# NEWS OF THE WEEK

From All Parts of the New World and the Old.

OF INTEREST TO OUR MANY READERS

Comprehensive Review of the Important Hap penings of the Past Week in a Condensed Form.

The oath of allegiance has been administ red to over 1,000 Filipines at Full-blooded Indians in the Crock

country threaten to exterminate the The Oregon and Washington legislatures adjourned out of respect to

Three people were killed near Van conver as the result of an explosion of powder being thawed out in a stove.

South Bend, Wash., has sent a delegation to Olympia to work for the location of a normal school at that place.

The sloop Maria Teresa, owned by a

subject of Great Britain, was burned by the Venezuelan gunboat Miranda. The Grand opera house at Cincinnati

Stephen Parson Myer, a well known

contractor, who built the Colorado Midland railway, is dead at Louisville,

The finances of Oregon, with the exgood condition, reports the state treasurer in his financial statement.

Chinese Boxers are said to have sgain resumed active operations in the vicinity of Tien Tsin. Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching a e accused of being associated with the Boxer leaders.

ed. Beeler and Slaughter were cattle- acter. men and bad blood had existed between them for a long time.

Clapp, Minuesota; R. J. Gamble, South Dakota; W. J. Sewell, New Jer-sey; J. H. Berry, Arkansas; F. E. of Seattle, January 14 from Lynn Virginia; J. W. Hailey, Texas; F. M. Simmons, North Carolina.

Frank Janusen, a sharber of South Scranton, f'a., went home drunk and in a quarrel with his wife, threw a lighted lamp at her. The bed was ignited and their 7-year-old boy burned to death. Mrs. Jannsen was probably fatally burned. Her sister, Maygie McDonald, was seriously burned. The house was destroyed. Janusen is un-

Verdi, the composer, is seriously ill. The severest storm on record is reported from Alaska.

A strip of Benton county, Oregon, may be annexed to Linn. A fire at Walla Walla destroyed

\$25,000 worth of property. The next Grand Army encampment

will be held at Cleveland, Ohio.

The Venezuela government is trying to blackmail the asphalt company.

Speaker Reeder, of the Oregon legislature, has announced his committees.

A new pure food law is now being considered by the Oregon legislature. A bill is before the Washington legislature for the abolishment of fish

Ex-Congressman George W. Cowles, aged 78, is dead at his home in Clyde,

the Oregon legislature to increase the monument fund to \$20,000. nation of James S. Hariau to be at-

torney-general of Porto Rico. A new county, named Clearwater, will probably be created by this ses-

sion of the Idaho Igeislature. John H. Russel, a well known theatrical manager, is dead at the state

hospital at Middletown, N. Y. The governor of Idaho has recommended a memorial to congress asking

for popular election of senators. A measure is before the Washington legislature providing for the purchase

of the Thurston county court house for Rev. Charles E. Conrad, M. D.

aged 81. He was in Calcutta during seventh infantry. His sister resides in the Sepoy outbreak. The revenue cutter Grant is to make cruise along the coast near the United

States-Canadian line to investigate the wreckage, of which so much has come Compulsory education in New Zeq-

land is considered a success. The Georgia state university at Ath-

ens celebrated its centennial. Yale's footbal; association last year paid out \$1,294.95 for medical attendance and \$749.30 for "shoes and re-

The British ambassador in a commanication to the secretary of state oraised Americans at the siege of Pe-

#### ANARCHISTS' PLOT.

Planed to Kill Prominent Americans Disclosed in Corut Trial.

New York, Jan. 23. - Elias Masuras. logg, of Yonkers, N. Y., this morning, told a startling tale of a plot of Greek anarchists to kill prominent Americans, and would have told more had the court not stopped him and turned him over to the police, that they might quietly investigate the case. Several Offers to Restore the Asphalt Property for arrests have already been made, and a

number more are planned. On the stand Masuras said that in Greece he had been a member of an anarchist society. Some time ago it fell to his lot to kill a public man in the United States, and he was ordered to come to this country and place himself under the orders of the American branch of the society. He had never heard the name of the man be was to murder, and understood that, as in other cases, the man who was to be the victim was to be selected after his

arrival in this country. After reaching America, Masuras, according to his own story, went to Yonkers, and affiliated himself with a branch of the organization, as well as one in New York. Finally he became frightened, withdrew and refused to carry out the mission entrusted to from the time he left the organization he claims he was annoyed and threatened by members of the society. He remained firm in his determination burned without loss of life. The that not to obey the orders, however, and ater was packed at the time the fire yesterday six of the men came here and begged him to return. When he still refused, one of the six, which one him. The blow was aimed too high, however.

