

TRIED TO TAKE HIS LIFE.

One of Sheriff McQuinn's Boarders Creates a Stir.

A prisoner in the county jail named Jerry Lawson, about 35 years of age, and a native of San Francisco, this morning attempted to commit suicide by cutting one of the small veins in his right arm, near the elbow, with a broken medicine bottle. Lawson has been confined in the jail some two months awaiting the action of the grand jury on a charge of larceny, burglary and burglary. He was another man named Brooks had run on west Second Street and the prisoner was then discovered by the act of 'smelling up' jewelry alleged to be the property of one of his neighbors. He has long been a chronic opium and morphine addict, and is still addicted to the use of these drugs, though since he has been under the care of Sheriff McQuinn he has used his utmost to break off the habit. He was taken to the hospital for treatment and a large amount has been expended.

It was about ten o'clock today when the jailer discovered what Lawson had done, the prisoner having obtained the bottle from the cell of next door neighbor, when he was in the jail. Lawson was about six feet in height, five feet in height, and weighed about 150 pounds. He was taken to the hospital for treatment and a large amount has been expended.

THE BICYCLE RACER.

First Session of the Meeting this Afternoon—Track and Large Attendance.

The first day's race of the most interesting meeting of wheelmen ever held in Utah, commenced at National Park, at the corner of State and Third streets, this afternoon and went being run, as the News went to press. The weather was ideal, the track good, the crowd large and enthusiastic and interest at the highest pitch. The results will not be obtained in time for publication in today's issue. At 4 o'clock the following came to hand: Second, of Calder's Park race, says to have the five-mile professional record, time, 14.25. Walker's (of Utah) record for amateur, five miles, 15.47. Wheelman's record, five miles, 15.47. A mile novice race, slight win and a fall. First time, Wayne Smith 2:00. C. R. Moore 2:05. Second heat, Wayne 2:00, E. G. Wagner 2:12.

IT MADE HIM VERY HAPPY.

A Case in Which a Surveyor, a Pig Dog and a Woman Figure.

Officer Eyles, who writes the rough pavement of Franklin avenue one after day and keeps close watch of the movements of the dealers of that disreputable thoroughfare, this morning arrested a young fellow who gave the name of Parley Beck and his occupation as that of a surveyor. The charge was assault and battery on a female of the neighborhood. The man got up on all fours and secured his release.

A little later upon he straddled into the police station evidently considerably under the influence of liquor. The woman in the case accompanying him and bench for dark will be brought to a still darker shade about one of her eyes and a small bridge of her nose while a scratch several inches in length extended over the right cheek. As the face of the couple was a little pug nose with which they appeared to be on the most affectionate terms.

"Hey," said the surveyor to Billy McCarty, the chief of ward, "I want you to dismiss this case against me. The woman says she won't prosecute me. That's all, isn't it?" "Yes, that's what it is," responded the woman of broken, weary features and fervent spirit.

EXCURSION FOR CHARITY.

The Relief Society Owing at Salt Lake Should be Well Attended on Friday.

Final arrangements for the big charity excursion at Salt Lake on Friday, under the auspices of the General Relief Society, have been made and the sale of tickets is the work to which the committee in charge are now principally giving their attention.

FULL OF COMPLICATIONS.

A Receiver Wanted in a Case in Which Cattle Mandy Figures.

The State Bank of Utah and the Bank of Commerce filed a complicated suit, in which a considerable amount of money is involved, in the Third circuit court here yesterday afternoon, the defendants being named as follows: Patrick Ryan, the Ryan and Hertz cattle company, Deane Ryan, John W. Taylor, John T. Ryan, the First National Bank of Deadwood, B. D. Deane National Bank, O. J. Hafferty, Deane & Hafferty Bank, J. G. Kimball, E. H. Kimball and J. C. Deane. It is alleged in the complaint, which is quite lengthy, that on the 11th of the present month John W. Taylor was identified in the State Bank of Utah in the sum of \$12,500, to O. J. Hafferty \$12,500, to the First National Bank of Deadwood \$12,500, to the Deane National Bank \$12,500, and to the Deane & Hafferty Bank \$12,500. The complaint also alleges that Taylor was identified in the First National Bank of Deadwood in the sum of \$12,500, to the Deane National Bank \$12,500, and to the Deane & Hafferty Bank \$12,500. The complaint also alleges that Taylor was identified in the Deane National Bank in the sum of \$12,500, to the Deane & Hafferty Bank \$12,500, and to the Deane National Bank \$12,500.

A SERIES OF BURGLARIES.

Robbers Nabbed Where Families Are Absent From the City.

Robbers of families who have gone into the mountains, or on excursions, annual outings, etc., have become veritable sitting ducks for the lawless housebreakers who are getting much more numerous in this part of the time of western tramp emigration. The lawless housebreakers who have gone into the mountains, or on excursions, annual outings, etc., have become veritable sitting ducks for the lawless housebreakers who are getting much more numerous in this part of the time of western tramp emigration.

Before Judge Merrill Today.

In the case of E. H. Wainman vs. J. E. Williams et al. Motion to set aside default set for hearing on Wednesday, Aug. 21st.

Didn't Steal the Pig Pappy.

Scott Bruce, son of Mr. Nye in detention, was before Justice Smith yesterday afternoon accused of stealing a pig. The property of a Mrs. J. P. White, Bruce, announced that he wished it known down to the end of the line that he was not a pig stealer, a dog thief or anything of that kind, and would not have a word of a pig stealer left to be said, but the part that remained shall speak for itself. The case will be set for trial tomorrow.

Spent Today at Garfield.

The members of the Twenty-first ward spent today at Garfield. A large number of boats were sold by the committee through to make the excursion a success. Tomorrow the Christian Endeavor society of the High School will be in session.

Foresters at Salt Lake Today.

The Ancient Order of Foresters of America from all parts of the compass in this Territory gathered at Salt Lake today in a general conference of the order. Among some of the attractive program features was a clever exhibition of many games by Professor Vanagor's well trained pupils.

General Hampton Coming.

General Wade Hampton, government commissioner of railways, is expected to arrive in Salt Lake within the next day or two. The general is on a tour of railway inspection throughout the West.

To Quit Tule.

A suit to quiet title was lodged in the Third circuit court this afternoon by Mrs. E. Brown, wife of John H. Brown, of the town of Tule, and R. E. Miller.

OBITUARY NOTES.

A message came this afternoon that T. J. Quinn, the well known and highly respected head of the C. M. I. road agency department in this city, died at 1:30 today. The deceased has been ill several weeks, having been afflicted with the disease of cancer of the stomach. He was a native of Ohio, and was a member of the Grand Lodge of the Masons. He was a member of the Grand Lodge of the Masons.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Grand Hall—The Theater. The Grand Hall Theater, located in the old building at the corner of Third and Main streets, has a big jump in the receipts over any time of the season. The receipts were \$1,000 last night, and the receipts were \$1,000 last night, and the receipts were \$1,000 last night.

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