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### New Gambling Law.

The Workman gambling bill, which passed both houses, was signed by the governor on March 8th and will become a law on May 8th, is as follows:

SECTION 1. Every person who deals, plays or carries on, opens or causes to be opened, or suffers or permits to be opened, or who conducts, either as owner, employee or lessee; whether for hire or not, any game of faro, monte, roulette, lansquenet, rouge et noire, rondo, or any game played with cards, dice or any other device, for money, checks, credit or any other representative of value, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and is punishable by fine not less than Two Hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not less than four months.

SEC. 2. Every person who knowingly permits any of the game prohibited by the preceding section to be played, conducted, or dealt in any house owned or rented by such persen, in whole or in part, is punishable as provided in the preceding section.

SEC. 3. Every person who, by any practice, cheat or device, or false pretense whatsoever; while playing at any game of chance, or while bearing any share in the wages played for, or while betting on sides or hands of such playing, wins or acquires to himself or another any sum of money or anything of value or representative of value, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 4. Whenever any Judge or Justice of the Peace shall have knowledge, or shall receive satisfactory information, that there is any gambling table or gambling device, adopted or devised and designed for the purpose of playing any of the games of chance prohibited in Section one of this act, within his district or county, it shall be his duty to forthwith issue his warrant, directed to the sheriff or constable, to seize and bring before him such gambling table or device, and cause the same to be publicly destroyed, by burning or otherwise.

SEC. 5. The officer who shall be charged with the execution of any warrant specified in section four of this act, shall have line power of execution thereof as is provided in cases of search warrants.

SEC. 6. Every person duly summoned as a witness for the prosecution, on any proceedings had under this chapter who neglects or refuses to attend, as required, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

SEC. 7. No person otherwise competent as a witness is disqualified from testifying as such concerning the offense of gaming, on the ground that such testimony may criminate himself; but no prosecution can afterwards be had against him for any offense concerning which he testified.

SEC. 8. Every prosecuting, or county attorney, sheriff, constable or police officer, must inform against and diligently prosecute persons whom they have reasonable cause to believe offenders against the provisions of this act, and every such officer refusing or neglecting so to do, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

### The Mining Law.

SECTION 1. That section 3100 of the Revised Statutes of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 3100. Mining claims hereafter located upon veins or lodes of quartz or other rock in place bearing any of the metals or other valuable deposits mentioned in section 2320 of the Revised Statutes of United Stated, may extend to three hundred feet on each side of the middle of the vein or lode: Provided, That when the locators have set stakes, posts or monuments described in section 2 hereof to indicate the line of the vein, ledge or lode, such stakes, posts or monuments must be taken for the purpose of such location to mark correctly the line thereof, and such line must not afterwards be changed so as to affect rights acquired or interfere with any locations made subsequent thereto.

SEC. 2. Section 3601 of the Revised Statutes of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 3101. The locator, at the time of making the discovery of such vein or lode, must erect a monument at such place of discovery, upon which he must place his name, the name of the claim, the date of dicovery and the distance claimed along the vein each way from such monument. Within three days from the date of discovery he must mark the boundaries of his claim by establishing at each corner thereof, and at any angle in the side lines, a monument marked with the name of the claim and corner or angle it represents; also, at the time of so marking his boundaries, he must post at his discovery monument his notice of location, in which must be stated: First, the name of the locator; second, the name of the claim; third, the date of discovery; fourth, the direction and distance claimed along the ledge from the discovery; fifth, the distance claimed on each side of the middle of the ledge; sixth, the distance and direction from the discovery monument to such natural object or permanent monument, if any such there be, as will fix and describe in the notice itself the location of the claim; and seventh, the name of the mining district, county and State. When, from any cause, a monument can not be safely planted at the true corner or angle, it may be placed as near thereto as practicable, and so marked as to indicate the place of such corner or angle. Monuments may be made of any such material or form as will readily give notice, and when of posts or trees they must be hewn and marked upon the side facing toward the discovery, and must be at least 4 inches square or in diameter. Monuments must be at least 4 feet high above the ground, and trees must be so hewn as the readily attract attention. At the time the locator so marks the boundaries of his claim, he may do so in any direction that will not interfere with rights or claims which existed prior to his discovery.

