special Correspondence.

ENTRAL, Idaho, Feb. 1 .- This section has been visited recently by a grand storm. It started to ! snow on Jan. 13 and congealed precipitation fell intermittently for 10 days. While the weather has moderated somewhat there is over two feet of snow on the level and the roads in consequence are in somewhat bad con-

In the meantime the residents of this section are managing to enjoy them-selves during the winter months. Among the impromptu entertainments recently have been a surprise on Fer-dinand Christensen, an old folks party and several dances and entertainments.



SNAP SHOT OF BRIDGE ST.

St. Anthony's Main Business Thoroughfare on a Saturday Afternoon.

SAM NIEFFENEGGER

Special Correspondence.

ALAD, Feb. I .- Samuel Nieffenegger of Elkhorn shot himself last Saturday with a 22caliber rifle. He was alone in the house when the deed was done, his father having left for Malad about 19 minutes previous to the shooting. His brother and wife, passing, happened to walk into the house, and saw him sitting on a box, his head against the

ting on a box, his head against the wall. The powder had burnt his hair and hands, and the bullet hole was in the center of his forehead.

Mr. Nieffenegger was 22 years of age. The cause of the suicide is not known, as he seemed in excellent spirits when last seen. Funeral services were held today at Elkhorn.

Last Sunday, while Benjamin Adams was riding in his cutter, his horse became frightened and he was thrown into a wire fence. He was severely cut and bruised. He is recovering slowly.

Preparations are being made for a selebration of St. David's day, March

. A lengthy program is prepared for competition and over \$400 are offered in Carloads of wheat are being shipped from Malad on the new rathroad.

CURRENT HAPPENINGS IN PRESTON THIS WEEK.

Special Correspondence.

RESTON, Ida., Feb. 1.-Jesse Oberry, the young man who made the murderous attack upon J. L. Alvord at a party some months ago, has been committed to the State Industrial school. The action of the court in his case has the approval of

the community. In the case of Kae, the Jap, who has been held for immorality with the 16year old daughter of Mr. Carter, the jury found him "not guilty," in the face of the most glaring evidence. His unsupported testimony had more weight with the jury than did that of

the girl herself, who appeared at court in a delicate condition. The community is indignant over the finding of the jury. The prosecuting athave to share the responsibility of the jury for this outrage, which fact will be borne in mind at all future elec-

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 purpose is to con-serve the flood waters of Cub river and Worm creek, which it is estimated can be done at a cost of about \$150,000. Preston having but a secondary right to the water of Cub river, will thus be able to exchange water from the reser-voir with Lewiston, which holds the primary right to the waters of Cub river for a perpetual mountain stream, The present plan is to pipe the water from the divide, about eight miles east

of town. A 50-year franchise has been granted the High Creek Light & Power company, and it seems that it means business. The first consignment of cedar poles has tust arrived. There is every reason to believe that this city will soon be independen of the Standard

Oil company.

Another "hello girl" will soon be in demand, since the Independent as well as the Bell Telephone company is to have a central office here.

A fine display of the artistic work of N. Degn is to be seen in the show window of John Larson & Sons. His enlarging and coloring of photographs seems to be on a par with that of any-

hing imported.

Mr. Degn has his studio in the upper rooms of the Jensen block. He is a native of Sleswick, Hoistein, Germany, and has done work in many of the large cities of the old country, but having accepted the Gospel he will now make his home with the people in this sec-

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. It

is worth about \$5 per ton.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Eva Johnson, who has been dangerously ill, is now convalescent.

Mrs. Carrie C. Goaslind, who has lately undergone an operation, is improv-

Heber I. Hale and his bride have left

Heber I. Hale and his bride have left for Boise, their future home.

Mrs. Clark of Farmington has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Henderson, for the past week.

President Sol. H. Hale is now occupying his new residence.

Elder Geo. Wilcox leaves next week for a mission to the southern states.

Elders Leo Parkinson and Ozborne Golightly have arrived in their fields of labor, Germany and the central states labor, Germany and the central states

### SUICIDES AT MALAD. BOISE FURNISHES NUMEROUS ITEMS

Twin Falls Project to Launch Out Bigger Than Ever in the Near Future.

