some young men who were at work near the place heard the loud talking and began to gather around, but the Rockwell boys ordered them away and they got out hurriedly, as one of them expressed it, "if nearly broke my wagon getting away."

During this talk Ritter invited John Rockwell to shoot and not kill him. Ritter's proposal was that John and he do not want to kill Ritter but wanted him to come off the wagon and fight. David Rockwell was urging John to shoot, but John insisted he did not want to kill Ritter. Finally David pushed the pistol from John saying: "Give me the pistol. I'll shoot him."

Ritter scooped down to get a Winchester rifle which he had in the wagon, and as he raised up David fired, striking Ritter in the breast. Ritter immediately fled at David, the ball striking him in the face. Ritter then ran toward Corbett's place, and John picked up Ritter's rifle and snapped it at him as he ran, but the cartridge failed to explode.

Ritter is 27 years of age and unmarried. David Rockwell is 25 years of age; he has a wife and two children living in Vernon. John Rockwell is a year older than David. The Rockwell boys are sons of the late Porter Rockwell.

Mrs. John Rockwell feels very sorry over the affair and could not be interviewed; but her mother said she had not been very badly treated by her husband and is afraid of him; that he has failed to provide for her and the children and that the only thing left for her to do was to come away from him.

John Rockwell claims he had more serious reasons for angry feelings towards Ritter than the fact that he took Mrs. Rockwell and her children to Provo, but this is denied by Ritter.

Ritter had been warned that the Rockwells were coming over and that no doubt explains the reason for his having a gun in the wagon. He had also been drinking heavily before the Rockwell boys came up.

The following letters were found in the clothing of Mr. Ritter. They are not signed, and John Rockwell says that two of them addressed to Will were written by his (John's) wife and the third letter was evidently written by a man and is supposed to have been written by Ritter and not mailed. After Ritter was wounded he appeared very anxious about the letters:

VERNON.

My Dearest Will:

You must not get mad at my neglectfulness but Will it is not because I dont love you for for you only know if I love any more than I do I would go crazy about you Will I love you so much death was just thinking last night Oh Will if Will was only here I would give the world and all I ever saw if we only was together but Will I know you get awfull mad at me but God only knows I cannot help it but I hope when we do get together we will be happy. Will if you should say anything to hurt my feelings after we was married it would kill me for I would think you did not love me; Will I love and worship you and I will show after a while and I hope you do me for I never would want to live if we could not agree. I would turn right bad for I will close for this time to my sweetest lover Willxxxxx"

The second letter reads:

"Dearest Will I have been looking all day for some on a horse but I see there is know one coming I guess you have had such a time at Tooele you have forgot all about my case anyhow never mind if I ever get sight of you I will remind you of some one else. I thought I could get this wrote so you would not have anything to pick a quarrel with me about. I am almost dying to see you Will so if I get out of patience and give you a scolding, you will have to look over it. I know you don't want to see me half as bad as I do you; but never mind, I bet you will the next time you see me. I don't know whether you can read this for Essie and Agnes is standing by the table well I will close and I hope when I get up from the table I will see you coming or I will go crazy and tear this letter up. No more this time. Your sweetest love Willxxxxx"

This is the letter in a man's hand writing:

"May 29, 96.

"My Little Honey

"I will drop you a few lines and you had better have one a letter when I come down or there will be trouble in our family. I'm am sleepy. It was just sunrise when I got here this morning and I have been working all day. It is now 9 o'clock and I'll be up at the bed by this time and I will be there soon but I wish I was in the same bed that you are in. Joey I don't know how we are going to manage for you said you wanted to start next Monday and I have got to go to work Monday and can't get back until Tuesday. I never thought to tell you when I was down how late we going to manage that. Can you tell me for I want let anyone else take you to the track and I am afraid to let you go to Vernon too long for some one might come down and you bet I cant stand that. Can you get Ready to go Sunday. Well every thing seems lively here now sweet heart and I think I am going to be busy this summer and it is just the summer I need to be busy. Well bye bye little pet I am sleepy xxxxxxxx"

The child, Essie, referred to in the second letter is John's child and Agnes is the child of a neighbor's, of John's sister. These letters, if with any John's wife and Ritter would seem to indicate that John had reason for his angry feelings towards Ritter. John says this morning that he dropped his pistol when he asked Ritter to come off the wagon and fight and that David picked it up.

