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FRIDAY, MAY 31, 1907.

Although Bonner county has been in existence only two months there have been 12 suits for divorce filed with the clerk of the district court. During the same time only 6 marriage licenses have been issued.—Idaho Post,

The United States is the richest nation in the world, exceeding Great Britain by almost forty-five thousand million dollars. The latest estimate of the wealth of the United States sets the figure at one hundred thousand million dollars. Great Britain is next with fifty-eight thousand two hundred million.

The total consumption of coal in the world is considerably over fifty thousand tons an hour. Of this great quantity about twelve thousand five hundred tons is required to heat the boilers of stationary, marine, and railroad engines. The production of pig iron consumes over five thousand tons an hour. The average hourly consumption of coal in households is considered to be about ten thousand tons.

The people of Iceland are so honest that there are neither prisons nor police in the country. It is said that there have been only two thefts in one thousand years. One of these was that of a native who was detected stealing sheep; but as he had done so to supply his family who were suffering for want of food, he was not punished, the shame attached to his condition being deemed sufficient degradation. The other was by a German who stole seventeen sheep, and as he was in comfortable circumstances he was sentenced to sell all of his property, restore the value of what he had stolen, and leave the country or be executed. He left. There are courts of justice; but it is not an inviting field of operations for lawyers.

So many school children have been found with defective eyesight that the school committees of several cities have considered furnishing eyeglasses free. It is a question how far government should go in supplying citizens with the necessary things in life. Most American parents will prefer to pay the oculist. In many cities are free dispensaries where poor children can be treated and and receive free

prescriptions for glasses. Parents should be warned against incompetent oculists who take advantage of the reports of the boards of education on the matter of eyesight in the schools, and try to get business for themselves by exaggerated warnings to the "parents of school children threatened with blindness."

Citizens of Spokane propose that adjacent portions of Idaho, Washington and Oregon be reassembled into a new state to be called Lincoln. Advocates of the plan maintain that this division is the natural one, with respect to the geographic formation, and also to the interests and occupations of the people. Strong opposition comes naturally from people in parts of the three states not included in the proposed new state. The idea is doubly interesting at present when the feeling for state lines is said to be dissolving all over the country; it indicates that the sense of the state unit is very strong, and that it is a matter of deep importance to a man whether he lives in Oregon or in "Lincoln."

Seattle, May 29.—The ground breaking day of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, Saturday, June 1, will be celebrated with much pomp and oratory. From early in the morning until late at night officers and trustees of the great fair will be kept busy attending to the duties that will fall upon them in making the day one to be long remembered in the history of the Pacific Northwest. Governor Mead has issued a proclamation calling the people's attention to the importance of the celebration and asking them from now on to lend their aid in making the exposition a success. It will practically be a holiday in Seattle as the people of the city have declared their intention to make it a gala occasion. The program provides for many interesting features. A big military parade will be held in the city early in the afternoon and at night a banquet will be tendered to Hon. John Barrett, who will represent President Roosevelt at the ceremonies, by the officers and trustees of the exposition. The exercises on the grounds will be held in the natural amphitheatre which is one of Nature's contributions to the exposition site. The parade will be participated in by the United States regulars from Fort Lawton, the Washington National Guard, marines from Bremerton Navy Yard and the High School cadets. President J. E. Chilberg, after the addresses of the other speakers will, with appropriate remarks, turn the first spadeful of dirt which will inaugurate work on the exposition. Many visitors are expected from surrounding cities and many prominent men of the Pacific West have signified their intention to be present.

Must Invent New Brand.

State Auditor Bragaw who is custodian and recorder for the

marks and brands of livestock, says that it will soon be necessary for Idaho stock men to build extensions on their stock in order to accommodate their brands or begin to invent different brands from the ones already filed.

There are now 3,700 live stock brands filed in his office, brands covering almost every portion of the anatomy. But with so many brands, and all the stockmen seeking for brands that can be easily made and easily described, the limit is being reached. There are six horse brands of the letter "H," located on different parts of the horse—neck, shoulder, leg, side, ear and wherever a brand will stay on.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting of The Banner M. & M. Co.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Banner Mining and Milling company will be held at the office of the company at Silver City, Idaho, at 2 o'clock, p. m., Monday, June 24, 1907, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the purpose of the transaction of such other business as may be legally brought before said meeting. The books of the said company will be closed for the transfer of stock ten days prior to said date of meeting, and no further transfers of stock shall be made on the books until after said meeting be held.

F. S. HEER, Secretary.
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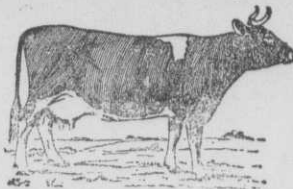
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