SENATOR HEYBURN IS SICK.

Is Threatened With Appendicitis in Washington-Sunday Closing Law Is Upheld in the Courts.

Special Correspondence.

OISE, Ida., Feb. I .- Attorney S. H. Hays, who has returned from Chicago, in an interview given out here, states that the development of the Twin Falls project will be on ever bigger lines than were first mapped out. He says that the original plans will be carried out in detail and in addition the reorganized com-pany will still further launch out in the direction of the development of the adjacent country.

His trip to Chicago was for the pur-

pose of adjusting with the Trowbridge & Niver company and others and clos-ing the sale of the bonds of the Twin Falls Land & Irrigation company.
On Tuesday there will be a meeting held in Salt Lake at which it is said H. B. Milner will be elected president; I. B. Perrine, S. H. Hays, R. W. Faris and F. L. Harris, directors, after which the new management will take charge.

SENATOR HEYBURN ILL. Word was received here today to the effect that Senator Heyburn of Idah is quite ill at his apartments in Stone leigh court, Washington, D. C. He has developed symptoms of appendica-tis, with which he was threatened just before Congress met. He is said to be suffering considerably and it may be possible that he will have to undergo

THE STEUNENBERG CASE

Interest in the Steunenberg assassinattor is still unabated. However all the detectives who have been working on the solution of the case have left Boise this week with the exception of one, James McParland of Pinkerton's agency, who is still here working on clues about which he does not talk.

BOND MURDER CASE. The bill of exceptions in the Fred Bond murder case was signed yester-day by District Judge George H. Stewart and now the case will be carried in-to the supreme court. The attorneys for the defense claim to have some new evidence and state they will have the case ready for presentation before Feb. 16, the last day on which they can ap-

The murder was one of the most atroclous in the annals of crime of this
city. Early on the morning of Oct. 6,
1804, Charles Daily was murdered in his
home on Third street. His wife Jennie
and the boarder Bond were arrested
for the crime. At first Mrs. Daily said
that she shot her busband in self defense, but later changed her story and
said that Bond was responsible for the
crime, and they had agreed to marry as
soon as Daily was out of the way. Both
were convicted, Mrs. Daily being given
19 years and Bond sentenced to hans. The murder was one of the most atro-

SUNDAY CLOSING UPHELD. The supreme court today handed down a decision in the Frank Calloway case, involving the Sunday and mid-night closing ordinance. The court holds

that the ordinance is constitutional.

This measure was passed by the city council last July just prior to their going into a campaign against the saloons. It was anticipated that the ordinance would be repealed by the outgoing council, but as no action was taken in this direction, Calloway kept his saloon open after midnight, so as to test the He has tested it and found it

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

#### BURLEY BULLETINS DENOTE ACTIVITY.

Special Correspondence.

B URLEY, 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

As soon as the weather permits work will commence on the spur leading from the railroad to the lumber vards the Imperial Sash and Door fac-

The Burley Hardware company has cutgrown its present quarters and is now erecting a larger building for busi-

Several citizens went to Oakley to at-tend the quarterly conference held there last Saturday and Sunday, Pres-ident Lyman and Elder B, H. Roberts were the representatives from Salt Lake Mr. Cleaver representing the Contin-

ental 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 com-

pany,
H. H. Sessions of Marion and Joseph
Sessions went to Bountiful last Friday
to attend the funeral of their mother
who died a few days before.
The little girl of Agent Fred Fairman has been quite sick with jaundice
but is now on the road to recovery.
The death of Jens H. Woodskow occurred here Thursday, Jan, 25, after a
short illness. He was born in Aalborg,
Denmark, Nov, 26, 1834, and joined the
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day
Saints in the year 1855 and labored
as a missionary in that branch seven
years. He was president of the Lolland
conference four years until he emiconference four years until he emi-grated to Utah in 1864, settling at Manti: here he was still active and soon after his arrival was ordained a For nearly 30 years he was counselor

the bishop and was superintendent Manti Sunday school 27 years. In 1501 he was honorably released and with his family moved to La Grande, Oregon, In the same year he was ordained to In the same year he was ordained to the office of High Councilor by the late Apostle A. O. Woodruff. At a confer-ence held at La Grande he was re-leased from that office on account of his age and set apart as a Patriarch under the hands of Elder John Henry Smith. In 1905 he moved with his fam-ily to this place. He is survived by a wife, seven children and a host of friends. The funeral services were held at the meetinghouse Monday, unbeld at the meetinghouse Monday, un-der the direction of Presiding Elder F. A. Webb.

