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Coming and Going.

R. A. Heaton and Fred M. Mielenz last week sold the People's State Bank of Lodge to M. J. Babcock, E. D. Hamilton and F. G. Laselle. Mr. and Mrs. Mielenz have had charge of the People's bank for several years, the former as cashier and the latter as vice-president. Mr. Heaton has been president of this bank since 1889. Mr. Mielenz has accepted the position of cashier of the Citizens State Bank of Mountain Home, Idaho. —Wahoo, Neb., Wasp, Feb. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mielenz arrived the first of the week for a visit with friends and relatives. They will leave for their new home in Mountain Home, Idaho, the last of the month.—Wahoo, Neb., Wasp, March 9.

H. A. Chandler, who has been cashier of the Citizens State Bank for several years, resigned his position some time ago. It is said that Mr. and Mrs. Chandler intend to make their future home at Haines, Oregon.

THURMAN TWINKLES

Special Correspondence.

THURMAN, Idaho, March 11.—“Thurman,” the new postoffice for the Dry Creek district, was formally opened today amid much rejoicing, speechmaking, banqueting and other things. At 12:15 p. m. Carrier Underwood halted his chariot at the front portal, and Postmaster Lattimore took charge of the first regular mail pouch like a veteran.

After the mail had been distributed Mrs. Latimore and daughter assumed command of the situation, taking the invited guests—12 in number—to the dining room. It is hardly necessary to state that the refreshments were appreciated, the absence of a button on Mr. Underwood's waistband being noticed immediately afterward.

Mr. Sproat, who was chiefly instrumental in establishing the new office, made a few remarks pertinent to the occasion. A number were heard to remark afterward that they thought they had been listening to a combination address from Bobby Burns, Walter Scott and Robert Bruce. The speaker, while loth to hurt the feelings of neighboring cities, or cause them any unnecessary alarm, deemed it proper, at this time, to throw out a gentle hint to the effect that Mountain Home and Boise would better guard well their boundary lines from this on, as Thurman is now on the advance.

Road Contractor Slater has just completed an excellent piece of

The road from Mud Springs to Canyon Creek, it is said, is in very bad shape.

Grass is growing up fast in this section.

R. Sproat is now working for a new school. THURMANITE.

HARNESS FOR SALE

Set of double harness for sale at Garrett & DeCoursey's stable. *

HIGHEST

cash prices paid for all kinds Hides, Furs and Pelts. Apply office Kelsey Co.

“TOPP'S TWINS”

They Will Pay Us a Visit on Friday Evening, March 24.

“Topp's Twins,” unable to longer resist the earnest appeals of the masses, have at last consented to honor Mountain Home by their presence. It is now confidently stated that they will visit this place on the night of Friday, March 24, 1905, at the opera house—at least, several of the foremost leaders in the movement believe that it is now safe to make the announcement.

“Topp's Twins” are alleged to have come originally from Smith's Prairie, although the report has recently been current that both Rocky Bar and Glenn's Ferry claim this enviable distinction.

The occasion of this notable event is in the interest of the Mountain Home High School Baseball Team. The boys want to play ball. In order to play ball it is necessary to have an outfit. An outfit costs money. Money, then, is what the boys need. That's why “Topp's Twins” are coming.

There are ten characters in the cast, all High School pupils, and it is said that each and every one of them is a drawing card. It is even whispered that one of them was detected in the act of drawing a bucket of water last week, but as yet this has not been verified. Following is the cast:

- Cadwalader Topp..... James Penee Tiek (alias Jim Baggs)..... Edward Manion
- Josiah Twiggs..... Joe Longfellow
- Mrs. Twiggs..... Ethel Bennett
- Mrs. Twiggs-Knott..... Chrissie Mahoney
- Angle Twiggs..... Rose Nelson
- Bob Spratt..... Albert Marhofer
- Mrs. Dubbledam..... Edythe Williamson
- Ginger Potts..... Will Wells
- Dr. Short..... Robert Chattin

GOVERNOR'S STAFF

Gov. Gooding has appointed the following as members of his military staff:

- Adjutant General, with rank of brigadier general, David Vickers.
- Quartermaster General and Acting Paymaster, with rank of colonel, Samuel E. Meyers.
- Commissary General, with rank of colonel, Geo. H. Roberts.
- Assistant Inspector General, with rank of lieutenant colonel, John McBirney.
- Assistant Adjutant General, with rank of major, H. C. Worthman.
- Medical Director, with rank of lieutenant colonel, S. E. Bibby, Grangeville.
- Aides-de-Camp: Capt. W. C. Hunter, Chicago; Capt. Joseph Spiegel, Boise; Capt. Geo. N. Ifft, Pocatello; Capt. Revenal Macbeth, Custer.