Both of the Rockwell boys attended the Brigham Young academy but only about eleven years ago, and many Provo citizens remember the boys. They were rather wild, but not in any bad vicious. John was a lively, good-natured boy, while David was very quiet and bashful. The latter's father was originally from Salt Lake, but has been living for years in Rush Valley with his mother. Sheriff Dixon has swore in a warrant against John R. Rockwell charging him with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill. Both the Rockwells claim some doubt in their minds this morning and will try to have a early examination of their case. John can be a witness to bail and David escaped from the jail. Constable Wilcox is in charge of Ritter, and David is he does. The officers are interviewing the relatives of Mrs. Rockwell to see her. Rockwell had evening they were out together, as her mother's opinion Rockwell was too much excited to see any one.

Probing for the Ball.

This afternoon Doctors Allen, Dougall and Taylor probed the wound in Rockwell's head, hoping to locate the bullet, but failed to find it. Rockwell's condition is not critical.

IN LEGAL CIRCLES.

The Savoy Muddle Settled and Mercer Must Do the Paying.

SHORT ORDERS IN THE COURTS.

Hinde's Excitement—The Sheriff Looking for Della Gray—Explores a Demented Man.

Charles Carter secured a judgment in the Third district court today in the sum of $1,891.28 against Annette Mercer, in his suit against E. W. Wilcox and Annette Mercer, McCarty having been released. The suit was brought to recover a balance due on a sale of stock.

Pedman vs Utah & Commercial Savings bank, five days additional time granted in which to prepare and serve statement.

The damage suit of Esther Walker against the city for causing sewage on the plaintiff's land is in progress before Judge Street.

James W. Stevens vs Samuel E. Vance, defendant given till July 1st to file statement on motion for new trial.

Arguments in the case of John Foster vs Gustavus Cornghino, on a hearing to show cause for a mandatory injunction in a land boundary suit, the arguments will be made tomorrow before Judge Hinde. Evidence was taken in the case today.

John G. Lehrman et al vs Elizabeth Wootton Cromwell et al, action to partition, report of referee ordered confirmed and conveyance directed to be issued.

Thos. G. Stoneman vs Mortimer Eldredge et al, hearing on order to show cause for injunction. Argument in progress.

FRIEDLY'S EXECUTION.

The Sheriff Has Not Yet Selected the Place of Hanging.

When asked by a NEWS representative how and when he would execute Thiede, Sheriff Hardy stated that provided the Governor does not commute the death sentence to one of life imprisonment, he would hang Thiede in some convenient and quiet place. The location has not been decided upon but it is certain that it will not be in the county jail, as the officials are loth now for the erection of a scaffold and the sheriff objects to performing the execution in the county jail yard where all the children of children would view the gruesome proceeding. The sheriff is of the same mind as many other people that executive clemency will be extended, because while the evidence was very strong it was nevertheless purely circumstantial.

This will be the first State Governor's first opportunity to grant a commutation whereas a life is at stake and doubtless it will be a difficult matter to decide. If the clemency plea for in the petition is not granted then Thiede's will be the first execution under the State government.

On the sheriff is placed the burden of expense of the execution, but there may be some recourse to remuneration.

IT WASN'T HINDE

Late yesterday evening deputies sheriff captured the man supposed to be Hinde, the crazy man who escaped from the county to Kimmy here. He was found in a field near Farmington. He was not Hinde, but nevertheless a demented man. He came south not to be tarred, but a year ago his mother died at Ogden and when found yesterday he pretended that he was on his way to his mother's funeral and that he must make haste. He has been on days going from the Hot Springs in Farmington. He was turned over by sheriff Hardy to Sheriff Sanders of Davis county.

BOUND FOR KOTLOVER.