#### SALEM RESIDENTS ARE ON EASY STREET.

Special Correspondence.

C ALEM, 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. This ward comprises a little more than 800 souls, all of whom are members of the "Mormon" faith. The meetinghouse, costing \$13,000, is mearing completion. A move is now on foot to make Salem a part of Sugar City, where it rightfully belongs and in the near future it may be known as Sugar Second ward. The land is rich and fertile: farmers own from 30 to 160 acres of land each and are willing to divide their possessions at very lib-eral prices. Nearly all of the district is watered by sub-irrigation.

Residences are now being lighted with electric lights which will cost less than kerosene, together with cheap telephone service places Salem in possession of many modern conveniences

#### RELIGION AND POLITICS FIGURE IN MONTPELIER.

NONTPELIER, Idaho, Peb. 1.-

The personnel of the directors of the Montpelier Pavillon Stock company, as elected Saturday evening, is. Hon. W. W. Clark, president: Hon. G. C. Gray, vice presi-dent; A. B. Maitson, F. L. Cruikshank, H. H. Hoff, H. H. Dalrymple and Geo E. Gardener. The directors met with Architect-Munson of the firm of Mun-son and Schaub of Logan last evening and have under consideration the com-bining of a theater and dancing pawillon. The site has been selected and work will begin at once. Several other large buildings are planned for the coming season and from present indications Montpelier will experience a building boom.

A company is being organized for the purpose of establishing and conducting a large commission house and judging

from the amount of produce handled from this point this enterprise ought to be a very profitable one.

It is reported that Burton and Sons of Afton, Wyo., have under contempla-

tion the erection of a large

here this spring. There are also other business projects under consideration. The citizens of the city are of the opinion that there is an excellent opening here for a brick yard, provided some competent hands could be induced to take hold of it; at present all brick has to be imported or hauled from Parts, a distance of 10 miles. There is still considerable ill feeling over the action taken by J. O. McCart and his little coterie in the appointment of postmuster at this place but the project made against the appointment of Francis M. Winters does not athere strictly to facts when it sets forth that Montpelier is a non-"Mormon" town and is therefore entitled to a non-Mormon" postmaster. The facts of the case are simply these. Montpeller was founded and settled by the "Mormon" people in the year 1864 and has ever since been a "Mormon" community and today the population of the city is estimated to be fully 55 per cent "Mormon," but the patrons of the office are not confined to the city only but comprises many who live outside the limits, most of whom are members of the "Mormon" Church which increases the per centages of "Mormon" patronage of the office to about 60 per cent.

Again a majority of the non-"Mor-

"Mormon" patronage of the office to about 60 per cent.

Again, a majority of the non-"Mormon" population endorsed Mr. Winters' appointment. This, however, is the first time in the history of the town that the question of church membership has ever been raised and the majority of the people are highly incensed at having it dragged into play at this stage of the game, especially in view of the fact that some of the promoters of this little scheme are men who have asked for and received the suffrage of the "Mormon" people not only of this city but of the county.

#### NEW NATIONAL BANK OPENING AT PAYETTE.

Special Correspondence. DAYETTE, Ida., Feb. 1.-Active preparations are now under way for the opening of the new Payette national bank, which will place early next month. Work

will begin at once on the remodelling of the Lauer building, on the corner of Main and Boise streets, which is to be the home of the new institution, and the next 30 or 40 days it is expected will be ample time in which to get it all completed, the fixtures installed and the banking room made ready for oc-

the banking room made ready for occupancy and business.

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 stock-holders 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, cashier: R. U. Spaulding, assistant cashier. Directors other than the officers are J. A. Lauer, Henry Ervine, Carl Asmussen, J. F. Nesbitt, C. E. Pratt. Chris. Henrichsen.

