

SNOW ALL OVER INLAND EMPIRE

Up to Three Inches on Fields With Two Feet or More in the Mountains.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Spokane, Wash., Dec. 1.—Snow varying from half an inch to three inches deep, has fallen over the inland empire and covers the mountains in north Idaho and central Washington to a depth of over two feet. Cattle have been driven down the hills near the Walla Walla for grazing in the lowlands. At Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, two inches of snow fell. Mining men and farmers will profit by the fall in grain prices. Lumbering operations will commence in the deep woods this week.

FINCH KEEPS SILENT

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and avowed his intention of publicly denouncing them by name over his own signature. Hitchens is one of the four lawyers prosecuted by Mr. Fisher on behalf of the bar association. District Attorney Cameron declared this morning that he had discovered nothing new in regard to the murder. The detectives also profess to be a standardist so far as any new developments are concerned. They are still working on the letter received by Mr. Fisher before he was shot, and as soon as the identity of the writer is definitely established another arrest it is hinted may be expected. The detectives admit that they have found nothing to indicate a conspiracy to kill Mr. Fisher.

CORONER'S JURY HOLDS FINCH SHOT INTENDING TO KILL

Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald introduced a feature into the investigation of the murder of Ralph B. Fisher when he closely questioned every witness at the inquest held yesterday afternoon in the Dunning club. To the condition of Fisher's desk when first seen by outsiders.

HILL BROUGHT

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to investigate the Root-Gordon rumors met here in secret session in a hotel room. Beyond the statement that the commission would do everything in its power to trace the various rumors, Chairman John H. Powell declined to outline the course of the procedure. R. W. Nuzum and N. E. Nuzum, the Spokane attorneys who reported to Root matter in the shape of letters, were informed that the commission wanted to see them and both said they would appear when asked. Both declared they knew nothing that would assist the inquiry.

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INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and the Proof Is Right Here.

Nothing better demonstrates that rheumatism is a disease of the blood than the fact that it is hereditary in certain families. It may not develop until conditions of cold and dampness favor it because nature is always fighting to keep the body in health. When disease does get the upper hand and rheumatism is seated in the blood, a remedy that will revitalize and renew the blood is the simplest and best means of relief.

A remarkable instance of the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in this disease is shown by the cure they effected in the case of Mrs. O. E. Taylor, whose address is R. F. D. No. 6, Columbus, Ohio, who writes:

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"I was treated by different doctors at London, Ohio, who gave me only temporary relief. Upon the advice of a cousin, who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, he kindly decided to give them a trial. I soon had an appetite and could see that the pills were helping me. I took several boxes and was cured as I have not been troubled with the pains since and am a healthy woman every day.

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The commission this morning, after appointing E. D. Cutler as acting chief, exonerated Engineer Murphy from all blame, and he was released from surveillance.

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"I have heard that the police boat is very prone to rocking and I think it is quite possible it at that time. He might have been thrown into the water by a sudden lurch of the boat. Murphy could not have heard him, owing to the noise of the engine.

"I think they were very foolish to go out on the bay without more men aboard the launch. Mr. Biggy was not heard from him directly since the altercation I had in his office on October 27."

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This sensational story started a new craze this time in the minds of physicians who attended Faure at the time of the tragedy. It was denied that the woman lost her hair shortly after the president's death, as had been reported.

L'Intransigent today published an interview which led to the belief that Mme. Steinheil shortly before her arrest. In this she says she published her statements when she was because she felt her reason giving way and because she wanted the force of the police department directed to solving the mystery of the double murder, of which she and others had been accused.

The body of Adolph Steinheil was re-interred in Paris yesterday. Authorities having retained the viscera with which to make a chemical examination in order to ascertain if poison had been administered by his murderer.

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BOUND OVER AS A HIGHWAYMAN

Jack Horn, the Oregon City blacksmith who held up three young men a few nights ago at the point of his finger, appeared in police court yesterday afternoon, charged with assault with intent to rob. He denied that he had any intention of robbing the Nelson boys. He just wanted to see if he couldn't make a bluff that would induce them to stick up their hands. He said he didn't have a revolver and didn't intend to take anything from them.

KEEFE COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION

Washington, Dec. 1.—Daniel J. Keefe of Detroit, president of the longshoremen's union, has accepted the position of commissioner general of Immigration.

Speakership Campaign

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 1.—Leonard O. Meigs of Yakima county and James W. Slayden of Pierce county, rival candidates for speaker of the house of representatives, met here last night. A reliable poll of the Spokane county delegates indicates that they stand four for Slayden, three for Meigs, two unpledged and one Democrat.

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