CHRISTMAS BULLETIN.

For five years we have helped you with your Christmas shopping—by giving you your Christmas Toys and presents at Right Prices. Ten days more and Christmas will be here again. So we have prepared a larger and better assortment of presents than ever before. Bring the children to see them. It will gladden the hearts of the little ones and make you happy.

FURS.

There is nothing nicer for a present than a Fur. Ladies' Fur Scarfs from

$1.00 to $12.00

KID GLOVES.

A nice assortment of Mocha and Kid gloves on display.

Mocha silk lined gloves $1 pr.

Ladies Kid Gloves, Assorted Colors $1.00 pr.

Every pair guaranteed.

Special Drive In

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs. We offer you in this lot of sample handkerchiefs—regular 25c & 35c values, choice 18c.

Ladies' Neckwear.

Just opened today a special lot of fancy collars and ties

Lot No. 1, Choice for 25c.

Lot No. 2, Choice for 35c.

FANCY WORK.

Take a look at our Stamp Linens. A special offer in bond embroidered 18 inch doilies

98 Cents Each

A full assortment of Brainard & Armstrong wash silk @ 4c skein.

HOSIERY.

Misses cotton fleeces 10c pr

Special Values in Ladies' Cotton Fleeces at 15c pr

We offer 20 dozen pairs of boys' and Misses heavy hose, slightly damaged in shipping, regular 25c. values, at

15 Cents a Pair.

SHOES.

It's wrong to "break a shoe in." We have shoes that fit the foot and need no "breaking in." Gents, just come in and put your foot in one of Miller's cushion-soled shoes.

Solid Comfort only $3.50

Ladies, if you are looking for Comfort, Style and Fit try a Pingree Gloria and you will be satisfied.

The Standard at $3.50.

We have a nice soft sole shoe for baby, with fancy fur top @ 38c

Infants soft soles and colors 25c pr

A Misses Dongola 5 to 8 ... 60c

" " 8½ to 11½ $1.15

Calf 8½ to 11½ $1.15

" dongola or calf 12 to 2 $1.35

Mens satin calf lace $1.50

Youths Arey Calf Lace $1.50

Ladies Calf and Dongola $1.50

Old Ladies Comforts $1.50

Specials In Rubber Foot Wear.

We have too many size 6 in mens one buckle arctic. They're regular $1.25 values. We offer 15 pairs at ... 75 cents each

One lot of Misses storm Alaskas, sizes 11 to 2, regular 75 cent values, while they last

At 40c a Pair.

A small lot of of Ladies rubbers

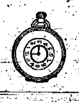
At 25c a Pair.

15 pairs Men's Storm Rubbers, sizes 10 to 12, regular 65c values

At 40c a Pair.

Toy Department

Our Toy Department is the Children's Delight.



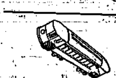
TOY WATCH AT 5 Cents EACH.

Drums for 25c each

Tin Horse and Wagon 25 cents Each

Childs Chair nicely upholstered at each Small chairs, 25c.

Dressed Dolls, 25, 50 & 75c each. Kid body dolls 25c to $1.50.



Heavy Auto Car 75 cents Each

Horns in tin for 5c Cowe Horns for 15 cents

Building BLOCK

5, 10, 15, and 25c.

A Good Hatchet for 10 Cents.

GAMES

Parlor croquet set	50c
Ping pong set	50c
Dominoes	10c
Pitch	25c
Checkerboard	25c
Chess India	35c

To our customers at a distance, we will gladly submit samples and quote prices on our merchandise and will give special care in filling all mail orders sent us. Address all orders to (THE FAMOUS STORE). We wish you all a Merry Christmas.

The Famous Store, New Fuller Block

... Copies Printed and Circulated During the Year 1904 ... More than all Other County Papers Combined

THE WEISER SEMI-WEEKLY SIGNAL

TWENTY-THIRD YEAR. WEISER, WASHINGTON COUNTY, IDAHO, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1904. NO. 33

... IN WARREN MINES ... TWO DOLLARS A POUND

... Six Foot Vein Showing—Free ... Trial Run of the New ... Was Successful.