NEW CITIZENS COME TO TOWN AT LEWISVILLE.

Special Correspondence.

Chris. Henrichsen.

EWISVILLE, Ida., 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 tak-en to Blackfoot for interment on Tues-

On Sunday night, Jan. 21, the wife of E. B. Hunter presented him with twin boys weighing 8 pounds apiece. And on Tuesday, the 23rd, the wife of Harry Robinson gave birth to an 8 pound girl. Mrs. Frank Jardine died at Rexburg on Tuesday of convulsions. The re-mains were brought to Lewisville for interment. Funeral services were held at R. F. Jardine's on Wednesday. On Thursday, Jan. 25, Mrs. L. M. Aton Thursday, Jan. 20, Mrs. 12. 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 On Friday, Jan. 26, the Primary gave a character ball in Taylor's hall. than 80 characters were represented, and a greater part of them were ex-cellent. The house was crowded, and

inghouse. 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 DeWitt's—the speedy relief. Ask for DeWitt's—the genuine.—Sold by F. C. Schramm. Aurggist; where the cars stop.

all felt well repaid for going. The pro-ceeds went to the repairing of the meet-

## **NEWS OF THE WEEK** FROM POCATELLO

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.

Special Correspondence.

DOCATELLO, Ida., Feb. 1.-The much talked of "yellow peril" that has been the cause of sober reflection upon the part of many of the wise suges of the times, especially since the vanquishment of the Russians by the intropid Japs-bids fair to become a reality here in Poca-

It will be remembered that several communications of late have been accounts of misconduct upon the part of the Japs, but a really startling illustration of what the blink-eyed sons of Nippon would do had they but the power has been brought to light by Attorney Redford this week.

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It appears that a number of Japs have been running a 15 cent restaurant over on Front street, and several complaints of abuse and "holdups" of different men who have eaten at the place have come to the ears of the authorities, but none of the cases have been prosecuted because of the reluctance of the abused ones to file a complaint.

Yesterday, however, James Lewis related his experience at the eating-house, to the city attorney, the result being that a complaint was filed, and the Japs summoned to appear before Police Judge Knowles. At the hearing it developed that Lewis had gone into the restaurant and quietly ordered a meal; becoming incensed with the insolence of the Jap he "called him down," when Mr. Jap suddenly sprang at his throat, at the same time giving a signal for aid when, according to Lewis story, Japs came rushing in from everywhere, and by the time they got through with Lewis, his face and form had undergone a transformation. The three Japs against whom the court room with such a look of indignation that Chief Smith came into the court room with such a look of indignation that Chief Smith look of indignation that Chief Smith looked nervously in the direction of the judge, while Constable John Priest moved perceptibly nearer the door. However, when the judge tacked a "plaster" of \$50 on the principal and one of \$25 upon each of the other two, the chief smiled feebly, and the constable signed most audibly.

Bube Balles pleaded guilty vesterday

ble sighed most audibly.

Rube Railes pleaded guilty yesterday before Judge White to having "absent-mindedly" taken a watch belonging to M. J. Hackett, and accepted the statutory time of six hours before he would be prepared to receive sentence. Commissary C. H. Grout of the Oregon Short Line hotel and dining car service here will leave this week for Mexico, his wife accompanying him. Mr. Grout has been suffering with an ailmentary trouble for some time past, and his physician has recommended a change of climate for a time.

hange of climate for a time.

During his absence the department will be under the management of Harry Baugh, the general inspector of this

John Fuss, S. D. Brown, George Oll-ver and Master Mechanic W. J. Tollerton went up to Shoshone Tuesday to attend the funeral of Engineer F. W. attend the fillneral of Engineer F. W. Coolidge there. Mr. Coolidge was the oldest engineer on the road, and many beantiful floral offerings were in evidence at the services, a beautiful offering of the same being received from Mrs. J. F. Dunn of Salt Lake City.

A combined revival service in which all the local churches—with the excep-tion of the Latter-day Saints—are tak-ing part, is being held in the Congregational church here this week. The services are being conducted by Evange-list Dean, who saw service as a Y. M. . A. secretary in the Philippines.

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