

woman was removed to St. Mark's hospital, while Heude was arrested and placed in the city jail.

Kittie Egan has occupied a place among the sporting fraternity of this city for the past five or six years. It is said, however, that lately she has been inclined to live a better life. The physicians express hopes of her recovery.

Heude is a stone mason by trade and came to this city from Colorado about five years ago. He has been very intimate with the Egan woman for some time past and expresses a dire regret at what has happened. He claims that it was an accident and that he never intended to shoot the woman, but drew his revolver to intimidate Freeman, when it was accidentally discharged. It is said by parties who knew him in Colorado, that his reputation as a peaceable, law-abiding man, is not of the best. Meanwhile he languishes in jail awaiting the outcome of the woman's injuries.

Mr. O. D. Green and son, formerly residents of Park City, stalked into the police court chamber Tuesday for the purpose of swearing to a complaint charging one, W. Wilson, aged about 70 years, with obtaining money under false pretenses.

The story as they related it in the presence of a NEWS reporter was to the effect that some time ago, while visiting Salt Lake, they became acquainted with the man Wilson. He represented to them that he was the owner of some valuable mining properties in Caribou, Idaho, and that on account of his old age, he was extremely desirous to have some one go into partnership with him, to look after the claims, and to whom he would bequeath all his earthly possessions when he was called to the other side.

Mr. Green and son had for a while prior to that time been out of work, and they thought Providence had a last guided them to a haven of future bliss and happiness. They made an agreement with Mr. Wilson to enter into an alliance with him in the care of his valuable mining properties, and immediately hid themselves to their home in Park City hearing the glad tidings of great joy and telling Mrs. Green to pack up as quickly as possible that they might take their departure for Salt Lake and thence north to Caribou. In the verbal agreement between Mr. Wilson and the Greens, the husband and son were to receive \$3 per day each for caring for the hidden treasures, while Mrs. Green and her daughter were to conduct the household affairs and each receive \$25 per month for these services.

The Greens arrived in this city on Sunday morning last and temporarily located themselves in a house on Eleventh South and Seventh East, there to make all preparations for their northward journey. Mr. Wilson, their benefactor, was invited to the house and remained with them over Sunday night. He had in his possession innumerable \$100 bank checks and gave every indication of being a wealthy man, as he represented himself to be.

On Monday morning he was desirous of having a deed drawn up, conveying one-third of his mining prop-

erty to Mr. Green, and as he had no ready money, and didn't care to cash a check for such a small amount, he borrowed three big iron dollars from Mr. Green with which to have the instrument prepared. He afterwards left the house, ostensibly for that purpose, but he has not yet returned. Mr. Green and son have scoured the city over in quest of the venerable Mr. Wilson, but to no avail. He not only took the three dollars with him, but also got away with ninety cents in change and a few articles of wearing apparel, such as socks, shirt, etc.

It was on this account that Mr. Green wanted to swear to the complaint, but as the act was committed outside the city limits, the municipality had no jurisdiction, and he was referred to the county attorney.

House joint resolution 3, by Mr. Condon:

"Whereas, it will be fifty years on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1897, since the Pioneers of this commonwealth came down into the valley of Great Salt Lake, which event opened a vast Intermountain region to the blessings of civilization and made it possible to here plant the homes of a thrifty, prosperous and patriotic people, and

"Whereas, the area thus included by these settlements redeemed not only Utah from desert wastes and savage Indians but, too, it reclaimed contiguous territories and sovereign states that have since developed a wealth of mineral resources and human intelligence not excelled within a like area on the globe, and

"Whereas, The State of Utah, whose capital city is the sacred spot where the tired feet of the pioneer rested when his perilous undertaking had come to a successful termination and the hardships through the wilderness should henceforth be only a memory, has been admitted to the American Union with all the rights of a sovereign State and the promise of a bright and prosperous career;

"Therefore be it resolved, That it is right and fitting that such fiftieth anniversary of Pioneer Day be observed at the capital of this State in an appropriate jubilee with which there shall be associated an Inter-mountain Semi-Centennial Exposition. It is further

"Resolved, That the better to carry this plan into effect, the Governor is hereby authorized to invite, and by and with the advice of the Senate, to appoint a committee consisting of twenty-four members, of which the Governor shall be one and the president thereof.

"This commission shall make arrangements for, control and conduct such exposition and celebration. The jubilee shall open on the 4th day of July, 1897, and continue 100 days thereafter, but Pioneer Day shall be the culmination of the event and especially devoted to Utah, her products and her people. The commission is empowered to raise funds to meet necessary expenses of the exposition by public subscription, fees of admittance or in any other way not from the State treasury. The members of such commission shall serve without pay;

"It is further resolved, That the Governor is authorized to invite, by proclamation or otherwise, the Inter-

mountain states and territories, the states along the route trod by the Pioneers, and such other states as he may deem advisable, to participate in said celebration and exposition, and also that the Governor may set apart, by proclamation, not more than three days to be observed as holidays during the period of such exposition, in addition to the legal holidays now designated; and it is

"Further resolved, That in order to inaugurate the aforesaid exposition and celebration, the sum of one hundred dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying expenses of postage, stationery and preliminary work of said Intermountain Semi-Centennial Exposition Commission."

## NOTES.

The Justice of the peace at Yucaipa Valley, San Bernardino county, Cal., has resigned, and the board of supervisors can find no one who will accept the vacant position.

A two-year-old child by the name of Laurence Ford, fell into an irrigating canal near Banger, Cal., Saturday afternoon and was drowned. The child wandered away from home and was found within half an hour, but life was extinct.

William Edwards, teamster, was killed on the 16th inst. on the Castle Creek road sixty miles north of Phoenix, Arizona. He was beneath the lead wagon coupling on the trail wagon, when the trailer rolled forward, his head being smashed between the two.

James Kelsey, of Tombstone, A. T., dropped dead at Ogilbie station, Cal., Friday. Kelsey, with his family, was on his way from Tombstone to Hedges mining camp, a few miles from Ogilbie, travelling in a wagon. At that place he attempted to lift a bale of hay into the wagon, when he fell to the ground and expired instantly.

Pocatello, Idaho, Tribune: Hewlett Bros., of Salt Lake City, have just purchased a site for a soda water plant in this place. It adjoins the railroad right of way on the east side, just opposite the freight house, and is a choice location for a manufactory of that kind. This rustling firm has already had plans made for the erection of a fine two-story brick plant, work on which will be commenced early in the spring. When Mr. Hewlett was in the East recently he ordered a lot of the latest improved machinery which will be placed in the new plant.

Boise, Idaho, Statesman: Attorney General A. C. Bishop, of Utah and M. Skeen, president of the American Falls Power and Canal company, the application of which for the withdrawal of 68,000 acres of land under the Carey act has been accepted by the Idaho board of land commissioners, are guests at the capital. The object of the gentlemen's visit to Boise was to confer with the state board with reference to the withdrawal of land under the act, with special reference to the contract which will be entered into by the state and the canal company. Attorney General Bishop also desired to familiarize himself with the method of conducting the business of the Idaho board.