SEC. 3. Within 60 days after such location the locator or his assigns must sink a shaft upon the lode to the depth of at least ten feet from the lowest part of the rim of such shaft at the surface, and of not less than 15 square feet area. Any excavation which shall cut such vein 10 feet from the lowest part of the rim of such shaft and which shall measure 160 cubic feet in extent shall be considered a compliance with this provision. Any located claim upon which work has been done in compliance with the above requirements is not, unless abandoned, subject to relocation for a period of 90 days from and after the date of location.

SEC. 4. Within 90 days after the location of the claim the locator or his assigns must file for record in the office of the county recorder of the county or of the deputy recorder of the mining district in which the claim is situated a substantial copy of his notice of location.

SEC. 5. If at any time the locator of any mining claim heretofore or hereafter located, or his assigns, shall apprehend that his original certificate was defective, erroneous, or that the requirements of the law had not been complied with before filing, or shall be desirous of securing the benefits of this act, such locator, or his assigns, may file an additional certificate subject to the conditions of this act and to contain all that this act required an original certificate to contain: Provided, That such amended location does not interfere with the existing rights of others at the time when such amendment is made.

SEC. 6. Within 60 days after any time set or period allowed for the performance of labor or making improvements upon any lode or placer claim, the person in whose behalf such work or improvement is performed, or some person for him, must make and record an affidavit in substance as follows:

State of Idaho, County of..... ... , ss.
Before me, the subscribed, personally appeared....., who, being first duly sworn, says that at least.....dollars worth of work or improvements were performed or made upon..... .....claim, situate in.....mining district, County of....., State of Idaho; that such expenditure was made by, for or at the expense of....., owners of said claim, for the purpose of holding said claim.
Signature.....
Subscribed and sworn to before me this .....day of.....189..
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The fee for administering the oath and recording the foregoing affidavit, when taken before the county recorder or deputy mining recorder, shall be 50 cents; the fee for recording tne same when the oath is taken befor any other officer authorized to administer oaths shall be 50 cents. Such affidavit, or a certified copy thereof in case the original is lost, shall be prima facie evidence of the performance of such labor. The failure to file such affidavit shall be considered primn facie evidence that such labor has been done.

SEC. 7. The location of abandoned claims shall be done in the same manner as if the location were of a new claim; but the locator may, instead of sinking a new discovery shaft, sink the original discovery shaft ten feet deeper than it was at the time of his location, or he may drive the open cut or tunnel ten feet further along the course of the lead,lode or vein, and must erect new posts or monuments.

SEC. 8. No location notice shall claim more than one location, whether the location is made by one or several locators, and if it purport to claim more than one location is absolutely void.

SEC. 9. That section 3103 of the Revised Statutes of Idaho is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3103. For the convenience of prospectors and locators, the county recorders of the several counties must appoint a deputy at any place where he may deem it necessary, and at all places more than 20 miles distant from an existing office whenever ten or more mining locators interested petition for the appointment of a deputy. Upon failure of any recorder to appoint a deputy for ten days after the petition in writing has been presented to him, the resident miners may appoint temporarily, one of their number to act as the recorder for the district, whose record shall be as valid as if made by the deputy, and must be entered by the recorder as hereinafter required: Provided, That whenever at any time afterwards the recorder has appointed a deputy for such district or place the authority of the person elected by the resident miners ceases.

SEC. 10. When the right to mine is in any case separate from the ownership or right of occupancy of the surface ground, the owners or rightful occupants of the surface ground may demand satisfactory security from the miners, and if it be refused or not given, may enjoin such miners from working such ground until such security is given. The court granting the writ of injunction shall fix the amount and nature of the security.

SEC. 11. Placer claims, as mentioned in section 2329 of the Revised Statutes of the United States may be located for the purpose of mining deposits and precious stones after the discovery of such deposits.