A special from Warren of the 13th ... says the miners employed by ... Thunder Mountain Gold Reef ... & Developing Corporation ... allowed it to become known that ... rich ore has been encountered ... No. 3 crosscut on the property. ... intendent James H. Jewell, ... questioned, verified the statement that they had cut a six foot ... free gold plentiful. Mr. Jewell ... that in his opinion there was a ... seam which would carry at ... $1 per pound.

The company has erected a mill ... has successfully undergone her ... This places the company ... position where they can handle ... enormous amount of ore to be ... from a ledge of the size. The ... up to date in every way and ... capable of milling 50 tons every ... hours.

Two Pardoned, One Commuted.

The state board of pardons held a ... session last week at the ... penitentiary when all pending ... applications for pardon or parole were disposed of.

John J. McBride, who was sentenced to life imprisonment for ... committed in Owyhee ... in 1890, was granted a full ... on the showing made by his attorneys, Perky & Blain, backed by ... petitions and affidavits.

The sentence of James Cross, who ... convicted of murder in the second ... in Logan county in May, ..., and sentenced to life imprisonment, was commuted to 30 years on ... ground that there was mitigating ... circumstances in connection with the crime.

Charles Parrish, convicted of burglary in Nez Perce county in May ... and sentenced to two years and ... months imprisonment, was pardoned, another man having confessed ... the crime.

Meets With Painful Accident.

... Korup met with a very painful accident Monday afternoon, which fortunately, did not result more seriously. He was assisting in shoeing ... at Lew Waters' blacksmith ... when the horse he was shoeing, evidently not pleased with undergoing the ordeal, proceeded to set its ... down and in doing so one of the ... caught under the ring worn by ... on the little finger of his left ..., badly lacerating it and pinning ... to the floor. He was released ... quickly as possible and Dr. Shir... was summoned. For several minutes Hans was deathly sick and ... in an unconscious condition.

To Divide the District.

There is considerable talk among attorneys of dividing the Third Judicial District, which now consists of Canyon, Ada, Boise, Washington and Owyhee counties. It is probable that such a bill will be introduced in the legislature. The plan is to make one district of Canyon, Owyhee and Washington counties, and one of Ada and Boise. In fact ... district is too large and people ... beginning to realize it. There ... likely to be no opposition.—Caldwell Tribune.

"Christmas Carol"—Tonight at the Opera House, 25 cents. "A word to the wise is sufficient". 33

A Voice From Meadows.

Meadows, Dec. 15.—There are about eight inches of snow in Meadows and twelve inches in Long Valley. The weather tonight is clear and cold. This good old town is not very lively as there is not much travel.

Bert Moss, the merchant is back from a trip to Payette.

A letter from Dan McRae, who is now at Tonopah, Nev. says, times are lively there. As Dan is a heavy property owner in Meadows and is a good man we wish him well.

Your correspondent visited Weiser a few days ago, the first time in eighteen months, and I could hardly believe my eyes to see the many changes that have been made. The handsome new buildings that have and are being built, especially the new Pythian Castle hall. It is undoubtedly the finest building in this section and would be a credit to any city. The Knights of Pythias know how to do things right, anyway.

Weiser Girls Win.

The basket-ball game between the Weiser High School team and the team from the Baker City High School, at the Weiser Opera House last Friday night, was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by the spectators. The game was an exciting one but the Weiser girls had the best of it from the start and mercilessly defeated their Oregon opponents by a score of 39 to 5.

At the close of the game the two teams and invited guests repaired to the Hotel Weiser where plates were laid for 125 persons. A merry time was had, E. R. Lockwood acting as toast master, and the toasts being responded to with gusto and wit. The program was as follows:

Address of Welcome—Prof. Martin.

Response—Miss Tice, of Baker.

