AMONG THE EXCHANGES OF THE INLAND EMPIRE

Shippers Are After the Merger.

Local representatives of the Hill seem to doubt the probability the shippers' association inducing heads of departments to come to city to meet them to discuss the ter of the boycott whereby the ing jobbers of Spokane have bined to withhold all business the Northern Pacific and Great thern systems.

railroad men say that if the head ic men of these lines condescend meet with the shippers here, and hould come about that the ship- gain their point, it will mean other cities will follow suit and wise force the railways to con- r and grant such demands as be made.

pooling of the freight interests his city has been rumored with intimation that, rather than give the shippers, the Hill and Har- n interests will concoct some me to split the profits of Spo- shipments with the O. R. & N. said that although the O. R. & being benefited at this time, it suffer later on should shippers her cities undertake such action ave the shippers of this city.

the meantime there is no truce will not be unless the railroad agree to come to Spokane.—ane Press.

Idaho Boy at Niu Chwang.

and Mrs. Sol Hasbrouck have ved an interesting letter from son, Lieutenant Ray Hasbrouck, is on board the United States oat Helena, which is at present mud dock at the mouth of Liau iver at Niu Chwang.

enant and Mrs. Hasbrouck been living in a mud house h the lieutenant constructed on bank of the river near the mud He states that foreigners are in any way restricted as to their dom at Niu Chwang, although port is likely to be the scene of lities at any time.

hen the water in the river is enough the Helena will be float- t of the dock. Lieutenant Has- k will then go on board the ves- nd Mrs. Hasbrouck will take up residence with the family of d States Consul Miller.—Boise al News.

Experiment With Watermelons.

P. Howe, editor of the Emmett t, is a Boise visitor. He re- that town as flourishing and its prospects for the future are very bright. The people are much interested in the irrigation problem, being anxious to see water put on the lands that are not yet supplied.

Mr. Howe states the Pacific Express Company is planning to conduct some experiments over there this season in growing cantaloupes, and it recently sent Agent Lovesey to Emmett to look up a suitable 20-acre tract upon which the experiments may be conducted. It wishes to secure a tract of sandy loam. On this it will put out a crop of the melons, sending a trained man to take charge. This man will also instruct the farmers in the culture of the luscious fruit.

The reason the company is anxious to start the industry at Emmett is because the season there is 10 days earlier than at Payette, the latter being two weeks earlier than Rocky Ford. At the beginning of the season the melons bring as high as $4 a crate, and the company is satisfied if the business of growing them can be started at Emmett it will be so profitable that immense shipments will soon be made from that point.—Boise Statesman.

Portage Road Must Wait.

The Celilo canal commission has secured rights of way for the canal from all property owners affected, except I. H. Taft, and hopes soon to reach an agreement with him, when title will be complete, and the government may proceed to construct the canal. Because the location of the portage road and that of the canal conflict, the former was temporarily abandoned. New surveys for the road will be made, but it is probable that the cost will exceed the appropriation of $165,000, and the action of another legislature must be awaited. The cost of the canal right of way will come inside the appropriation of $100,000.—The Dalles Chronicle.

From "Truthful Janus."

While winter has been fitful down this way, up in the mountains of the mining sections there's been no discount on the genuine article, and snow has been plentiful. Speaking of the fall of snow at Elkhorn mountain, near Baker City, a miner coming out from there says that last Monday night and Tuesday it was phenomenal. In 24 hours, by actual measurement, the fall was 36 inches, more snowfall than ever recorded in the same length of time in the history of the camp.—The Dalles Chronicle.

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London, March 28.—Edgar Geil, an American traveler, has just arrived in England on the conclusion of a three years' journey, in which he has covered over 75,000 miles. Mr. Geil, who is a native of Philadelphia, left that city for the purpose of visiting the various mission fields of the world, with a view to collecting independent evidence regarding the value of Roman Catholic, Protestant and Mohammedan missions throughout the world.

In his researches in numerous out-of-the-way places Mr. Geil encountered his strangest experiences in the Great Pigmy Forest in Africa.

The pigmies will not do any work, says Mr. Geil, but devote their entire time to hunting. The forest is inhabited not only by pigmies, but by people of ordinary size. These latter are completely terrorized by the pigmies, who make them do all the work while they hunt. Mr. Geil says the pigmies are a very bright, clever and independent people, and might be described as the Japanese of Africa.

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Stockholm, March 28.—The Stockholm court has just pronounced the Arctic explorer, Andree, to be dead in law, the legal term of disappearance having expired. Andree left Spitzbergen July 11, 1897, with two companions in a balloon with the object of reaching the North Pole. No authentic trace has ever been discovered of the ill-fated expedition.

Colds Cause Pneumonia.

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