Sheriff Hardy is looking for Della Gray, who is said to have robbed her employer, J. S. Rose, in the Continental building, of $125. The sheriff has stopped the baggage belonging to the girl at Cheyenne, but the Boeing bird was not found on the train. It is Mr. Hardy's notion that the girl left the train this side of Cheyenne, probably at Hot Springs. It is expected that she will be apprehended by tomorrow morning; if not it is likely the fugitive will make good her escape.

SOME OPINIONS.

Payment of Taxes—Collections on Mortgages—Sheriff's Fees.

County Attorney Williamson has given out the following opinions:

Bank Checks for Taxes.

To County Collector Spencer, in answer to an inquiry as to whether or not bank checks or drafts could be accepted in payment of taxes: "The receipt of such bank checks or drafts constitutes only a conditional payment of the tax, and if, for any reason, the check or draft should be dishonored the tax will remain in force and should be collected by seizing the property under the usual methods. This is true in all cases, even where innocent parties have acted on the strength of tax receipts issued by your office in return for such checks." In cases where taxes have been paid and receipts issued in return for checks or drafts which prove to be worthless or were dishonored and the time to make sale of the property, otherwise subject to the tax, portrays by law, has passed, the giving of such worthless check or draft and the payment thereof of the tax receipt, constitutes under our statutes the crime of obtaining something of value under false pretenses.

Taxes on Mortgages.

In reply to the manner in which the county collector must proceed regarding the collection of taxes on mortgages, the opinion is: "If the money is not collected and there an overpayment of taxes is exactly the same as the taxes to be followed in the collection of any other personal property tax, as mortgages fall in the class of the general law and the revenue act of 1895, rank as personal property.

"By section 2847 the revenue act of 1895, now in force, a tax upon personal property is a lien upon the real property of the owner thereof from and after the whole year of the first Monday in March in each year, and becomes due upon the first Monday in September in each year."

Section 123 of the revenue act also applies: "The assessor may collect the taxes delinquent upon personal property, except when the real estate is liable therefor, by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by the delinquent."

Sheriff's Fees.

An opinion was to sheriff Harvey Hardy of the county from the following sheriff's fees, under the new portion of the county gov. revised bill of 1894:

To all attachments the fee is $2 and mileage.

Serving summons, $1 and mileage.

Under and delivery: Taking bond from plaintiff, including justification, 75 cents; serving affidavit, 50 cents; taking possession of the property from the defendant, $2 and mileage; taking bond from defendant, including justification, 75 cents.

Independent serving order to show cause, $1 and mileage.

Mandamus, or writ for or any process by which an action or proceeding is commenced, $1 and mileage.

Executing a levy on real or personal property, $3 and mileage.

Subpoena or attendance at other proceedings, $1 and mileage.

Advertising property for sale, including making and posting notices, $3; executing to purchaser certificate of sale, $1; recorded's fee for filing certificate of sale, drawing, executing and acknowledging deed, $2.

Commissions on sale of personal property: If less than $100, 5 per cent; if more than $100 and less than $500, 2 per cent; if more than $2 and less than $2,000, 1 per cent; if more than $2,000, 1 of 1 per cent.

Commissions on sale of real property are the same as above, except where the plaintiff is the purchaser, when the sheriff will collect only one-third of the amount.

Commissions on money collected without levy, or when property levied upon is not sold: On the first $300, 10 per cent; on sums between $300 and $1,000, 5 per cent; on all sums over $1,000, 1 of 1 per cent.

Writ of possession or restitution: For services of writ of putting any person entitled to possession of premises and removing occupant, $5 and mileage.

Subpoenas: For service on each person, 25 cents and 10 cents per mile going.

For service of notice, rule or order, 50 cents and mileage.

Holding trial of right to property, including all services in the matter, $10 and mileage.

Taking bond of undertaking, including justification, 75 cents.

Arrests in civil cases on warrant or order of arrest, $2 and mileage.

Papers in civil cases to be charged for at the rate of 10 cents per folio.

KICKED FOR LIFE.