Masuras was apparenty willing to ception of two special funds, are in Kellogg adjourned the hearing and committed the prisoner to jail, pending further examination. Masuras was examined by the police, and as a result the war ants were issued. Joseph and James Kiptaukas and Frank Hes- cently seized by the Venezuelan au-Particulars has just been received of the police are searching for them. a fatal duel at Springville, in Apache The police assert that they believe the county, Ariz. Monte Slaughter was story told by Masuras, and they say killed by ex-Sheriff Beeler and Clare that the affair has led to the discovery Pearey, an onlooker, was badly wound- of an anrchist band of a dangerous char- the seizure of the steamers.

#### SNOW STORM IN ALASKA.

Senators elected are: J. R. Burton, Complete Tie-Up Resulted on White Pass and Kansas; Knute Nelson and M. E. Complete Tie-Up Resulted on White Pass and

Warren, Wyoming; S. B. Elkins, West canal, reports a great snow storm in Southeastern Alaska. For five days succeeding January 7 the fall was particularly heavy, completely tying up the White Pass & Yukon railroad. The highway was still blockade i when the Seattle sailed.

Between Skagway and White Horse, the interior terminus of the road, there were eight engines and three rotaries stalled. Several of the engines were drawing trains on which were from 10 to 12 passengers each. All of the engines were without water, having to melt snow. A train near the summit of the mountains back of Skagway ran short of provisins, the crew having to pack food for the passengers from Fraser, over two miles distant. The sterm appears to have extended well towards Dawson, carrying down the wires of the Dominion Telegraph Com-

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 23 .- P. B. Callaban, a highwayman, lies dying at Sacred Heart hospital, as the result of last night's adventures. At midnight Callaban entered Garabaldi Albi's saloon, one block from police headquarters, took a drink with the proprietor. and covered him with a gun. Albi tan away and gave the alarm. Callahan robbed the till, then ran down Washington street. In the darkness he plunged over the Great Northern retaining wall, falling on boulders 18 feet below. Both his jaws were broken, and the base of his brain injured. He was taken to the hospital where he A measure has been introduced in will probably die. Albi is a brother of William Albi, who killed a robber named Lacey two years ago, in revenge for having held him up.

Glass Works to Close Down. Hartford City, Ind., Jan. 23 .- The American Window Glass Company and the Independent Manufacturer's Association today agreed to close their plants until Aripi 1, instead of June 1. Eighty factories and about 30,000 workers will be affected. The object of the shut-down is to curtail produc-

# tion an I maintain prices.

San Francisco, Jan. 23 .- Edward M. Baytel, a convalescent soldier, committed suicide at the Presidio yesterday by shooting nimself through the head with a Krag-Jorgensen rifle. He was a Russian, enlisted in Chicago, noted missionary, died at Quincy, Ill., and assigned to company E. Thirty-

## New Negro University.

The University of West Tennessee which has ju-t been chartered in that state, is to be built at Jackson by prominent negro educators.

## Charges Against Militia Colonel

Columbus, O., Jan 23.-Charges have been filed with Governor Nash against Coonel C. X. Zimmerman, of the Fifth Regular Ohio National Guard, by Major Dodge, and it is expected that a court martial will be the result. The charges incude false entries on the muscer rolls and failing to account for public funds. No action will be taken until Governor Nash returns from Washington.

# DURDOSE BLACKMALL FIRE, BUT NO PANIC. Grand Opera House at Cincinnati Burned—

American Concern.

ENGLAND WILL GIVE NO PROTECTION audience.

One Million Dollars-Insurgents

Gain a Battle.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, British West Indies, Jan. 23.—The arrivals today from Venezuela confirm the reports of the existence of a critical condition of affairs in that republic. A former Venezuelan minister asserts that the politicians at Caracas are making a determined raid on the Bermudese Asphalt Company. He adds that they tried it before on a modest scale, squeezing \$30,000 out of the company. when United States Minister Loomis protested and stopped further action of this description. The government, the minister also says, listened to reason then, but has now lost its head and offered to restore the property for \$1,-000,000, although it is said to have been illegally taken by a dictatorial decree. In addition, the assertion is again made that if foreign governments permit the action of the Venezuelan authorities to pass without some protest, all foreign investors will be driven from South America, for the latter always claim they are being illegally he could not say, attempted to stab plundered. In this connection, the assertion is made that no former Venezuelan government would have dared to act as this one does toward Washtell more about the society, but Judge ington. It is explained that the Venezuelan authorities are counting on the disinclination of strong nations to co-

erce weak ones. At the office of the Orinoco Company, whose two steamers were retaigus were arres.ed by the police. One thorities, the manager says the British other Yonkers man and two New York - prinister at Caracas, Mr. Haggard, has ers are named on other warrants, and informed the American minister that the British government will not protect the company because its shareholders are Americans. The company is said to be losing heavily through