"Why Great Men are Small"—Ben Burrows, of Weiser.

"The Latest Link" (the Snake bridge)—Miss Ollie McGrew, of Weiser.

"The Modern Substitute for the Birch"—John Schmehl, of Weiser.

"The Baker City Basket Ball Team"—Rollin Smith, of Weiser.

"Athletics"—Miss Thompson, of Baker City.

After the banquet all repaired again to the Opera House and held a general reception, engaging in social games and dancing.

M. W. A. Elect Officers.

At the regular meeting of Weiser Camp of Modern Woodmen of America held Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Venerable Consul—Egbert Waldo,

Worthy Advisor—John Weltheimer,

Banker—Robert Koonce,

Clerk—Stewart Travis,

Escort—M. J. Hally,

Watchman—W. E. Beardsley,

Sentry—H. M. Kuhlman,

Managers—B. F. Eaglin, ... years; Robert Coulter, 2 years.

Married in Weiser Valley.

Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents ... of them, Miss Laura Bennett and Mr. C. M. Talmage were united in marriage in the presence of only a few intimate friends and relatives. Rev. W. W. Deal of the Methodist church performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and is one of Weiser valley's popular young ladies. An elegant dinner was served at the conclusion of the ceremony after which the happy couple left on the west bound train for Moro, Oregon, where they will visit with the groom's mother, Mrs. M. Hamlin, and later will probably go to Hood River. They have not yet decided whether they will make their home in Weiser valley or in Oregon. The best wishes of numerous friends go with them.

DEPLORABLE CONDITIONS SHOWN BY TESTIMONY.

Facts Brought Out at Smoot Investigation Discreditable to Those Who Connive at and Support Them.

The investigation of the Mormon Church at Washington brought out several matters of interest during the past few days.

Chairman Jackson, of the Democratic State committee, was on the stand and recited numerous facts of church interference in political matters and meddling in Idaho affairs, all of which are common knowledge.

Mrs. Annie Elliott, of Utah, repeated the oath of vengeance and penalties. She said the secrets of the endowment house were too indelicate for repetition. She said every Mormon who went through wore the endowment robes afterwards as underclothing and said every Mormon there present had them on. Everybody looked at Senator Smoot and the Senator entered no denial.

Jackson testified that many Mormons in Southeastern Idaho, told him if they voted the democratic ticket they would be ruined in business.

John Nicholson, the polygamous recorder of the Mormon Temple, produced a marriage book containing the regular marriages of the temple. Searching inquiry revealed that there was a separate record of sealings and plural marriages which he did not produce. He defied the committee and said he would not produce these records unless ordered to do so by the president of the church. His answers were evasive and his memory treacherous.

Josiah Hickman testified that he had been sealed to a plural wife in the temple since the manifesto.

It was shown there were 20,000 Mormon votes in Idaho.

Penrose, editor of the Deseret News, said he had two wives and was living with both with the consent of the church authorities. Admitted he did not obey the terms of the Cleveland amnesty.

Bishop William Budge, of Paris, Idaho, stated that he lived with all three of his wives. His family was well healed with political preferment; one son being prosecuting attorney, one a district judge, a daughter had the postoffice and his son in-law, H. Smith Wooley, was in charge of the U. S. Assay office at Boise.

John Henry Smith had two wives and fifteen children and admitted coming to Boise, conferring with Borah and others and securing a resolution in the legislature to submit a constitutional amendment to repeal the test oath.

The Gift I Didn't Get

A Christmas Poem by Peter McArthur

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A Girl Who Calls Me Friend

I HAVE presents by the dozen,
Meant to make my Christmas glad,
From each uncle, aunt and cousin—
Best a fellow ever had.
There's a rhapsody from my mother,
Father sent a check—and yet
I am thinking of another—
Of the one I didn't get.

THERE are gifts from all the fellows,
Pipes and things a chum will send;
There's a tie, all reds and yellows,
From a girl who calls me friend.
You would think me far from slighted
If you saw them all—and yet,
I confess, I'm most delighted
With the one I didn't get.

