

Boise From Her Main Cities and Towns.

RAILROAD HUMORS AGITATE BOISE

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OMAHA MEN ARE ENTERTAINED

Arrive in Eight Pullman Cars and Are Royally Taken Care of as Guests of the City.

Special Correspondence.

BOISE, Ida., June 13.—In the Boise real estate market there have been some very important developments recently, which strengthen the report that the Northwestern railroad, now being constructed to the coast, is to be built through this city.

\$10,000 DAMAGE SUIT.

Mrs. Hannah Plant of this city has entered suit against the Nat Reiss Carriage company to recover \$10,000 damages for injuries sustained by her daughter on the merry-go-round, last week.

According to the complaint, the daughter, Zilla, aged 11 years, was thrown from a horse of the merry-go-round and dragged, with her foot in the stirrup and head downward, around with the machine, resulting in the dislocation of the child's knee cap and the infliction of many sprains and bruises. It is stated that the child is apt to become a permanent cripple.

NEBRASKANS HERE.

Eighty business men headed by Gov. George L. Sheldon of Nebraska and four newspaper men and the famous Dicks quartet of Omaha were guests of Boise the beautiful all day yesterday. The party was brought here yesterday on special train of eight Pullman cars and will leave this morning for Mountain Home, the next stop.

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COYOTES TO KILL COYOTES.

The state livestock sanitary board will in all probability adopt a method of now employed in the states of California and Oregon for the extermination of predatory animals, such as coyotes and wolves and cougars, etc.

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Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C. Gentlemen: Regarding the petition of the city of Spokane et al. vs. Northern Pacific Railroad company et al. now before your honorable body.

position to that of Spokane, has a very vital interest in the result of the hearing. There is a very persistent rumor that the railroads in question have conceded to Spokane the rates desired and that the case before your excellent tribunal will be discontinued.

It is to be regretted that it would be with in the province of the petitioners to cause the discontinuance of this case should the above mentioned rumor prove true, or that a decision be rendered in any other way. The fact is a discontinuance is asked for by complainants, could the Boise Commercial club, as a quasi-public organization, be given notice of some prior to any decision being taken in the matter, in order that the city of Boise might take the proper steps to bring the matter to a decision.

"This information is desired only that we may more intelligently serve the interests of the large number of citizens of this city who are in Idaho, and whatever you may find it consistent to do, your action will be generously appreciated."

BIG PAY ROLL.

The pay roll of the Barber Lumber company for last month was \$3,000. This is the largest pay roll of the company has ever been. It includes 250 men.

EDGAR WILSON WORSE.

The condition of Edgar Wilson, one of Haywood's attorneys and a resident of this city, is reported to be considerably worse. Mr. Wilson has been ill for about two weeks past. He is being cared for at his residence on Warm Springs avenue.

BIG LAND OPENING.

On the 24th of this month over 40,000 acres of land will be opened to settlement under the Big Wood River Irrigation project. The land covers Blaine counties, around the north townships of Alberta, 15 miles above Shoshone. The company can be addressed at the Boise office.

CROPS AT RIGBY DOING WELL DESPITE THE RAIN.

Special Correspondence. RIGBY, Ida., June 13.—The frequent rains of late have a tendency to make one ask, "Are we really in the arid region or has it removed to other parts?"

Wheat crops seem to be doing pretty well. Alfalfa crops are doing well, but without number, has not overcome it. The grain and beet crops seem to be doing well. The weather is so rapidly as the weather will permit. Fruit is also quite promising.

An excavation for a new building on Main street is now in progress. It is being made by Mr. Wippenman of Idaho Falls. He proposes erecting a building there for conducting a jewelry business.

Mr. Wippenman has established the Utah Meat Market on the opposite side of the street. The store now in a building 110x20 feet, has quite a metropolitan appearance.

Last evening, a farewell social was given at the D. S. meetinghouse in honor of Elder John O. Call who is about to leave on a mission to the Southern States. The usual speeches, songs, etc., characteristic of such an occasion, were rendered and enjoyed. A purse of about \$50 was presented to the young man, and all join in wishing him a pleasant time and great success in his labor of love.

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SUGAR CITY PUTTING ON ITS BEST APPEARANCE.

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IDaho's GREAT CRIMINAL CASE.

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STREAMS AND RIVERS HIGH IN BEAR LAKE CO.

Special Correspondence. CHALLENGER, Bear Lake Co., June 10.—Never before in the memory of the oldest inhabitant here were the river, creeks and lake so high, and the snow in the mountains is so deep. The day has been a very busy one. Vegetation is backward, because of the excessive wet and cold.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

It is reported that James Bales, a prominent cattleman and rancher, well known in the railroad circles of the Short Line, was accidentally killed last Sunday near his home at Glenn's Ferry, by being thrown from his horse and breaking his neck in the fall. He was 24 years of age and leaves a family.

Guy Fisher, grandson of Pioneer W. F. Fisher of Oxford, is convalescing very slowly from the general hospital from an accident which occurred about two weeks ago, at the American Falls, where he was crushed between two coaches which crossed internal bridge. Recovery at present is somewhat doubtful, though there is a ray of hope. The \$50 cleared by the ladies' committee of the church will recently given here will be used in assisting building the elevator in the general hospital.