The commander of the French cruiser Suchel, stationed at Curapano for the protection of the large French interests in that vicinity, reports that disturbances are increasing. The insurgents of Venezuela have just gained a battle

## Germany Not Interested.

Berlin, Jan. 23 .- The German foreign office shows no interest whatever in the reports regarding the situation in Venezuela, and characterizes the newspaper accounts of the difficulty

## A WESTERN FIGHT.

But the East Is Willing to Help Obtain Appro-

priation for National Irrigation. Washington, Jan. 23 .- Some hundred prominent daily Eastern newspapers recently have editorialy expressed views favorable to a system of national irrigation. It would seem that the East is well in line in wishing the development and reclamation of the great area west of the hundredth meridian, and that it is realized that such a development would benefit the entire country and be a national benefit, adding to the general wealth and power of the nation. While the East is thus willing to assist and co-operate, it expects, of course, that the West will make its own fight. Every local Western organization of whatever character-chambers of commerce, boards of trade, commercial clubs, business associations-everything with president and secretary abould discuss and take action upon this question of national irrigation and government appropriations for the building of storage reservoirs, and then stand ready to co-operate with the National Irrigation Association, for whatever

Accident to the Bailey. Washington, Jan. 23 .- The torpedo boat Bailey has come to grief again. The accident which disabled her in this case is peculiar. While lying in Newport, about to undertake a trial trip on the following day, the intense cold froze the water in her boilers, bursting a number of the tubes. The boat has been sent to New York for repairs, and the trial board has been

## School Act Passed.

Manila, Jan 23 .- The act establishing the department of public instruction was unanimously passed by the Philippine commission today, after a debate between commissioner Moses and Judge Taft, over the section permitting religious instruction in school

## D. Decker, of Charlotteville, Ind.

is the possessor of a piano made 200 years ago and which is yet in good condition and of excellent tone. It is made of solid mahogany.

## Florence Strike Settled.

Florence, Colo., Jan. 23 .- The strike of the mill men of Florence was settled today. President Gorman, of the State Federation of Labor, who has been here in conference with both sides, announced tonight that the mill mangaers had signed an agreement granting the main demands of the men, including the eight-hour day and o the union wage scale. The mills will resume work at once. The agreement

Fortunately no Loss of Life.

Cincinnati, Jan. 24 .- The Grand The play set for the night was "Hamlet," by E. H. Southern company, and the house was packed by a brilliant

The first act had been finished and in the second Mr. Southern, acting the part of Hamlet, had spoken but a few Passing of England's Queen Causes Universal lines when a slight disturbance in the orchestra seats was observed. It was caused by a slight issue of smoke at that point. An usher went down the aisle and quietly asked the people to be seated, saying there was nothing wrong. Mr. Souhtern, at this point, stepped to the front of the stage and also assured the audience that everything was all right. Then he resumed his part, but before he had spoken two lines the smoke issued in such volumes that there was a spontaneous movement

of the people in its vicinity. Without further order or suggestion, one of the most remarkable scenes ever any woman in the world's history, took place. It was as if the whole sit- the Osborne House. This most reson in the house, and without a single in a great four posted bed and made a der and composure as if no such thing England. Around her wer; gathered as fire had ever been known. Mr. Southern estimates his loss at \$50,000. His company was compelled to reach the street clad in their costumes and Consort. It was he who designed the to lose the greater part of their personal effects, left in the theater.

#### MAY BUY FROM SPAIN.

United States has Offered \$100,000 for Certain Islands in the Sulu Group.

