

**Paraphrastically Cold**

The dance given by the Young Men's club last evening was a grand success.

A merry party of young people, numbering about twenty, surprised Joe Lane last evening. Card games and music were enjoyed until a late hour.

W. F. Kettenbach for the U. S. Fidelity Co. today furnished the bond for the incoming county treasurer, James R. Lydon. The bond is for \$100,000.

Kay L. Thompson is in the city today. This weeks issue of the Asotin Sentinel carries the notice of dissolution of partnership of Messrs. Thompson & Waldrip as owners of the paper. Mr. Thompson is now sole proprietor. Mr. Waldrip will go to Portland to take a position with an investment company.

Frank Brown, one of the new county commissioners and principal owner of the Jumbo mine at the Hump, returned from Spokane yesterday where it is understood he went to close a deal for the sale of his property. The Jumbo is reckoned as one of the most valuable properties in the Hump and the sale will be for big values.

Geo. Ferguson, who was arrested here last Saturday on the charge of cattle stealing, was yesterday tried before Probate Judge Smith's court at Moscow. The evidence given in showed that the cattle were sold to Chas. Morrison at the Cole ranch by Ferguson for \$40. Ferguson offered no defense and was bound over in the sum of \$2,000. Lou Ranger, better known as "Bottles" was an accomplice with Ferguson in the case, has not as yet been located. The authorities at Moscow have sent Chas. Lydon, of this city, in search of him.

**Church Notices.**

Church of Christ—Regular services. Mr. J. W. Whittkammer, of Moscow, will preach, and will continue all this week. You should hear this man. He is logical, clear, strong in his thought. You will not be excited but will be made to think. Special music is being arranged.

**County Division.**

From the activity displayed among business men today, it is evident that there will be an organized effort made to defeat the ends of the county divisionists. The reports that are coming from Boise make it evident that something must be done and done at once to prevent the consummation of the deal that is said to carry with it the scheme of segregating the county. A called meeting will probably be made to consider ways and means of encompassing the defeat of the measure.

**Nez Perce Paying Taxes.**

Nez Perce is fast closing up her tax account with the state. Yesterday County Treasurer C. A. Hastings remitted \$4,398.69 as part payment of the taxes due the state for the assessment of 1900. The county has now paid \$5635 of the \$15,957 due on property tax and \$560 of the \$1613 due on state wagon road tax. On next Monday or Tuesday when the final settlement comes from the outgoing assessor, Mr. Spekker will turn into the treasury about \$30,000, of this \$5,800 more will be remitted to the state on property tax and \$600 more on state wagon road. Nez Perce still owes the state \$1800 on the taxes of 1899. This is on delinquent taxes and is payable only as fast as it comes in. Mr. Hastings returned to the county auditor today eighty five coupons of the representative value of \$30 each, a total of \$2550 for the payment of semi-annual interest on the \$85,000 of funding bonds of the issue of 1895.

**Weather Report.**

LEWISTON IDAHO, Jan. 12, 1901. All observations made at 8 o'clock a.m. Barometer—Temperature, 30.00. Minimum in last 24 hours, 37. Change in last 24 hours, 17. Maximum in last 24 hours, 46. Wind—Direction east, velocity 8. Precipitation in last 24 hours, 07. State of weather—Raining. Weather forecast—Occasional rain to night and Sunday; brisk high to southerly winds. Weather conditions—The northwestern portion of the country is now under the influence of low barometer; the high remains over the great basin and extends southeastward to Texas. Along the coast and the northwest, there has been but little temperature

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change, elsewhere the general tendency is toward much milder weather.

Precipitation occurred during the past 24 hours in Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Nevada, Utah and Minnesota, the greatest amount being one inch at Roseburg, Oregon; rain was falling this morning at Tacoma, Portland, Spokane, Walla Walla, Lewiston, San Francisco, Sacramento and Winnemucca; snow at Baker City.

Clear weather prevails in the southwest and over the northern and southern portions of the eastern slope.

FRANK L. McCLINTIC,  
Official in Charge

**Haunch of Venison.**

Two of Lewiston's prominent business men took a trip to Orofino recently, and while there purchased a haunch of venison, and thereby hangs the tale. While the boys were at dinner the jolly joker switched the haunch of venison for a beef roast which the Lewiston notables brought home with great care and enjoyed with great gusto till the joke was sprung.

**Making a Bad Record.**

BOISE, Idaho, Jan. 11.—In the house today it was found the journal was in such bad shape that time would have to be given for it to be caught up, and the body adjourned, with an admonition from the speaker that the journal must be in shape by tomorrow.

In the senate there was another squabble over the printing committee and finally after a tilt between Moody, of Shoshone, and MacBeth, of Custer, the motion to increase the committee from three to five was made a special order for Monday morning.

Senator Stephens introduced a bill making Idaho county a separate judicial district.