That Section 12 be amended to read as follows:

Section 12. The locator of any placer mining claim located for the purpose of mining placer deposits or precious stones, must, at the time of making the location, place a substantial post or monument as is required in the location of quartz claims at each corner of the location and must also post on one of the same a notice of location containing the date of the location, the name of the locator, the name and dimensions of the claim, the mining district (if any) and County in which the same is situated; and must also give the distance and direction from said post or monument to such natural object or permanent monument, if any such there be, as will fix and describe in the notice itself, the location of the claim. Within fifteen days after making the location the locator must make an excavation upon the claim of not less than one hundred cubic feet for the purpose of prospecting the same. Within thirty days after the location the locator must file for record in the office of the county recorder of the County or of the Deputy Recorder of the mining district in which the claim is situated, a substantial copy of his copy of his copy of notice of location, to which must be attached an affidavit such as is required in the case of quartz claims.

SEC. 13. That section 3104 of the Revised Statutes of Idaho be amended to read as follows:

Section 3104. At or before the time of presenting a location notice for record, whether it be for quartz or placer claim, one of the locators named in the same must make and subscribe an affidavit, in writing, on or attached to the notice, substantially in the following form, to-wit:

State of Idaho. County of....., 88.
I,....., do solemnly swear that I am a citizen of the United States of America (or have declared my intention to become such) and that I am acquainted with the mining ground described in this notice of location and herewith called the.....ledge, lode or claim; that the ground and claim therein described or any part thereof has not to the best of my knowledge and belief been located according to the laws of the United States and of this State, or if so located that the same has been abandoned or forfeited by reason of the failure of such former locators to comply in respect thereto with the requirements of said laws, and (in case of quartz claims) that I have opened new ground to the extent or depth of ten feet as required by the laws of Idaho.
Signature.....
Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of.....A. D. 189..
Signature.....

SEC. 14. That section 3105 of the Revised Statutes of Idaho is amended so as to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 3105. The location notice herein required to be recorded must be recorded by by the deputy appointed for the district or the person appointed for that purpose as above provided (when the legal fee therefor is tendered) in a book to be kept for that purpose. Said book must be indexed with the names of all locators arranged in alphabetical order according to the family or surname of each. The fee to be tendered for making such record, administering the oath to the locator and certifying the same, for indexing the names appearing on the notice, and to include recording the notice by the recorder as hereinafter required, and the indexing by said recorder, is two dollars, which fee must be equally divided between the recorder and the deputy or the person acting under an election as hereinbefore provided, and no other additional sum of money must be demanded or received by either of them for any services connected with the recording of any location notice made pursuant to the requirements of this chapter.

SEC. 15. Section 3102 of chapter 1, title 8, and sections 3120, 3121, and 2122, chapter 2, title 8, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Idaho are hereby repealed.

The following sections of the mining law of 1887 (Revised Statutes of Idaho, Title VIII, Chapter 1) are still in force:

SEC. 3106. The deputy recorder of mining claims of each district, or the person elected, as herebefore provided, to make the record in case of the failure of the recorder to appoint a deputy, must at least once in each month transmit to the recorder, at the county seat all the notices of location filed with him for record and not previously transmitted, which must at once be recorded by said recorder, in a book to be kept in his office and be known as the "Book of Mining Claims," The names of all persons appearing in every notice of location must be indexed by the recorder, said names being arranged in said index in alphabetical order, according to the first letter of the surname of said locators.

SEC. 3107. The deputy recorders provided for in this chapter are not, by virtue of the provisions hereof. authorized to perform any other than the special duties herein specified. They must keep an official seal, and the records in their custody are public records, but the seal of a deputy recorder must not be attached to any paper except for the purpose of authenticating certificates attached to transcripts of the records in his custody as deputy recorder.


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### Official Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Hon. Board of County Commissioners of Idaho County, State of Idaho, will meet in regular session at the court house at Mt. Idaho, on the second Monday in April, to-wit: On Monday, April 12, 1897, at the regular hour of 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to statute, for the transaction of such business as may come before them. All persons having claims against said county are hereby notified that the same must be presented together with the necessary vouchers, properly verfiied by oath as to their correctness according to law, on or before Saturday, April 10, 1897.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated at Mt. Idaho, Idaho, March 23, 1897.