STATE OFFICERS

Following is the list of appointments made by the Governor and which were approved by the State Senate on Friday, March 3:

- State Engineer, James Stephenson, Boise, to complete term of Wayne Darlington, resigned.
- Insurance Commissioner, C. E. Thomas, Nez Perce, two years.
- Immigration Commissioner, Allen Miller, Grangeville, two years.
- Fish and Game Warden, Wm. N. Stephens, Rexburg, two years.
- Bank Examiner, C. S. Loveland, Twin Falls, four years.
- Board of Regents State University—Rev. I. F. Roach, Boise, to complete term of C. L. Heitman of Rathdrum, resigned; Geo. C. Parkinson, Preston, six years; James

F. McCarthy, Wallace, six years. Board of Trustees Academy of Idaho—James F. Kane and L. M. Hopson, Pocatello, each six years. Board of Trustees Lewiston Normal School—Geo. E. Crum and Dr. C. W. Shaff, Lewiston, each six years.

Board of Trustees Albion Normal School—Joseph Y. Haight, Albion, six years; W. E. Wheeler, Idaho Falls, six years; Chas. Tilatush, Hagerman, four years; Mrs. S. D. Boone, four years, and Joseph T. Pence, Boise, two years; Lawrence Hanson, Rock Creek, two years.

Board of Trustees Blackfoot Insane Asylum—B. J. Griggs, Idaho Falls; A. B. Moss, Payette; Henry Jones, Malad.

Board of Trustees Industrial Training School—T. D. Cahalan and Mrs. Nellie Hanthorne, Boise. Labor Commissioners—Hugo Woods and J. Davis, Boise.

STATE LAND BOARD

Appointments made by State Land Board in connection with reorganization:

- Land Commissioner—C. J. Munson, Latah county.
- Land Registrar—C. S. McConnell, Boise.
- Land Department—Earl L. Marvin, Collins.

NEW COUNTY OFFICERS

- Officers of Lewis county recently created by the legislature: Commissioners—James Eckert, B. L. Walrad, A. Christensen. Probate Judge—Peter Johnson. Coroner—T. A. Bishop. Sheriff—Edwin Doust. Treasurer—George R. Ross. Auditor—Ignatz Weil. School Supt.—James D. Neaville. Surveyor—J. K. Ashley Jr. Assessor—O. L. Peavey. Attorney—Herman Taylor. Officers of Clark county recently created by the legislature: Commissioners—G. O. Dart, J. Fisher, T. A. Shoemer. Probate Judge—R. S. McCrear. Auditor—Thomas L. Quarles. School Supt.—R. G. Egbers. Surveyor—W. H. Edlebrute. Assessor—Warren Flint. Attorney—E. L. Whitla. Sheriff—Charles A. McDonald. Coroner—Dr. John Sabin. Treasurer—James A. Spaulding.

Want New School.

R. Sproat of Thurman was in town yesterday on business. Now that the new postoffice is in active operation, he is working energetically for the establishment of a new school district, and to that end is circulating a petition for signatures, asking the powers that be to grant this improvement. When seen yesterday Mr. Sproat had already secured a large number of signatures.

Rev. H. C. Ethell preached for Rev. Thomas Johns, both morning and evening, last Sunday at the Glenn's Ferry M. E. church.

Dr. Nieuirk was called to Pine Wednesday on account of the sickness of Charley Casey.

J. M. Cowen is having a handsome new residence built on Bennett street.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

Miss Ora Reed will give individual lessons on piano or mandolin—fifty cents for half-hour. Further particulars, call at residence. *

MODEL HOME

Example Showing What Can be Done Here by Intelligent Effort.

Gem State Rural.