Senator Kincaid of Boise introduced one making seven districts, as follows:

- First—Kootenia and Shoshone.
- Second—Latah, Nez Perce and Idaho.
- Third—Ada and Boise.
- Fourth—Elmore, Lincoln, Cassia and Oneida.
- Fifth—Bingham, Bannock and Bear Lake.
- Sixth—Blaine, Custer, Lemhi and Fremont.
- Seventh—Washington, Canyon and Owyhee.

The bill provides that the judges of the First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth districts retain their respective offices until the next general election, the governor to appoint for the Sixth and Seventh. The senate adjourned until Monday morning.

**Hill for Senator.**

ST. PAUL, Jan. 12.—There was dismay in the camps of the rival candidates for the senatorship today over a petition circulated among the members asking them to pledge themselves to vote for James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern road.

Senator F. B. Daugherty of Duluth received the petition addressed to him by business men of Duluth and largely signed, setting forth the qualifications and pointing out the eminent degree in which James J. Hill possessed these qualifications. Hill has not announced himself as a republican, though he stands with the administration's policy. Through his paper, the Globe, he repudiated Bryan's nomination, and he has hundreds of republican friends who claim he is as good a republican as many other candidates.

**Bank of Minnesota.**

ST. PAUL, Jan. 12.—The petitions of the receivers of the Bank of Minnesota, are being heard by Judge Otis today. Receiver Seymour presented his resignation, intending to go into other business.

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**Coming and Going**

Bd. Booth is in town from Lapwai. Hod Wells left today for Spokane.

W. R. Knapp returned to Spokane today.

A. Watkins is in town today from Asotin.

Wm. Keller returned to Spalding this morning.

Chas Garby is ill at his home on normal hill.

Geo. Wolfe, the assayer at Stuart, is in the city.

A. D. Holmes left for his home at Peck this morning.

Dr. E. Taylor, of Peck, visited in the city yesterday.

J. A. Frye returned to Stuart on this morning's train.

W. H. Sprague is back from the Imnaha mining district.

Rev. Wm. Smith and wife, of Asotin, are visitors in the city.

C. B. Steunenberg, state land board agent, is here from Boise.

Harry Baughman left on the boat today on his way to Portland.

Frank Surprise, of Grangeville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

C. O. Vassar was called last evening to Pomeroy, his son being very ill.

R. W. Callison, of Eugene, Oregon, left on the morning train for Beeman.

Mrs. Anna Brown, of Chicago, is here, the guest of Mrs. Viola McConville.

Frazier McKenzie is here again after a few days visit with friends at Waha.

W. J. Clemans, the Anatone merchant, was in town yesterday buying goods.

E. D. Potvin will go east about the 20th on a visit to his old home at Quebec.

A. B. Jodson was a passenger on the Palouse train this morning for Spokane.

Mrs. S. Jones, of Elk City, left for Stuart on the Orofino train this morning.

J. H. Speakman and wife left on this morning's train for their home at Fargo, N. D.

J. D. Stephens, the postmaster at Willows, was in town yesterday on business.

Chas. Rearey was a passenger on the Clearwater train this morning on his way to Peck.

Mrs. N. L. Hughes, who has been very ill at the Thatcher House, is improving very rapidly.

D. T. Taylor arrived in the city yesterday from Grass Valley, Cal., enroute to Grangeville.

The state filed today at the land office a selection for white pine land in the Potlatch country.

Mrs. D. S. Bingham is in the city from Asotin for a few days the guest of James Clark and family.

H. L. Wilson, a business man of Troy, visited in the city yesterday returning home this morning.

Mark Means and family came in on the train this afternoon from Genesee for a visit with relatives.

Percy Willoughby came in yesterday from Elk City and left on the Spokane train today on his way to Alaska.

W. B. Reese and Perry Miller, county officials-elect, arrived on the afternoon train to be ready for the inauguration Monday.

E. L. Parker, of Nesperce, arrived on the evening train enroute for Boise, where he will help pose the county division measure.

Fred Shaw, who resides at Westlake is quite ill at the Grand Hotel, but under the care of Dr. Whitford, is getting along very nicely.

R. C. Lemon who was recently in charge of the Lewiston weather station has lately been transferred to the station at Denver Colorado.

Mrs. H. F. Burleigh, who has been visiting friends in the city for the past few days, left on the Orofino train this morning for her home in Kooakia.

Frank Brown arrived on yesterday's train from Spokane, and left on the Clearwater train this morning for his home at Mt. Idaho. Mr. Brown is commissioner-elect of Idaho county.

White Bros., shipped a car of apples to Kansas city today.

H. Wray, came in on the train this afternoon from the Hump.

F. Emery, returned from his logging camp near Vollmer today.

Miss Florence Sutherland returned from Spokane on the evening's train.

The funeral of Geo. Russell took place from the Methodist church this afternoon.

H. Ward arrived on the steamer Spokane yesterday afternoon from Wallace with the body of Ed Beck and left this morning for Grangeville with the remains where they will be taken for burial.

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