A. W. TALKINGTON.
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Idaho county, State of Idaho.

### Notice.

OFFICE COUNTY SUP'T SCHOOLS.
Mt. Idaho, Idaho County, Idaho.

Notice is hereby given that there is now on file in this office, a Petition for a new school district to be composed of the territory included within the following described boundaries, to-wit: Commencing at the mouth of the Lolo river; thence up the Clearwater river to the mouth of Trail creek; thence up Trail creek about ½ mile, to the mouth of Wall canyon; thence up Wall canyon to the East line of A. C. Taylor's ranch; thence north to the Lolo river; thence down the Lolo river to the place of commencement.

The above-mentioned petition will be presented to the Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting in April, 1897, for their final action.

W. N. SCALES,
Co. Sup't. Idaho Co.
Mt. Idaho, March 26, 1897.


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The peasants of Brittany and their quaint dress and customs have long furnished rich material for the artists and writers who flock thither in summer. It is in the winter, however, when the painters and frivolous Parisians have flitted homeward, that a unique ceremony takes place in the picturesque commune of Plougastel. Since time immemorial, says the New York World, it has been the custom there not to marry during Advent, and so early in January each year there is a day set apart for the wholesale wedding of those who have succeeded in arranging their affairs of the heart during the holy season. The number of couples united on these occasions is generally above a score, but the record was broken this year when forty-six were married in a single day.

There is no better example of the proverbial thriftiness of the Bretons than this custom. The families of the young people combine and secure from the innkeepers a considerable abatement in the cost of the eatables and drinkables which are consumed in large quantities after the ceremony. A great number of people from neighboring towns are always present at this annual knot-tying, which is made exceedingly attractive by the picturesque costumes of the participants. The maidens wear white caps from which stream long, bright-colored ribbons. Their dresses are trimmed with gold fringe or yellow satin, and they wear light green or greenish yellow aprons. About the waist is bound a gold-fringed sash of blue silk. The men wear short trousers of brown cloth, round jackets of various shades of blue, worsted belts of the same color, green vests and black hats ornamented with white and blue ribbons.

The religious ceremony is preceded by the civil one at the Mairie, or town hall. At this, in order to conform with the French law, it is necessary to read to each ccuple that lengthy portion of the code which relates to marriage. The strain upon the voice of M. Nicole, the mayor, was so great at the last occasion that he was compelled to devote two entire forenoons to the forty-six couples.

After the ceremony at the church the newly wedded pairs, observing an ancient custom, proceed in a body to a shrine of great antiquity outside the village, after which they scatter among the wine shops of the town, where feasts have been prepared for them and their guests. This year the accommodations were insufficient, and many ate in tents. The fetes which follow the weddings last a week and are marked by a vast consumption of food and drink, the singing of Breton songs, and general mirth and jollity.

For generations none of the inhabitants has ever married outside of Plougastel, for he or she who seeks a mate in the world beyond the narrow bounds of the commune is condemned to perpetual and complete ostracism

### Notice.

OFFICE COUNTY SUP'T SCHOOLS.
Mt. Idaho, Idaho County, Idaho.

Notice is hereby given that there is now on file in this office, a Petition for a new school district to be composed of the territory included within the following described boundaries, being on the reservation, to-wit: Commencing at the S. E. corner of S. W. ¼ of Section 29, Township 32, N. R. 2, E. B. M.; thence North four miles to the North-east cor. of the N.W.¼ of Sec. 8, Township 32, N. R. 2, E. B. M.; thence West 3½ miles to the N. W. corner of the N. W. ¼ of Section 11, Township 32, N. R. 1, E. B. M.; thence South about four miles to intersect the reservation line; thence S. E. along the reservation line, where the reservation line crosses the Section line dividing 26 and 35 in last said Township and Range; thence east along the said Section line about three miles to the place of beginning.

The above mentioned petition will be presented to the Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting in April, 1897, for their final action.