SHE told me it was ready,
She'd prepared it long before;
I'd been calling on her steady
For at least a year or more.
She told me all about it,
And her eyes with tears were wet,
And I'm happy, never doubt it,
For that gift I didn't get.

HER attitude was altered
When I called on her last night,
But my tale of love I faltered,
And I guess I did it right.
And this little rhyme is written
'Cause I'm full of joy—you bet!
For a frosty little mitten
Was the gift I didn't get.

GENTLEMEN'S LAUNDRY.—We are prepared to do gentlemen's laundry in good style. Mrs. Roedinger, next door to Commercial House. 2734

Don't spend all your money for Xmas this week. Kilbourne the Eye specialist will be here next week and you will have an opportunity to get Grandmother, father or mother a pair of properly fitted spectacles. Nothing more appropriate.

Don't fail to see "Old Uncle Scrooge" in the Christmas Carol", at the Opera House tonight. 33

"Drive away the blues" at the firemen and band dance, Dec. 30.

The actions of Marley's ghost are alone worth the price of admission to the "Christmas Carol". Opera House tonight. 33

A warm time at the Firemen and Band dance, Friday evening, Dec. 30.

Boy Shot on Salmon River.

Henry Herman, the 19 year old son of W. G. Herman, a merchant of Genesee, Idaho, accidently shot himself while hunting on the Salmon River a week ago, and was brought to Genesee for an operation. While climbing upon his horse the weapon, a 22 caliber rifle, was accidently discharged by striking a rock and the shot went through the hip and out of the back. The boy mounted his horse after the accident and rode down a steep mountainside to a cabin. Dr Conant was summoned from Genesee, 30 miles away. Dr. Conant is a son of Dr Conant of this city and is a member of the firm of Conant & Conant the druggists.

All Eyes on Idaho.

The following letter, which was received by the Signal from Frank J. French, who is now in New York City, contains some very valuable food for thought: "On my way East on the train, at St. Louis and here in New York, I found that Idaho was the most talked of Western State. The exposition and the awards we received there, were worth much to us, and the efforts that have been made in the few years past should be kept up and, if possible increased to keep the State and its great opportunities before the Eastern public."

Ready to Fight Again.

A special from Washington to the Salt Lake Tribune says: Mrs. Anna McKeen White of Philadelphia, who campaigned in Idaho last fall, battling against church domination, is here attending the Smoot hearing. She is not discouraged over the result in Idaho and Utah, but is ready to make a fight again two years hence.

They Want More Money

Dec. 13.—Senator Stewart of Nevada has introduced a bill to fix Presidential and Congressional salaries. It proposes to raise the salary of the President to $100,000 a year, of the Vice-President and Speaker of the House of Representatives to $20,000 each and each Senator, Representative and delegate to $10,000. It is provided that the bill shall take effect on March 4th, 1909.

Dewey Stops Payment.

E. H. Dewey, by his attorneys, A. A. Fraser and W. E. Borah, commenced a suit in the district court at Boise against Theodore Turner, state auditor to restrain him from issuing warrants in payment for the balance due on the construction of the Thunder Mountain wagon road.

The suit being against a state officer, the injunction proceeding can only be heard by the district court in this county and for this reason notice of the application for the injunction has been made returnable at the opening of the January term of the Ada county district court.

Russians Last Warship Destroyed.

TOKIO, Dec. 19, 11 a. m.—The battleship Sevastopol has been successfully torpedoed four times. Advices from Port Arthur say that she is aground and is evidently completely disabled.

Xmas Cards, Calendars and Fine Editions of Books at Candee's. 31 tf

FOR RENT.—Two or four rooms furnished for housekeeping and some furnished rooms for sleeping. Mrs. Maud Wheeler, West Commercial St. 29tf

Books, Bibles, Diaries and Pictures at Candee's new store. 31 tf.

