NEWS OF THE WEST.

Shocking Death of the Manager in an Idaho Saw Mill.

A PATHETIC DOMESTIC STORY.

Escape of Prisoners from the Nevada Penitentiary.—Adventure With a Rattlesnake, Etc.

Ranchmen report the grass on the ranges drying up and predict a shortage of feed on the range for this winter, says the Laramie *Boomerang*. The hay crop will not be very large on account of the late spring and cool nights. Some are thinking of disposing of their calves in order to allow the ewes to gain strength.

William Fredericks, the murderer of Sheriff Pascoe in California is still at liberty, but the officers are confident of eventually capturing him. A dispatch has been received in which it said it was believed that the outlaw crossed the Feather river bridge and was traveling toward Butter county. A strong posse has gone to pursuit, and it is expected that the murderer will soon be overtaken.

While fishing near the head of Neto creek, Lemuel Foote severely fractured his knee cap when in the act of jumping across the creek from one rock to another. He was some distance from camp but finally succeeded in catching his horse and rode down to town, arriving home in the evening. He suffered severely from the injury but it is hoped that he will soon recover.—*Nyle Courier.*

V. Henry Merrill of Wardner, Idaho, under arrest for the murder of James Ellison, June 13, and out on $1000 bail, commit suicide on Saturday. He purchased a handsome, costly coffin, and taking it out in the forest near his home he deliberately laid down in it and blew out his brains. Here he was found some hours later by his wife, who swooned upon witnessing the awful sight. Merrill was working, but of an eccentric turn of mind.

The residence of Tom Magee, the leading merchant at Heggs, on Snake river, sixty miles south of Hawkins, Wyo., has been entirely destroyed by fire. Nothing was saved except an organ, feather bed and trunk, all the furniture, clothing, etc., being burned, together with $250 in currency and checks. Mrs. Magee was seriously burned about the head and face in her effort to save some of her personal effects and the money. Her physician hopes to save her eyes. Total loss about $1500.

While nine prisoners were grubbing sagebrush near the Nevada penitentiary the other afternoon two of them escaped by crawling until out of sight and then running. The prisoners were some distance apart, and the tall sagebrush and dense country facilitated their escape. When their absence was discovered horses were produced and the convicts were tracked up the Carson river and were cornered and brought back to prison. One was in for nine years for horse stealing and the other two years on housebreaking.

Russel Swain, a young man who for the past ten days has been stopping at the Commercial hotel, Denver, Colo., has been placed under bond bonds on a charge of obtaining board under false pretenses. Swain represented that he was assessor for a San Francisco tea company and was expecting a remittance from his firm. To secure the hotel proprietor he deposited an envelope purporting to contain a draft for $500. The landlord became uneasy after a few days and opened the envelope and found that it contained only a blank draft and that his security amounted to nothing.

News has been received from a settlement near the Dalles, Oregon, called "Ten Mile," of the killing of R. W. Wilhelm by his twenty-two-year-old son William. Wilhelm, who has not been living with his family for some time, returned home and began to quarrel with his wife. Becoming violent, Wilhelm seized an ax to shoot his wife. William, the son, seeing his mother in danger, struck his father over the head with a club, killing him instantly. Then the boy gave himself up to the sheriff. The dead man had a violent temper, and it is stated he had frequent trouble with his wife and son.

A camping-out party of boys who have been wounding a week's outing up the Sun river, returned to this city yesterday, says the Great Falls Leader, and gave an account of their adventure with a rattlesnake, which shows that although they were only lads, they were not lacking in courage, presence of mind and knowledge. The party consisted of Ed Foster, Carroll Pinkel, Reed Bywater, a son of Superintendent Burrill of Sand Coulee and a boy named McIlain, a nephew of H. G. Rhoades, and their ages ranged between 8 and 15 years. They began out for a week's fishing and camping trip during the vacation and had a good time as boys will. One evening when playing near their camp, Burrill picked up what he thought was a piece of rope lying in the grass, but which proved to be a rattlesnake. Before the lad discovered his mistake the venomous reptile bit him on the finger. Under these alarming circumstances the boys held a council and quickly decided on the proper thing to do. A string was tied tightly around the bitten finger each above and below the spot where the fangs of the snake had entered, and the McIlain boy volunteered to suck the poison out of the wound. This he did so thoroughly and effectually that no serious effects have since been experienced from the bite.

A most distressing and fatal accident has occurred at the Nonpareil saw mill, Idaho, by which Brig Skinner, the manager of the mill, lost his life. It was about ten minutes after six in the afternoon when Albert Beutler, one of the owners of the mill, went to Brig, having just returned from the head of the flume, where he had been turning more water into the mill. He asked Brig if he thought he had still could water and he replied yes, but that the bell was too loud. Brig was singing the bell at the time. Something that Beutler had never noticed Skinner doing before, and which he had cautioned Beutler against, was that he was sitting the bell sig just the pulley in deed of at a point where the belt broke it. Skinner had no sooner made reply to Beutler than the belt caught Brig in its deadly embrace and whirled him on the pulley and then dashed him down. His right arm was caught and broken, while both eyes were cut on the side of the pulley and considerably gouged out of his head. His right eye was completely covered with his scalp, but the left eye was partly open and through it he seemed to look, although he was perfectly unconscious. Water was at once thrown on him, and he commenced to breathe, and it was hoped that he would recover, but the crack of his head was completely shattered and such a thing as getting better was impossible. He was carried into the house and surgical assistance immediately from Shoshone. But the unfortunate man never needed it. He lingered until twenty minutes past 8 o'clock the same night and then died.

