

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Upon a remittitur from the Supreme court Judge Hiles has sentenced Frank McDonald to serve four months in the State prison for the shooting of Emil Sackerson.

The B. Y. Academy of Provo has added another feature to its already excellent facilities as an educational institution. A collegiate department has been added to the academy, which now has 900 pupils and thirty-two teachers.

Thursday evening the pole line of the Pioneer Electric company of Ogden was completed to the city limits, near Beck's hot springs. This is a matter of considerable interest to the people of this city, and the company deserves to be congratulated on its push and enterprise.

Suit was filed in the Third district court by Niels P. Anderson to collect damages in the sum of \$10,000 from each of the Rapid Transit company and the Great Salt Lake and Hot Springs Railway company. The suit is brought on account of the killing of William Anderson, the nine-year-old son of the plaintiff, on Third West and Fifth North streets on October 1 last.

Thirty-two of the indictments found by the late grand jury against J. H. Bacon, Harry W. Bacon, W. B. Holland and Frank Holland in connection with the Bank of Salt Lake failure have been quashed by Judge Hiles on the ground that Eli L. Price, one of the grand jurors, was ineligible. The ineligibility of Price was claimed in that he had expressed bias in his examination previous to the sitting of the jury in those cases.

Susanna Feltman began an action in the Third district court against the Germania land works to recover damages in the sum of \$590. The complaint alleges that in operating its smelter the defendant company has diverted the waters of a certain creek in such a manner as to flood the plaintiff's land, by reason of which the damage complained of has been sustained. George W. Wenger and Richard B. Shepard are attorneys for the plaintiff.

At 6 o'clock Wednesday evening the jury in the coal combine case on trial in the Federal court returned a verdict as follows:

"We, the jury, find the defendants, E. L. Carpenter, F. H. Moore, Daniel Wolstenholme, V. V. Morris, Frank Halm, Simon Bamberger, L. O. Miller, W. J. Wolstenholme, C. S. Martin, T. R. Ellerbeck, D. J. Sharp, H. P. Mason and W. J. Montgomery, guilty in the manner and form as in this indictment they stand charged, and recommend them to the mercy of the court. H. G. PARK, [Foreman.]"

John Goldthait was found dead in bed at his rooms on the corner of Tenth East and Sixth South streets last week. Physicians were summoned and death was found to have resulted from apoplexy, from an attack of which the deceased had suffered once before.

The deceased was an old soldier,

being a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, and over 80 years old. He was well known here, was a favorite among his fellow veterans, and held the respect of all his acquaintances. The remains were given in charge of Undertaker S. D. Evans, who had telegraphed to a relative of the deceased, Daniel Woods of Visalia, California, and is now awaiting instructions as to the disposition of the body.

As Mr. R. V. Decker, an usher at the Theater, was wending his way from his home at 274 A street, to the La Loie Fuller performance shortly after 7 p. m. Thursday, he was held up at a point opposite Rowland hall, between First and Second streets on A street.

Mr. Decker was leisurely sauntering along down the hill when two men suddenly jumped from behind a tree, and after ordering him to throw up his hands, one went through his pockets, while the other did the usual intimidating act with a gun. They got nothing, however, although Decker had in his possession at the time a watch and 40 cents, but they were secreted in pockets which the hold-ups did not ransack.

The victim in reporting his experience at the police station shortly after, described the men as being of medium height, which gives rise to the belief that they are the same parties who have been operating here for several nights past.

The Bishopric of the Forest Dale ward and the presidency of the M. I. A. for Salt Lake Stake met Wednesday in the old Farm House at Forest Dale and effected the organization of a Young Men's and Young Ladies Mutual Improvement Association. Elders Joseph H. Felt and Mrs. Freeze addressed those assembled on the importance of mutual improvement work, and the Bishopric with Brother Felt and Brother H. C. Iverson set apart the following officers.

Robert Ure, President Y. M. M. I. A. with Arthur J. Castleton and Edwin Wright as his Counselors.

Mrs. Zina D. Cannon, President Y. L. M. I. A., with Sarah Summerhays and Josephine Jensen as her Counselors.

The newly installed officers spoke briefly on the M. I. Association work and expressed their willingness to perform, with the assistance of the Lord, the duties required of them. The other officers of the two associations will be announced at the next meeting which will be held next Tuesday evening at the meeting house.

A special to the Tribune from Telluride, Colorado, under date of Nov. 16, says: T. A. Davis of Salt Lake died Sunday, November 15th, of double pneumonia, after an illness of only four days, at the residence of his brother, E. L. Davis. Mrs. Davis was telegraphed for, but arrived Sunday evening too late to see her husband alive.

The deceased was born in West Milton, O., in 1841. In 1859 he came to Colorado and spent four years mining

around Black Hawk and Central City. He then returned to his old home in Ohio, and soon after moved to Kokomo, Ind. On the 19th of February, 1867, he wedded Miss Elizabeth B. Stringer of Alto, Ind., who survives him. Mr. Davis emigrated to Rico during the year 1880, where he remained a year and returned to Kokomo. In 1883 Mr. and Mrs. Davis came to Telluride and resided here until 1889, when they went to Salt Lake to take up their permanent residence. He came to Telluride last, the 26th of July, and since has been looking after his mining and real estate interests.

The remains will be taken to Kokomo, Ind., Wednesday morning for burial.

A wreck occurred on the Rio Grande Western in the canyon near Shale Monday evening at 5:30 by which an engine and mail car were demolished on passenger train No. 2 which left this city for the east at 7:50 yesterday morning.

The wreck was the result of a huge rock rolling from the mountain side on to the track in a deep cut. The rock was struck with terrific force, the engine and mail car being thrown from the rails in a demolished condition.

The engineer and fireman were somewhat painfully though not seriously hurt and were taken to Grand Junction for treatment and care. Fortunately not a single passenger was injured in the slightest degree. All were transferred to another train and sent on their way without great loss of time.

Two wrecking crews were dispatched to the scene of the accident and by 12:30 this afternoon all the debris had been removed and the track cleared. The westbound train due in Salt Lake at noon today will arrive at 11:35 this evening.

In accordance with previous arrangements Elders George Goddard and George Reynolds arrived at Iosepa on the evening of November 7th for the purpose of attending the Sunday school on the following day. Assistant Superintendent George Goddard was enveloped in a polar bear skin coat and it was thought by the children that Santa Claus had arrived out of season and was making his rounds before Christmas. Elder Goddard lost his plush cap en route and the finder will confer a great favor by mailing it post paid to him, Salt Lake City, or by leaving it with Brother Cluff at Iosepa.

Sabbath morning the Iosepa school house was filled to its utmost capacity with the Sunday school members, consisting of men, women and children—every member of the colony belongs to the school.

A program arranged for the occasion was carried out, interpreted by speeches and singing by Elders Goddard, Reynolds and Cluff, Elder Goddard, of course, doing the singing and making the chief amusement, which was equally as entertaining to the Hawaiian Sunday school as to an English speaking people. In the evening the Hawaiian Glee club gathered at the residence of Elder H. H. Cluff and discoursed music, both vocal and instrumental.

Gov. Wells gave a reception to the