Nice water sets, and an immense line of dishes in fancy dinner sets and single pieces, or by the dozen at Warner's Second Hand Store. 31-2

Swing 'em all around at the Firemen and Band dance, Friday evening, Dec. 30.

WORK IS PROGRESSING ON SNAKE RIVER ROAD

Gang of Men Are Reported to be Grading on Proposed Line From Huntington.

A special from Baker City to the Portland Journal of the 18th says a gang of men are grading on the railway line down Snake River from Huntington to the Homestead district. J. B. Bowden of this place, who has just returned from the copper belt said the work was progressing quietly, and not on a large scale. As the railway franchise and work already done on the route of the old Northwestern passes with the Iron Dike mine to whichever of the Pennsylvania interests win out in the pending litigation, the work now in progress is presumably done by the Pennsylvania people to protect the franchise.

Mr. Bowden says that a small amount of work is being done on the Iron Dike by Manager Pearce. The Bowden properties are also worked in a small way, and numerous other owners are busy exploring their ground. With advent of spring and assurance of a rail line, the amount of work will multiply many fold.

Idaho Timber Is Wonderful.

S. W. Burr, a prominent attorney of St. Paul, Minnesota, and who is interested in the Potlatch Lumber Company in the Palouse country in the northern part of the state, is in the city today. He is here on legal business connected with the company, says the Boise Capital News.

This is Mr Burr's first visit to the capital of the state. In a conversation with a reporter for the Capital News this morning he said he had heard of the wonderful resources of Southern Idaho, but from what he had already seen it was far beyond his expectations.

"The lumber interest of Idaho" he said "is the coming industry of the state. I have long been familiar with the industry in the northern part of state which I regard as a wonderful country, but in the southern part I am not so familiar. One thing is certain, and that is that the state should encourage enterprises which want to come into the state to develop the industry instead of passing legislation which will hamper the growth of the state. You have immense timber tracts in the state and working it up will not only bring millions of dollars into the state, but will provide homes for a large number of people."

At the Opera House.

At the Opera House on Thursday Dec. 22, the realistic and touching melodrama, "The Fatal Scar" introducing Frank James of the James Boys, and presented with a strong cast and elaborate scenery.

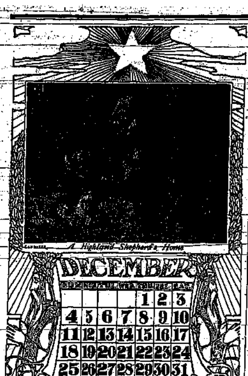
Its pathos is affecting, its mirth irresistible and its dramatic situations strong and stirring. It is presented with great realism both in its setting and in the action which reveal with marked clearness and force its very strong plot.

Most Delicious.

You should see our new line of McDonald's fresh J. G. chocolates, bon bons and cream candies; also our home cream taffies and peanut candy. A full line of fresh bread, rolls, cakes and pies always on hand.

33 J. C. BEAM, the Baker.

SOMETHING WORTH READING Is Vial's ad. Look it up. There's good news in it for you. 26tf



THE WEISER SIGNAL.

F. S. HARDING, - - - - MANAGER

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One copy, 1 month, in advance, ... $ .25
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ADVERTISING RATES:

Twenty cents per inch first insertion. Fifteen cents per inch subsequent insertion of same matter.
Standing advertisements per month, 1 inch $1.50. Each additional inch $1.20.
Advertisements run in either the Wednesday or Saturday issue alone at following rates:
Small standing ads 75 cents per inch per month.
Single inch, per month, $1.00.
Legal Notices $1.00 per inch in non-pareil first insertion, 50 cents per inch each subsequent insertion.
Cards of Thanks, $1.00.
Obituary Poetry, 5 cents a line.
Address all communications and make checks payable to the Weiser Signal, Weiser, Idaho.

NO FREE PAPERS TO ADVERTISERS

December 21, 1904.

THEY'RE TOO POORLY PAID.

