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Home and Surroundings.

The public debt decreased \$739,000 during the month of May.

Weiser elected a woman school trustee for the long term.

Two hundred thousand sheep will be sheared in Bannack county this season.

Don't forget the "cake walk" at the W. C. T. U. social.

Vogler & Horton are in Fremont county buying beef cattle.

Two feet of snow fell on the divide between Red Rock and Salmon City the first day of June.

Rexburg elected the following board of school trustees Monday: J. M. Cook, W. G. Woodvine and F. Smith. Ex-Governor Stevenson passed through Pocatello Thursday afternoon homeward bound.

The Capitol hotel at Boise is temporarily closed in anticipation of a change of managers.

The hoisting works of the Star mine at Hailey were destroyed by fire Sunday. Loss, \$1,000.

The warm days are starting the rivers on a "high" again. But there is little danger of an overflow.

We must celebrate. Let every citizen of town attend the meeting at the Opera House Saturday evening.

"Going to the World's Fair" and a "Living Library" at the social June 16.

Bank failures are growing distressingly alarming; fortunately, but few of them have been in Idaho.

The most emphatic order to arms is to hear some women say to their husbands: Jack, you take this baby.

Idaho Falls voted a special tax of 8 mills for school purposes at Monday's election.

Ex-Sheriff Smith and Agent Miller had a protracted stay in Hailey as witnesses in the Ed Cooper trial.

Philadelphia is having an epidemic of suicides. The average is four or five per day.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a social at Miss Steward's Friday evening, June 16.

The yellow fever is an epidemic at Costa Rica, but Costa Rica is far away from Idaho and there is no danger on that score.

Boise City will elect municipal officers in July. The usual street talk preceding such elections is beginning to wax a little warm.

The Mints and Treasury sent \$385,944 in silver dollars last week, being \$76,000 more than the week before.

Angel's food at the end of the "cake walk."

Two civilians were appointed to Indian agencies this week. That looks like the old time way of doing business.

Payette has begun shipping her berry crop. The general fruit crop will be immense in the valley this season.

Ben Fernish, druggist, has been adding to his store room. His business is growing and he must have room for his growing stock.

One half of Fargo, Dakota, was burned Wednesday. Property destroyed amounted to \$1,000,000 and over.

Immigrants are flocking to the inviting lands in Fremont county. They are passing through Blackfoot almost daily.

Governor Stevenson and Judge Morgan and family registered at Idaho headquarters, World's Fair, Monday.

Senator Shoup and family left Boise Tuesday for Chicago where they will spend several weeks looking over the sights on the Fair grounds.

The prettiest country immediately on the railroad in Idaho is on the branch line between Boise City and Nampa. In a few years there will be continuous orchards on either side of the road between the two places.

Judge Sullivan, of the Supreme court, was elected school trustee of the Hailey district at Monday's election.

Hon. John G. Brown went down to Pocatello Wednesday afternoon to attend the marriage of Mr. Brooks and Miss Hannaford.

It seems to be a well settled fact that President Cleveland will call Congress in extra session between the 1st and 15th of September.

Dr. L. D. Shafar, dentist, will not be in Blackfoot until some day in July next. He was advertised to come in June.

Six masked men armed with Winchester entered a bank at Bentonville, Arkansas, Monday, held up the officers and captured \$10,000. They escaped to the Indian Territory.

The Governor of Oklahoma has demanded the resignations of all Republican hold over officers in the territory to make places for Democratic appointees.

Senator Dubois has changed his mind about coming to Idaho this summer, and will sail for Europe on the 17th inst, to be absent about six weeks.

Idaho has four judges at the World's Fair: Judge Beatty of the U. S. court, Judges Morgan and Sullivan of the Supreme court and Judge Standrod of the District court.

R. V. Cozier, formerly of the law firm of Cozier & Morgan, has his professional card in THE NEWS today. His office is on Main street next door to Curtis' hardware store.

Idaho Falls had an exciting school election Monday. The following trustees were elected: Joseph A. Smith for three years, Albert Greenwell for two years and Fred Turner for one year.

When the thermometer registers 100 degrees the cable which draws the cars of the East River bridge, N. Y., is seven feet and six inches longer than when the mercury is down to zero.

W. P. P. St. Clair, well known to many of our Blackfoot people, having lived in this county for several years, has gone south to accept a lucrative position on the Iron Mountain railroad.

The Grant locomotive works at Chicago whose business ran over \$1,000,000 a year has been driven to the wall by liabilities amounting to \$450,000.

The Whittaker Co., the proud owners of the celebrated "Whittaker Sugar Cured Ham" brand has been attached for \$75,000. It's bad for hams.

Democratic postmasters of the 4th class are coming in at the rate of 85 to 90 per day; One third of these to fill places of removals.

Rexburg is making preparations for a grand celebration 4th of July. Among the attractions will be the music of 100 voices by the choral society led by Dr. Woodburn.

Superintendent Gregory, of Fort Hall Indian school, has been quite ill for three or four weeks past. He is still confined to his bed with but slight symptoms of improvement.

Judge Stevens' fine trotter is in training on the track at Salt Lake City. His stylish appearance and movements attract attention whenever he is led out for a spin around the circle.

Governor McConnell's mercantile house at Moscow will re-opened and the business conducted as before the trouble. This will be good news to the governor's friends everywhere.

P. W. Gallagher, of Pocatello will most likely be appointed deputy revenue collector for this district of Idaho. If so he will succeed Jule Bassett, the present officer.

What about a celebration 4th of July. It is not too soon to touch the button and start the machinery. Blackfoot never does things by halves and to be up to the standard in this, the preparations must begin.