W. C. Howie, of Mountain Home, has been one of the public benefactors of that place in his fruitgrowing demonstrations. Ten years ago Mr. Howie, who is a lawyer in active practice, started his home place in the town, having 1½ acres of ground. Mr. Howie installed a windmill with a 50 barrel tank; and this plant has supplied him with all the water he has used, up to this time, for irrigation and household purposes. His plantings have consisted of apples, pears, peaches, plums, prunes, cherries, apricots, nectarines, almonds, and all small fruits, and have been largely experimental. He has tested, and now has in thrifty bearing, some 130 varieties of the different kinds of orchard fruits, having 30 or more different kinds of apples. His selections were made of choice, well known fruits, for the purpose of testing their adaptability to his locality, and, at this time, a large number of these varieties are now fruiting on his grounds. He takes great pains with his trees, and, as a result, his fruit is always large and attractive, so much so, in fact, that people are very glad to get any surplus that he may have to spare, at top prices.

In this way, his place pays handsomely, notwithstanding that much fruit is given away to visitors, and used in the home. Last year fully \$500 worth of fruit was produced on this 1½ acre tract. Mrs. Howie has all that they care to sell as her “pin money,” and in 1903 took in from this source the snug little sum of \$250. But the returns from this fruit, and the success in growing this orchard, means more to Mountain Home than the money returns or the founding of a nice family orchard. As a pioneer in fruit growing in the place, his orchard home has been “an object lesson” which has been of great benefit to this portion of the State. Mr. Howie has done well, and his example is worthy of imitation.

L. L. Spring has completed a decorative contract on the Capt. Barry home place. Four rooms were papered and painted, while the exterior of the house was introduced to the latest color modes.

Friday night Mrs. F. W. Boyd entertained the Twentieth Century Club and the latter's guests. The refreshments were very dainty and enjoyable.

A new residence is being erected for Mr. and Mrs. Claud Clays. It is located northeast of the High School.

J. A. Purtill, former Auditor, has been doing special work in the Auditor's office. *

Sarah Moots Tharp.

Mrs. Sarah Moots Tharp, a resident of Ogden, Utah, for the past 15 years, died in that city at 5 p. m. on Wednesday, March 8, 1905, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Smith. Mrs. Tharp was 94 years old, having been born on May 12, 1811, at Zanesfield, Ohio. She was an aunt of the late P. R. Longfellow.

Thurman Postoffice.

Thurman, the new postoffice on Dry Creek, is now ready for service, Messers Lattimore and Sproat having perfected the necessary arrangements early last week. Mr. Lattimore is postmaster, and L. A. Underwood of this place is to be the mail carrier. He will make two trips a week, Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Stein-Griffin.

Albert Stein and Mrs. Bessie Griffin of Glenn's Ferry were married Sunday afternoon, March 5, 1905. The ceremony was held in the First Presbyterian Church at Boise, Dr. R. McKinley officiating. Several years ago the bride was a resident of Mountain Home.

Son and Heir.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Boardman are happy over the arrival of a son, who came Wednesday, March 8.

Thursday, March 9, being the 8th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenheim, the event was celebrated during the afternoon by a “Koffee Klatsch.” Red and white were the dining room colors, an original place card and a carnation being arranged at each plate. The guests were Mesdames W. D. and W. A. Reynolds, Rhoades, Kelley, Mather, Payne and Wilkins.

If taken this month, keeps you well all summer. It makes the little ones eat, sleep and grow. A spring tonic for the whole family. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Roscoe W. Smith. *

J. B. McGuire has filed on the homestead relinquished by R. Edgar. The tract, which contains 155 acres, is on the new wagon road from Pine to Dixie, South Boise River. Mrs. McGuire and son Henry, it is said, will go to the ranch about the 1st of April, while Mr. McGuire will join them later.

R. Fitzwater is again warehouseman at the depot, Agent Ulery having recently received orders to recall Mr. Fitzwater to his old position. Several weeks ago the Company made a reduction in the warehouse force at Mountain Home and several other places.

If you cannot eat, sleep or work, feel mean, cross and ugly, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. A tonic for the sick. There is no remedy equal to it. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Roscoe W. Smith. *

The concrete blocks for Rosenheim's new building are being molded and dried.

Whooping cough has made its regular annual visit.

A. E. Danley will have a public sale in front of Helfrich's warehouse, Saturday, March 25. Watch for descriptive circulars.