The fact that there is such a scarcity of school teachers in the state gives rise to the argument as to the salaries paid to teachers, says the Lincoln County Post. In most instances the school teachers are the poorest paid of all the servants of the public. Any other civil officer is paid much more liberally. The public schools where character is developed and determined. In the schools are laid the foundations of citizenship and there the lessons of patriotism are taught. The schools are the nurseries of freedom, of civil liberty and of public welfare. An intelligent writer says: When teachers are poorly paid, subject to erratic and mutable political control and disturbed in their poise of mind by financial necessities, due to poor compensation, their work is impressed by those conditions and its defects are stamped upon the future citizenship of those in their care. It is an unjust view to take of their compensation and work to say as is often said, that they work only five days in the week. We believe that in those five days they do more important and more exhausting work than any other public servants do in ten days. Yet their pay is the poorest of all. At the present scale of wages the carpenter or the brickmason makes more than the principals of many schools, and the day laborer in the hay fields makes as much as the average teacher. Yet the teacher has expenses for dress and living that are not required of the ordinary laborer. There is no need of a lack of qualified teachers in Idaho. If proper salaries were paid there would be teachers to spare.

That Fish and Game Law.

(Paris Post.)

Our present fish and game law is not what it ought to be and we have no hesitation in pronouncing it a blank failure. Just think of it that from the first of November we are not allowed to catch or eat trout and if we do either we are breaking the law and liable to prosecution. We always thought that the proper time to protect trout was during the spawning season, but who ever heard of trout spawning in the middle of the winter in Bear Lake or any of the streams in this or adjoining counties? The best season of the year for catching trout in this county is in the winter by cutting holes in the ice and now we are deprived of this privelege. We hope that our legislative solons will see to this matter and amend the law so that we will have some fishing privileges left.

Did you see the nice line of Diamond rings, studs, Brooches and scarf pins at Vial's Jewelry and music Store? 31 tf

Immense line of Toys and Games at Candee's new store. 31 tf.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Bally, P. O. Trus, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frost bites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c $1. Churchill Drug & Paint Co.

Candees' new store in the Signal Building is chuck full of Christmas goods. 28tf

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed. C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons; all expressed themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light work on the farm." 25c, 50c, $1. Churchill Drug & Paint Co.

IT IS SO GOOD.

Read Vial's ad. and know the rest. Then go and see him. 28tf

Coughing Spell Caused Death.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation."—St. Louis Globe Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901. Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c, and $1. Churchill Drug & Paint Co.

Copper Plate Cards and Stationery at Candee's 60-tf

A New Hat

makes a nice Xmas present. You can buy them at about your own price at $2—$4. MRS. HAND'S.

All unclaimed premiums at Candees will be drawn for at next drawing. 26tf

Improved Farm for Sale.

240 acre farm for sale on Mann Creek, Washington county, Idaho, with old established water rights, all enclosed with good wire fence. Has 6 acres winter apple trees, 6 acres of peach, pear, prune and plum trees; 60 acres in alfalfa; 20 acres native hay; 70 acres plowed lands, balance pasture and feed grounds, all under ditch except 25 acres. 2-story, 8-room house, barn, wagon shed and granary.

Will sell all or 100 acres with water right for $40 per acre. Write or enquire of Charles A. Woodland, administrator, or Lot L. Feltham, his attorney, Weiser, Idaho. 10tf.

Heart Flutterings.

Undigested food and gas in the stomach, located just below the heart, presses against it and causes heart palpitation. When your heart troubles you in that way take Herbine for a few days. You will soon be all right. 50c. Churchill Drug & Paint Co.

Books, Bibles, Diaries and Pictures at Candee's new store. 31 tf.

Xmas Presents

AT

CHURCHILL'S.

★

We do not give away our goods, but we sell the best goods at the lowest prices, and to every one we give a deal.

★

CHURCHILL'S.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.

Come in and see our large line of Xmas Goods, including Stagware, Leather Goods, Pictures, Games, Brushes, Cutlery, etc.

