

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

If Henry Theodor Lohmann, last heard of in Park City, will please call on Peter Hansen, Danish Consul, 68 East First South, he will learn something to his advantage.

John Horton, a lad skating on Farr's pond, Ogden, met with a serious accident while skating backwards. He ran into a pike pole which entered his body just below the small of the back, making an ugly gash. He lost considerable blood, but is progressing favorably toward recovery.

Detective Sheets returned from Ogden Monday afternoon having in custody an alleged forger, who is docketed as John H. Walker and who is said to have at least half a dozen different aliases. Walker was arrested in the Junction City at the instance of the Salt Lake officers and detained there for them.

The judgment on the writs of mandate against the Utah Commission has been entered up in the Third district court. The cases in which the entries are made, with costs against the Commission, are those of W. H. Gibbs, \$17.20; J. D. Page, \$67.25; Peter Lowe, \$17.20; J. L. Jolley, \$18.70; C. P. Larsen, \$18.70. Total costs in the mandate cases, \$189.05.

H. G. Whitney returned from Brigham City Jan. 16, where he has been on business relating to insurance on the co-operative store there. Mr. Trainer, a western insurance adjuster, and Mr. Cohn, of this city, with Mr. Fred Simon as umpire, have been at work on the adjustment for twenty days. The settlement arrived at is \$13,800, that being the amount required to cover the loss.

G. F. Beckstead, of the firm of Beckstead & Blake, of Riverton, this county, has a shipment of 1,000 fine mutton wethers on the way to the Chicago market. They left here on Wednesday last and will be delivered at the great stockyards within the next few days. The same firm will follow this shipment up with another one thousand head of the same kind of sheep in the near future.

Elder Daniel S. Robbins was a caller at the News office Thursday having recently returned from a mission to the Northwestern States. Elder Robbins is a resident of Rigby, Banrock Stake, Idaho, and left home for Indiana, where he spent the whole of his mission, June 16th, 1894. His early return was caused by a severe and protracted attack of rheumatism. He will leave for his home in Idaho on Sunday evening next.

At Friday afternoon's session of the Territorial Supreme Court, Attorney M. A. Breeden, of Ogden, speaking on behalf of the bar of the Fourth judicial district, made feeling reference to the recent death of Judge Orville R. Leonard, submitted a copy of the resolutions in regard thereto passed by the Ogden bar and asked that the same be spread upon the minutes of the court. Their honors so ordered and an engrossed copy of these, including an expression of sympathy and condol-

ence, will be forwarded to the widow of the deceased.

An important and anxiously awaited opinion was rendered by Chief Justice Merritt Saturday. It was in the case of Robert C. Chambers, the well known mining man, vs Susie B. Emery, administratrix of the estate of A. B. Emery, deceased, tried before his honor some weeks ago. The decision was a lengthy review of the case, in which Mr. Chambers sought to secure certain property on which he alleged money was advanced to purchase an interest therein. The finding was in favor of Mrs. Emery.

Mrs. Love, of Salt Lake City, who was divorced from her husband a short time since, and gave her two children to a lady from Nevada, returned and passed through Ogden yesterday with her children. The mother said that she found it impossible to live without them and exhibited much fortitude, patience and endurance in her efforts to recover them. She had to travel 125 miles through the state of Nebraska to find the woodchopper's wife, to whom she had confided the care of her children; the mother seemed happy in the possession of her treasures.

A St. George correspondent to the Iron county Record states that the Enterprise Reservoir and Canal company has held its annual meeting for the election of officers. This company is engaged in constructing a mammoth reservoir in Little Pine Valley, in the western part of Iron county. This valley drains all the waters of the range of mountains known as the Bull Valley mountains, and will be conducted by means of a canal to the desert at the mouth of Shoal Creek canyon; here lies an abundance of land of the very best quality, which is to be brought under cultivation. The reservoir is about half completed, and work will be resumed the coming spring.

W. H. Robinson, administrator, has commenced suit in the First district court against the Union Pacific for \$50,000 damages for injuries sustained by W. H. Robinson Jr., being run over by the Union Pacific Railway company's cars at American Fork on October 12th, from which he died October 18th.

Order has been made for Sheriff Semmerville, of Grand county, to appear before the court on February 2nd and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt in failing to enforce an order of the court directing W. E. Davis, convicted of involuntary manslaughter, to be imprisoned in the Grand county jail. Davis has been allowed to have his liberty by the sheriff and his predecessor, ex-Sheriff Darrow.

The Alberta Land & Colonization company, with a capital stock of \$1,400,000, divided into 14,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each, has filed its articles of incorporation, the object being to buy, sell and cultivate land in the northwest territories of Canada, where the company has acquired 593,480 acres, which it declares as produc-

tive as any on earth. The incorporators are James A. Cunningham, 5,500 shares, of the par value of \$550,000; Charles Ora Card, with 2,450, valued at \$245,000; Alonzo E. Hyde, with 1,600, valued at \$160,000; William J. Schofield, with 875, valued at \$87,500; W. S. McCormick, O. J. Salisbury and John W. Taylor, each 25 shares. James A. Cunningham is president; Charles Ora Card, vice president; Alonzo E. Hyde, secretary, and William S. McCormick, treasurer. These, with Messrs. Salisbury, Schofield and Taylor, constitute the board of directors.

Tuesday afternoon, as John F. Anderson, of Lake View, was driving his stock to water, a neighbor, M. P. Nielson, came up behind him and applied a vile epithet to Anderson, after which he struck him on the head with a sharp instrument, inflicting a large wound over the right eye and causing Anderson to fall to the ground unconscious.

Nielson is a young man and his victim is old and feeble and slightly deaf. He is said to be a peaceable and industrious man. There has been some disagreement between the two for some time past, and they had been quarrelling the day before the assault.

Nielson was arrested and taken before Justice Maag on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon. He gave bonds to appear for hearing today. It is not believed that Anderson will be able to be present at the examination.

Shortly before 10 o'clock Thursday a Chinaman stalked into the undertaking parlors of O'Donnell & Company saying that he wanted to buy a coffin, announcing at the same time that one of his countrymen had killed himself by cutting his throat with a razor.

The police heard of the matter and Patrolman Gillespie was detailed to make an investigation. The suicide was known under the names of Wau Chee and Ah Kee. It seems that of late he has been in a solemn and despairing mood and that on Tuesday night last he drew a razor across his throat and attempted suicide. The Chinese doctor was summoned, but, it is said, refused to give the proper attention unless assured that a fee of \$50 was forthcoming. The suicide did not have the money and he laid in his squalid quarters until Thursday night when he died.

At 3:20 a. m. Sunday, John W. Turner died at his home in Provo City, after an illness lasting for about two months.

Mr. Turner was an old settler at Provo and was well and favorably known and highly respected throughout Utah. He was sheriff of Utah county for fifteen years and acquired fame as a most efficient officer. The deceased was beloved by everybody who knew him. During his last sickness he had been tenderly cared for at the home of his only living son, Charles. Everything was done that human skill and kindness could suggest, but he gradually sank, and for several days the family had been prepared for the worst. He leaves a wife and six children. He was preceded to the spirit world by five sons and daughters. He was a kind and loving husband and indulgent father. The deceased was a member of the Church