The first colored man who will be recognized for an appointment by the administration is Henry Clay Smith, of Birmingham, Alabama. He will go as Consul to Tamatave, Madagascar.

Bill Lane, conductor on the Oregon Short Line, is the latest known applicant for the appointment of marshal of Idaho.

Station Agent H. M. Miller was summoned to Hailey Monday to testify in the case of the state against Ed Cooper. Cooper is charged with stealing Logan county warrants and was arrested at Blackfoot by Sheriff Smith. Mr. Miller was telegraph operator at the time.

South-eastern Idaho is blessed with summer resorts. The Guyer Hot Springs at Ketchum, the Hot Springs at Hailey, Shoshone Falls and Blue Lake, the Soda Springs and the Hot Springs in Bear Lake are all pleasant places to visit and while away some of the hot days of July and August.

The Idaho Insane Asylum advertises this week for bids for an electric lighting plant and one hot water heating and ventilating apparatus. The institution is splendidly managed and it should be given the best and latest improvements in its line of wants known today.

D. Swinehart, proprietor of Pocatello electric lights, will bring suit in the 5th judicial district court at its term in Pocatello against owners of certain property along the Portneuf river above the dam, to have same condemned so as not to interfere with his business in furnishing lights for the city.

Editor Wallis, of the Montpelier Post, has been arrested and held to the U. S. grand jury in a bond of \$500 for disposing of a sewing machine on the lottery ticket plan. We are surprised at this, because hundreds of other papers have disposed of premium goods on the same plans and nothing said about it. But then, it was not in Idaho.

By circular letter from Idaho Falls we learn that J. Ed. Smith and James M. Kerr of New York City have formed a copartnership for the practice of law in Bingham County and the courts of the state. Mr. Kerr is the author of a large number of law books, among them a work on "Business Corporations", "Homicide" etc. The firm will have a law library of over 5,000 volumes.

A foreigner who gave his name as Johnson was committed to the Asylum Wednesday by Judge Stevens. The poor fellow was picked up by Sheriff Woodin about 3 miles north of town in his aimless wanderings up and down the railroad. He bears the scars of attempted suicide on his throat and his general appearance looked like one on the ragged edge.

The Postmaster General wrote Hon. Frank W. Beane, Tuesday, to recommend a postmaster for Clayton, Custer county. Revenue Collector Lyman wired him, the same day, to recommend a deputy for Boise City district. A primer scholar in politics can read the meaning of this to be that the administration recognizes Mr. Beane's political standing and influence in the state.

Somebody facetiously suggests that Wilson, the lone train robber, ought to be given one year in the pen for robbing the train and nine years for frightening the governor of Missouri who was on the train at the time. The pistols used by Wilson were new, having been bought a few days before. One of them cost one dollar and fifty cents; the other one dollar and thirty-five cents.

McQuire & Dobson house, sign and ornamental Painters and decorative paper hangers, have located permanently in Blackfoot and Idaho Falls. All orders left with Ben Holbrook with D. H. Biethan will be promptly attended to.

Carpets at 25 cts to \$1.50 per yd. at C. Bunting & Co's.

Fourth of July Celebration.

Blackfoot cannot afford to let the glorious old Fourth go by without a proper observance of the day. It would not if it could. To celebrate becomingly we must make arrangements beforehand. To this end a meeting of all parties feeling an interest in the matter is called for at the Opera House, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. The time has arrived to begin preparations; let us have a full and enthusiastic meeting.

Children's Day.

The children of the M. E. Sabbath school have prepared a splendid programme for "Children's Day" which will be presented to the public, Sunday evening at the Methodist church.

The programme is particularly appropriate for this Columbian year, being patriotic as well as in keeping with the sacredness of the place and the hour. They should be greeted with a full house.

There'll be no Split.

Our Republican friends who are taking soothing unction to their souls because of a prospective split, as they believe, in the Democratic party in the state over the distribution of federal patronage, may as well turn their thoughts in other channels. There will be no split.

The action of the administration in recognizing the party organization in the state and making all appointments upon the recommendations of that organization precludes all hopes from any source for a split. No faction, or disgruntled or disappointed members of the party can afford to make war on the administration for its action in this matter, nor can the same parties pretend to fight the state organization because it has been recognized by the administration. No, there will be no split. The state organization will continue in favor at Washington, and if there be any disappointed members at home, they must accept the situation, and, as true Democrats, keep their places in ranks and by honest services win for themselves future promotion and honor.

Jerusalem, the city of biblical fame, of the grand temple and the home of mighty kings is enjoying a big real estate boom. Real estate has advanced 900 per cent in one year. Some of our neighboring American boomers must have struck the city.

C. Bunting & Co. will ship 1,500 tons of ore, this season, from their Lost River mines.

All next week a big reduction in ladies satin and calico waists, both black and colored. Mrs. HOLBROOK.

Fishing tackle at Fernish drug store

During the season the Union Pacific company have made arrangements to sell excursions tickets on each Saturday to Boise City and return. This rate was made to accommodate parties wishing to visit the capital on Sunday and avail themselves of a refreshing bath at the Boise Natatorium, which is becoming a very popular bathing resort.—Payette Independent.

Fishing Tackle at Fernish Drug Store.

Just received a new line of black lawns and black satens. Mrs. HOLBROOK.

Hay! Hay!!

When you are getting ready for buying remember that I have the celebrated Jackson Fork, also Double Harpoon Fork, the best hand Forks, Wire Cable, Rope, all sizes, Pulleys Carriers, Lubricating Oil, etc., at right prices. D. H. BIETHAN.

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Kickapoo Indian remedies at the Fernish drug store.

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