New York, Jan. 24 - A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Senator Lodge will endeavor to secure the approval of the senate in executive session today to the treaty signed by Secretary Hay and Duke de Arcos, the Spanish minister, on November 7 last, for the purchase by this government of certain small islands in the Sulu group which had not been included in the Paris treaty. This treaty was sent to the senate early last month, and consists essentially of the following arti-

Spain relinquishes to the United States all title and claim of title to the Philippine archipelago, lying to their rooms. outside the lines described in article 3 of that treaty and partcularly to the islands of Cagayan, Sulu and Sibutu and their dependencies, and agrees that all such islands shall be comprised in the cession of the archipelago as fully as if they had been expressly

included within those lines. The United States, in consideration of this relingquishment, will pay to Spain the sum of \$100,000 within six months after the ratification of this

The Spanish cortes has just approved the convention, and it only awaits ac- nothing had happened. tion by the senate for the exchange of ratifications, which are to be made in Washington.

The appropriations to carry out the greement must be made this season if the treaty is approved, but it cannot be inserted in any appropriation bill until the senate has authorized ratifica-

## WANTED IN THREE STATES

All Sorts of Crimes.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Jan. 24,-Geo. W. and John Reeves, alias Thompson, William. alias Clark, wanted in at least three different states to answer for various crimes, from murder to petit larceny, have been arrested in the northeast part f this county by Sheriff Mancion, Poiceman Satterfield and Deputy-Sheriff

On June 1, 1885, near Huntington, Ind., Bob Reeves and his two sons, George and John, killed Deputy-Sheriffs Gardner and Cox, of Dubois coun-The father is said to have died. The sons went to Kentucky, where they assumed the name of Thompson, and June 9, 1888, were sentenced from Monroe county to a term of 31 years in he penitertiary for arson and burg-September 28, 1896, they escaped from the Frankfort prison and made their way to this county. They assumed the name of Clark and have since resided here.

## DOGS FOR ALASKA.

Twelve St. Benards Have Left Chicago in Special Car.

Chicago, Jan. 24. - In a private car, fitted up especially for their use and comfort, 12 hardy and muscular St. Barnard dogs will leave Chicago today, bound for Alaska. Chicago prospectors will use them in the Far North to transport supplies in the Copper river The canines have been given a spe-

cial course of training by their owner. who says he has hardened them in preparation for the strenuous life they will be forced to lead in the ice fields

## Will Accept Canal Ammendments.

London, Jan. 24 -The Washington he understands it is practically certain that Great Britain will accept the amendments of the United States to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Claims to Have Killhd 700 Boxers.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamot returned to on Francisco from China, where during the siege of Pekin the couple claim bave killed 700 Boxers.

# THE QUEEN IS DEAD NEWS OF THIS AND NEIGHBORING STATES

Entire Family.

THE PRINCE OF WALES HAILED AS KING

Sorrow-Was One of Most Beloved Rulers of the World.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Jan. 23 .-Queen Victoria is dead and Edward

The greatest event in the memory of this generation, the most stupendous change in existing conditions that could possibly be imagined, has taken place quietly, almost gently, upon the anniversary of the death of Queen Victoria's father, the Duke of Kent. The end of this carreer, never equalled by witnessed in a crowded auditorium came in a simply furnished room in uation nad been revealed to every per- spected of women, living or dead, lay shout or anything else indicating a shrunken atom whose aged face an i leader, dispersal of the audience began figure were a cruel mockery of the fair and was carried on with as much or- girl who, in 1837, began to rule over almost every descendant of her line Well within view of ber dying eyes there hung a portrait of the Prince

room and every part of the castle. In scarcely audible words, the white haired Bishop of Winchester prayed beside her, as he had often prayed, for he was her chaplain at Windsor. With bowed heads the imperious ruler of the German empire and the man who is now king of England, the woman who has succeeded to the title of queen, the princes and princesses, and those of less than royal designation, listened to the bishop's ceaseless pray-

Six o'clock passed. The bishop con: tinued his intercession. One of the younger children asked a question in shrill, childish treble, and was immediately silenced. The women of this royal family sobbed faintly, and the men shuffled uneasily.

At exactly half past 6, Sir James Reid held up his head, and the people then knew that England had lost her queen. The bishop pronounced the benediction. The queen passed away which she may have had at the time quite peacefully. She suffered no of the conclusion of the treaty of Paris pain. The most of the mourners went

A few minutes later the inevitable this pathetic chapter of international history, for the court ladies went briskly to work ordering their mourning from London. The wheels of the world were jarred when the announcement came, but in this palace at Osborne everything pursued the usual were cooking a huge dinner for an assemblage, the like of which has seldom been known in England, and the dinner preparations proceeded just as if

The body of Queen Victoria was balmed and will probably be taken to Windsor Saturday. The coffin arrived

last evening from London. It was thought that the queen was dying about 9 o'clock in the evening. and carriages were sent to O-borne cottage and the rectory to bring all the princes and princesses and the bishop of Winchester to her bedside. seemel then very near the end, but when things lo ked the worst, the queen had one of the rallies due to her wonderful constitution, opened her eves and recognized the presence of Wales, the princesses and Emperor

Four o'clock marked the beginning of the end. Again the family were summoned, and this time the relapse was not followed by recovery.