W. N. SCALES,
Co. Sup't Idaho Co.
Mt. Idaho, March 26, 1897.

### Notice.

OFFICE COUNTY SUP'T SCHOOLS.
Mt. Idaho, Idaho County, Idaho.

Notice is hereby given that there is now on file in this office, a Petition for a new school district to be composed of the territory included within the following described boundaries, to-wit: Beginning at the East line of Township 32, at the middle of Section 1, and running West 3¼ miles; thence South 5½ miles; thence East 3¼ miles; thence North to the starting point, in Township W. B. M., R. 1.

The above-mentioned petition will be presented to the Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting in April, 1897, for their final action.

W. N. SCALES,
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Mt. Idaho, March 26, 1897.

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The other place consists of 480 acres in three fields, enclosed with wire and pole fence, with spring and reservoir for stock. All good plow land except about ten acres. A box house of three rooms downstairs and two rooms upstairs; spring within 20 steps of house. A thousand acres of pasturage adjoining with fine grass, water and shelter for stock the year round. $10 per acre buys it. For further particulars call on A. F. Parker, Grangeville, or Cyrus Overman, on the ranch.

### O R & N River Tariff.

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Arrangements for payment of freight can be made with the Bank of Camas Prairie.

### SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF GRANGEVILLE Precinct in and for the County of Idaho, State of Idaho.

Henry C. Johnson plaintiff, vs. Alice C. Hogan and Robert Hogan her husband defendants

The State of Idaho to Alice C. Hogan and Robert Hogan her husband, the above named defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Justice Court Grangeville precinct, in and for the county of Idaho, State of Idaho, and to answer the Complaint filed therein, at the time hereinafter designated, or judgment by default will be taken against you, according to the prayer of said Complaint, or for the sum of $13.28, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from May 11, 1895.

The said action is brought to recover judgement for the sum of Thirteen and 28-100 dollars with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from May 11, 1895; $3.45 of the above amount being for goods consisting of fruit sold and delivered by plaintiff to defendant Alice C. Hogan, between September 27, 1894 and March 24, 1895, and the balance of $9.83 being upon a separate cause of action, for meat sold and delivered between the 18th day of March 1895 and the 11th day of May 1895, which account before the commencement of this action was duly assigned to plaintiff.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said Complaint on Friday the 16th day of April, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., the said plaintiff will take judgment against you by default according to the prayer of said complaint for the sum of $13.28 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from May 11, 1895, and for the costs of this action

Given under my hand in the County of Idaho, State of Idaho, this 16th day of January, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven.

JAMES WOODWARD,
Justice of the Peace, Grangeville precinct.

### Notice of Forfeiture.

To D. F. Dwight, or assigns.

You or your representatives and successors in interest are hereby notified that the undersigned, your co-owner, in accordance with the laws of the United States, has expended for labor the sum of One Hundred ($100) Dollars upon the "Coupon" quartz mining claim for the year 1896; said "Coupon" claim adjoining and lying west of the Banner quartz mine in Florence mining district, Idaho county, Idaho; and you are hereby notified that unless you contribute your proportion of said expenditure as follows: One-half interest in said Coupon claim for one year, amounting to Fifty ($50) dollars, together with interest and cost of this publication, within the statutory time as specified in Section 2324, Revised Statutes of the United States, your interest in said claim will become the property of the undersigned.

S. A. MOON.

First publication, January 8, 1897. 44

### NOTICE.

To T. D. Swartz, copartner in a certain water right and mining ditch situated in Lake creek mining district, in Idaho county, state of Idaho; said property being owned by Peter Brockmann, J. M. Auchinvole and T. D. Swartz. You are hereby notified that I the undersigned, having done the amount of One Hundred and Fifty ($150.00) dollars worth of assessment work on the said property, your share of said work being the amount of Fifty ($50.00); now if the said amount of your share is not paid on or before January 20, A. D., 1897, then said property shall belong to me for the work done thereon.

PETER BROCKENOUS.

Mt. Idaho, Dec. 16, 1896.


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