We also Have the largest line of Chinaware ever brought into the city.

WALKER & SOMMERCAMP,
Druggists.

Summons.

In the district court of the third judicial district of the State of Idaho, in and for the County of Washington.

R. E. Lockwood, Plaintiff,
vs.
Pittsburg-Idaho Mining Company, a corporation, Defendant.
Alias Summons.

THE STATE OF IDAHO sends greeting to the Pittsburg-Idaho Mining Company, a corporation, defendant:

It is hereby required to appear in an action brought against it by the plaintiff R. E. Lockwood, in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for the County of Washington, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on it of this summons—if served within this County, or if served out of this County but within this Judicial District then within twenty days, or, if served elsewhere within forty days—or judgment by default will be taken against it, according to the prayer of said complaint.

Said action is brought to recover from the said defendant the sum of Twenty-five hundred forty and 57-100 Dollars in lawful money of the United States, on accounts as follows:

For personal services of the plaintiff and for cash advanced to defendant, a balance of - - - - - - - $1754.76
For account stated of one Matt Gasper for balance - - - - - - - $35.30
For account stated to one J. D. Wooden for balance - - - - $292.95
For account stated to one John Gasper for balance - - - - - - $60.00
For account stated to one T. J. Ford for balance - - - - - - $12.00
For account stated to one G. W. Hartley for balance - - - - $107.69
For account stated to one J. O. Parsons for balance - - - - - $38.40
For account stated to one William Melhoffer for balance - - - $100.00
For account stated to one firm Smith and Webb for balance $30.18
For legal services to one B. S. Varian - - - - - - - $100.00

All of which said accounts were prior to the commencement of this action, for a valuable consideration, assigned, sold and delivered by the said parties to this plaintiff, who is now the holder and owner thereof.

The particulars more fully appearing in the complaint, a copy of which said complaint filed herein, is hereto attached, served herewith, made a part of this summons and herein referred to.

And the said defendant corporation is hereby further notified that if it fails to appear and answer the complaint filed herein, as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment against it for the sum demanded in said complaint, to wit: for the sum of Twenty-five hundred forty and 57-100 dollars ($2540.57), and for the costs and disbursements incurred by the plaintiff in this action.

Given under my hand and the seal of said District Court, at Weiser, Idaho, this 20th. day of December, A. D. 1904.

FRANK E. SMITH.
Clerk of said Court.

Harris and Smith,
Attorneys for the plaintiff. 33-42w

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up at my place on Snake river, three miles south of Rock creek, Washington county, Idaho, on December 5, 1904, the following described animals, to wit: One black mare about 14 years old, weight about 850 pounds, white face, two white feet, branded HV connected on right shoulder; also one small black yearling colt with white face, three white feet, no brands.

G. D. GAMERON Taker-up.
W. G. Stephenson Witness. 31-42

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that I have taken up as an estray at my place in Weiser, Washington County, Idaho, on December 3rd, 1904, the following described animal, to-wit:

One red and white spotted Cow, age about ten years, no brand visible, with swallow fork and under bit in right ear and crop off of left ear, and weight about 800 pounds.

Dated at Weiser, Idaho, this 13th day of December, 1904.

M. HAMMOCK. Taker-up.
Witness A. G. CORDELLE. 32-43

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O. S. L. TIME TABLE

The present time for departure of trains from Weiser are as follows:

1—Passenger, west bound	3.20 a. m.	
2—Passenger, east	"	9.00 a. m.
5—Passenger, west	"	4.10 p. m.
6—Passenger, east	"	3.51 p. m.
11—Cannon Ball, west	"	3.51 p. m.
12—Cannon Ball, east	"	9.06 a. m.

ISSUED EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY BY
LOCKWOOD & HARDING.

T. S. Jewell of Salubria was registered Saturday at the Weiser.

H. G. Wilson came over Sunday from Boise.

Mrs. Mary Decker of Payette was a city visitor Saturday.

Ben Reeves of La Grande was registered Sunday at the Weiser.