The Prince of Wales was very much affected when the doctors at last informed him that his mether had breathed her last. Emperor William was also deeply affected, but did his best to minister comfort to his sorrowstricken uncle, whose new dignity he

From all parts of the world there are still pouring into Cowes messages condolence. They come from crowned heads, millionaires, tradesmen and paupers, and are variously addressed to the Prince of Wales and the king of England. Emperor William's arrangements

are not settled. His yacht will arrive today, but it is believed he will not depart until after the funeral.

Fort Madison, Ia., Jan. 24.-George landed in jail here late last night, the warrant having been sworn out Frederick Krickenbaum, president of the West Point bank, charging him cents. with an attempt to extort money. Krinckenbaum received a letter ordering him to deposit \$5,000 at a certain place under the Pitman creek bridge, short distance from town, on a certain date. The letter stated that, unless the money was forthcoming, certain properties owned by the banker would be burned. Th letter was compared with differnt hand writings.

#### St. Louis Street Car Consolidation. Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 24.-The

supreme court en banc today sustained a motion to squash the alternative writ of ouster in the St. Louis Consolidated Street Railroad case, instituted by the attorney-general, on the ground of illegal combination in violation of the anti-trust laws. This disposes of | 000. the case, and makes the recently enacted law, allowing the consolidation of street car companies, legal.

# a Greek, the complainant in an assault Venezuela Trying to Squeeze an opera house was tonight destroyed by Met Death Surrounded By Her Interesting Events and Gossip of the Past Week Reported From Cities and Towns in Washington, Oregon

and Idaho.

#### OREGON.

The Dalles has levied a 6-mill tax. Burns has received a chemical fire association.

The Southern Pacific is storing ice at Ashland

The Dalles will purchase 500 feet of

up \$50,000. Machinery for the new laundry at

Eugene has arrived. The Grant county tax levy as been fixed at 251/4 mills.

Coyotes are numerous in Coles val-

ey, Douglas county. The Douglas county tax levy has been fixed at 20 mills.

levied a special tax of 8 mills. Several herds near Montgomery have been visited by coyotes of late.

It is reported the Dallas organ fac-

The Pendleton school district has

tory may be moved to Albany. The approach to the Upper Calapooia bridge was carried away by the flood. Baker City has rescinded street lighting contract, and is in darkness. The walls of the first story of Mal- \$1,000, with \$650 insurance.

heur county's new court house are fin-Collision of a train and handcar near Woodburn, Or., was narrowly

syndicate. The coal shaft being sunk by W. A.

Maxwell of Coos City, is now down the boundaries of a small strip of land, about 300 feet. merville are taking shape. It will between Mason and Pierce counties, cost about \$4,000.

Athena has invesetd \$1,500 in school warrants. The city, besides, has a balance on hand of \$1,100.

to George McCoulou for \$335. The old Coos Bay road is said to be in better condition than for several years at this time of the year.

of Vale, Or., accientally killed him- the ladder. self while examining a revolver. I. J. Straw, of Klamath county, rode

week, and had to dig his horse out. Contract for building the Wheeler F. Peterson, of Corvallis, for \$9,025.

off a bridge into a snow bank last

Sixty-five thoroughbred sheep belonging to O. F. Knox were drowned near Cottage Grove by the recent freshet. Howard & Stearns are feeding 500

cattle on Crooked river and about 600 head at Silver Lake, in Lake county. A petition is in circulation asking that the public road from Cottage Grove to Lorane be widened to 60 feet

J. W. Walters & Son, proprietors of

the Elmira mills, have floated their logs into the Long Tom from the Noti Several car loads of Weston bricks

An acetyline gas plant belonging to J. P. Williams, of Long Creek, ex- county, has been moved two miles ploded last week, and slightly injured

Mr. Williams. A petition is being circulated asking an appropriation of \$1,000 to repair and improve the state buildings and or not they want the city bonded for property at Sodaville.

A herd of 110 sheep was shipped from Huntington to Salt Lake City by the Baldwin Sheep & Land Company, of Crook county.