Mother love is depicted strongly and in a manner more than sad, since coupled with the sudden and unexpected death of a woman in Baile Lake Wednesday night, says the Tucson Citizen. That evening a little boy, pretty, with fair skin and yellow hair, called at a house and wanted to sell a plate. Without stopping to think the woman refused. Shortly after she became worried and started for the home of the youngster, fear thinking that people who sold plates must be in need. Just as she got to the house there was an injury among the children, the boy of the plates and turns more of fair skin and yellow hair. The mother had just dropped coal. She had been sitting in front of the little house, resting after a hard day's work, and, hearing with the cry "I am injured!" fell forward dead. The children, when she was picked up, showed a big cruel gash from the fall, but no blood had followed. She was dead when she struck the ground. Blown little people, those children with flaxen hair. The little coast were not about something the boy, a little fellow of nearly a half years, for the loss of a good mother. When he had been quieted somewhat they began crying again themselves. The children, the sisters were neatly attired, and their conduct, though much noted, was mannered and perfectly clean. From the little note it is now learned that, as the catcher has suspected from the pale sickness, they were indeed to cook. The mother had been washing and ironing clothes day, and with noble thing to eat. The relatives had been given to the children. Poor little mother! Death has released her from a very hard life. The woman was half Mexican, her father being French. She came from Nogales. Her husband, an American, was a teacher in the Nogales school. He died not long ago. The compassionate people of Nogales made up a purse of $100 for the bereaved woman. With this and needlework and washing for others she has since struggled heavily for her family.

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DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT.

DELINQUENT NOTICE. THE NORTH Point Consolidated Irrigation Company. Location of principal place of business Salt Lake City, Utah, Weber, Davis and Box Elder counties. Notice. There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 6th day of June, 1893, the several amounts as opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

	Shares	Amount
E. R. Dunn	5	$ 12 50
Reuben S. Thomas	20	50 00
Jas. Thomson	4	5 00
John Thomson	12	17 50
Orlando Thomson	12	15 00
Geo. Dunbar Est.	25	25 00
C. H. Dunbar	34	50 00
John W. Wall, Jr.	8	8 00
Emma Wall	5	5 00
Jas. D. Hammond, trustee	20	10 00
Jos. Ball	20	20 00
Lulu P. Dunbar	10	10 00
Annie M. Dunbar	12	12 00
C. C. Dunbar	5	5 00
Wm. J. Abel	41	41 00
Jas. Ball	20	20 00

And in accordance with law and the order of the Board of Directors made on the 10th day of June, 1893, so much thereof of the stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, situated at Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 8th day of August, 1893, at 11 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessment together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

J. E. SOUTHWORTH,
Secretary.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, July 10, 1893.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Hannah M. Armstrong, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned administrator of the estate of Hannah M. Armstrong, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at Salt Lake City, in Salt Lake county, Utah Territory.

ALLEN CHASE,
Administrator of the estate of Hannah M. Armstrong, deceased.

Dated July 10, 1893.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Eliza Jane Thompson Farrell, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Sam E. Spencer, executor of the last will and testament of Eliza Jane Thompson Farrell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the office of Messrs. Spencer & Van Cott, Salt Lake City, Utah Territory.

SAM E. SPENCER,
Executor of the last will and testament of Eliza Jane Thompson Farrell, deceased.

Dated July 8, 1893.

JOHN M. CANNON, Attorney for executors.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a special meeting of the new Jordan of Salt Lake Boat Tunnel Company, at the office of the company, Salt Lake City, Utah, on Saturday, August 5, 1893, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of authorizing the issuance of second mortgage bonds upon the company's property.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. T. KIRKBRIDE, President.
G. S. JACK, Secretary.

Salt Lake City, Utah, July 5th, 1893.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT [illegible] Salt Lake Valley [illegible] Utah, and Thos. Kearns, trustee, [illegible] the 8th day of August, A. D., 1893, [illegible] the following described property, situate in Salt Lake City, Utah, to wit: [illegible]

Warrant to satisfy the payment of indebtedness [illegible] Jones and Jones, F. Jones, [illegible] Bank of Utah, Wright Bros. [illegible] Thomas Kearns, Trustee, of Salt Lake City, Utah, [illegible] Wednesday, August 2, 1893, [illegible] Utah, [illegible] Thomas Kearns, Trustee, [illegible] Utah, [illegible] Salt Lake City, Utah, [illegible] Jones and Jones, [illegible] Bank of Utah, [illegible] Salt Lake City, Utah, [illegible] Wright Bros.