Charlie Boyd came over from Ontario for a short visit Sunday.

R. A. Bowman of Huntington was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Jno G. Moore of Helix, Oregon, was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Mrs. A. Ackerman and children of Payette were guests Sunday at the Weiser.

Commissioner-elect H. J. Hauntz was among business visitors in the city Monday from Midvale.

Dr. F. E. Cox, of Meadows, was a visitor in the city yesterday between trains, en route to his home.

Miss Irene Hand arrived home Friday afternoon from the Moscow University to spend the holidays with relatives.

L. Coleman, or more familiarly known as "Sport" among his numerous friends, was over from Boise for a short business and pleasure visit.

E. G. Bye and wife of Youngstown, Ohio, were among city arrivals Saturday. Mr. Bye is interested in the Warm Springs mines in Rapid River district.

Mrs. Marvo Hathhorn and little daughter Marie are here from Emmett to spend the holidays with relatives. They are visiting with Mrs. N. M. Hathhorn.

Ex-Warden of the penitentiary Frank and Ex-Guard Conklin spent Saturday and a part of Sunday in the city. They returned to Boise on Sunday's train.

Mrs. R. A. Phillips left yesterday ... Council, being ... called there on account of the illness of her brother, Adolph ..., from typhoid pneumonia.

W. A. Hudelson of Cambridge was registered Monday at the Weiser en route to Portland.

Mrs. John Coddy was among the city arrivals Monday from Salubria en route to Boise.

Herman Hinze, junior member of the firm of Hinze Lumber Co., arrived in the city Monday from Emmett accompanied by Mrs. Hinze to remain, having practically closed up all business at their former location.

Miss Esther Sterling, of Caldwell, spent Sunday in Weiser, visiting her cousin, Mr. Lee G. Henderson. Miss Sterling was returning home from an extended visit with Mr. Henderson's family in La Grande, Oregon.

Among city arrivals from the North on Monday's P. & I. N. train we note the following: Chas. Allen, Landore; Mrs. John C. Webster, Council; Mrs. J. L. Mohler, Council; Pearl and Ruby Williams, W. R. Edson, Midvale; J. M. Willoughby, W. R. Hopper, Cambridge.

Messrs A. Platz and H. A. Salzer arrived in the city Saturday morning from La Crosse, Wisconsin. The gentlemen are here on business connected with the Salzer-Ford mines at Black Lake in which they are interested, and will probably make a tour of inspection of the mines and mill before returning home.

When the schools open after the holiday vacation Miss Mary Harper will teach Miss Laymaster's first primary room in the east side school and Miss Laymaster will be transferred to the west side where she will teach the first primary room now presided over by Mrs. F. M. Judson who has resigned.

Signal neglected to mention in last issue that Messrs A. C. Tarr and J. B. Buchanan have purchased the billiard parlors and shooting gallery from F. Robinson on East Idaho. The new proprietors are quite well known and popular and will certainly maintain the high standard which that popular resort enjoyed under Mr. Robinson's management. Mr. Robinson and family have returned to Pendleton to remain.

"Christmas Carol"—Tonight at the opera House. 25 cents. "A word to the wise is sufficent". 33-1t

The Firemen and Band dance—Friday evening Dec. 30.

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H. R. Warner is selling a limited number of iron beds at cost in order to make room. 30-tf.

Candee gives tickets at both stores. 28tf

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An early reply will be a great favor.

Very respectfully,

The wife may sell the property without the husbands' signature if the property legally belongs to her, and if the husband owes a debt the creditors cannot collect the amount from the property or the money. But if the property has been placed in the wife's name with fraudulent intent by the husband the creditors may collect such debts owed by the husband.

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Advertised letters.

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Andrews, Wm	Hed, F. T.
Butscher, S. C.	Ping, Mrs. Martin
Clark, Mrs. Edwin	Richins, Miss Viola
Gard, W. J.	White, W. N.
Gibbs, Miss Della	

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