Willamina, has leased a large tract of land on Salmon river, which he intends to stock with cattle. The sale of land belonging to the

It is reported that Ed Lambson, of

which escheated to the state of Ore-A meeting was held at McMinnville in the interest of the woodcutters of Wolf, of West Point, this county, was the county. Every precinct was well tions adopted by several G. A. R. post represented. They advanced the price protesting against the proposed plan o of cutting oak wood from 75 cents to

> The farmers and stockmen of Malheur county feel confident that the coming claims adjoining in the Coeur d'Alene season will be a prosperous one for district. It is understood that work them. While the winter thus far has will commence immediately. been an open one compared with those generally experienced here, the indications are that there will be plenty of water for irrigation during the coming summer, and that the feed on the range will be good.

90 cents a cord, and fir from 70 to 90

The new \$16,000 school house at

The railroad agent at Hamilton, Harry Becardsley, was robbed of \$200. A school house will be built at Dayton to cost between \$20,000 and \$30,

Ed Sievers, of Iowa, is considering

#### WASHINGTON

Tacoma butchers have formed an

A petition is being circulated to

have the postoffice name of Guy changed to Albion. The Simpson Lumber Company, of

The Oregon legislature deficit fcots South Bend, has accepted plans for a pony band saw mill. Fire partially destroyed the ship chandlery store of J. C. Todd & Co.,

on the water front, Tacoma. Loss \$4,000, fully covered by insurance. Mr. H. P. Harrington, a prominent citizen of Rosalia, died of pneumonia. His remains were taken to the home

of his parents in Monroe, Mich., for During the recent snow 30 tons of ore was bauled from the Cedar Canyon district to Davenport for shipment.

Had the sleighing continued good, still more would have been brought out. Larkins' hotel at Garfield, leased by J. W. Keown, was entirely destroyed by fire, together with most of the contents. Loss on the building, \$1,500; insurance, \$650; loss on contents,

While fording Toppenish creek, near North Yakima, Will Carrat was nearly drowned. He was on horseback and the swift current of the stream carried horse and rider several yards, when Famous Uncle Ben group of mines they lodged in some wislows, from in Idaho has been sold to a New York which, with difficulty both succeeded in landing safely on shore.

Owing to technical error in writing

amounting to nearly three sections, Plans for the new creamery at Sum- lying on the east side of North Bay, is left out of the jurisdiction of both counties. An attempt will be made to have the neutral strip incorporated Lincoln county has awarded the Oscar Bates, ex-sheriff of Stevens contract for building the depot bridge county, received fatal injuries at the

Drummer's mine, near Curliew. He

level, and started to climb the ladder.

but missed his footing on the second

Henry Zutz, Jr., a 17-year-old boy, shots exploded before he could regain Hopkins D. Jones, until recently a hotel porter at Wilbur, Wash., who was arrested at Spokane on a charge of horse stealing, has been released. Word came from Wilbur that the man county court house has been let to A. Chance, whose horse and saddle Jones had appropriated, would not prosecute Jones. The Wilbur man said he owed

Jones money, and that he would be

satisfied to have him keep the horse

## IDAHO.

and saddle to settle the bill.

A free ferry at Weiser is proposed. Caldwell merchants have made an

John Hunt was arrested at Orofino, A public meeting was held at Lewishave been shipped to Mission station.

They will be used for government Perces county.

> southeast, without change of post-At Weiser's regular city election in April, the citizens will vote whether

The postoffice of Leduc, Blaine

\$60,000. It is announced that shipments of crude ore and concentrates from the Coeur d'Alene last year aggregated

There were several snow slides in Bear gulch last week, but no damage is reported except that the Orofino blacksmith shop was swept away.

Several carloads of steel rails have

been unloaded in the Weiser yards. gon recently, has been confirmed ba They are to be used in extending the Judge Eakin, of the circuit court.

They are to be used in extending the Pacific & Idaho Northern next sum-

> moving the soldiers' home from Bois H. M. Merrin, of Spokane, has taken

> stealing eight head of cattle out of a pasture near Moscow, has been arrested. Granger has a number of aliases,

> but it is said his true name is Larkins. Plans are being perfected whereby 300 feet more tunnel will be driven in the claims of the Silver Eagle Mining Co. There is also talk of building a cog-wheel road from the Silver Eagle

A Mountain Home drug store was broken into and an attempt made to rob the place. The proprietor, who has sleeping apartments in the rear, was awakened by the noise of the robproposition to buy a shingle mill at bers. Upon his appearance they ran,

to the summit.