Mary E. Stover, Ira Stevens, W. H. Stevens, Ella Stevens, Truman Baker and Alfred H. Baker have entered suit in the Third district court against A. P. Mayberry, G. L. Rosas and Charles Welsch to recover damages to the sum of $50,000 for the death of George K. Stevens. The complaint alleges that on December 12, 1895, the deceased was at work in the Old Spanish mine, then owned by defendants; that the mine was not kept properly timbered by the defendants and the ground caved in and upon the deceased, injuring him so that he died on the same day.

COURT NOTES.

Thiede will be sentenced by Judge Hiles tomorrow morning.

Judge Hinde has the Bingham mining case, Wilson et al vs Mayberry, under advisement.

Joseph Stewart filed an answer in the divorce suit brought against him by his wife, Katie Stewart. He admits that he has been cruel to his wife but pleads that she has not been a resident of this county long enough for the court to have jurisdiction.

A petition is being circulated and numerously signed for presentation to Governor Wells, asking a commutation of the sentence of Thiede, the alleged wife murderer. Although some of the signers are acquainted with the testimony in the case they believe a doubt as to the guilt of Thiede. Even members of the jury which convicted him are signing the petition. In the meantime Thiede leaves upon his imprisonment. He will be sentenced by Judge Hiles tomorrow and up to the day of execution he will be confined in the county jail under the vigils of the death watch.

Police Court.

Two pair of inveterates were before Justice Wenger in the police court today on charges of drunkenness and disturbing the peace. They were Mike Smith, Jack McMann, Mike Tullidge and Mrs. Johnson, and were fined by the State street patrolman on Victoria Alley last evening, making night hideous with their yells. All four were locked up in jail and today they received their fine, fewer of forty days each in the municipal "boarding-house."

Rube Jack alias Joseph Wilson for begging on the streets was ordered imprisoned for 20 days, while William Hunt and Thomas Williams, charged similarly, got ten days each.

John Petersen and Benjamin Rugg were each discharged as the offence of trespass for which they were charged, could not be proven against them.

George O. Shoell will be tried on Monday at 2 o'clock for a breach of the peace ordinance in maintaining an employment agency without the necessary permit, while Harry Singer was charged with assault and battery will have a hearing on Tuesday at 10 a.m.

From the Irish Conference.

Elder S. W. Rees whose home is in Lehi, called at this office this afternoon, on his return from a mission to Great Britain, for which part of the world he left this city April 21, 1894. The first part of his absence was spent in the Liverpool conference to which he had been assigned, after which he was called to preside over the Irish conference which he spent the remaining second of his time.

Upon coming up the borders of Ireland Elder Rees met some other testimony against the Saints, but he reports that it is not bringing out anything prejudicial to a spirit of fairness and investigation. The Elders have held numerous meetings on the outskirts of Belfast and an increasing interest has been manifest at each succeeding meeting. In that city a branch of the Church has been organized with fifty members and five Elders are at present engaged in preaching the Gospel in that city. Elder Rees returns in good health and has only his labors immediately.

DAILY WEATHER VANE.

Observations Taken at Utah, Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Nevada Stations.

Weather reports showing observations at 8 a.m. today:

Salt Lake City—Barometer, 29.09; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, east; light; clear.

Baker City—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 52; minimum, 48; wind, northwest; light; clear.

Cheyenne—Barometer, 28.94; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, northwest; light; clear.

Helena—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, east, 6 miles per hour; cloudy.

Miles City—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, calm; clear.

Winnemucca—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 64; minimum, 52; wind, southwest, 10 miles per hour; clear.

Idaho Falls—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 44; minimum, 40; wind, northwest; light; clear.

General local forecast for 36 hours ending 5 p. m. June 13: For Utah, fair, warmer tonight; Saturday rain.

Salt Lake City and vicinity: Fair weather; warmer.

J. H. Smith,
Observer, Weather Bureau.

Today's temperature is shown in the fac simile thermometer given below.

MINOR MENTION.

The high school exercises at the Salt Lake Theatre tonight are sure to be well attended.

The committee on fire station plans are pushing their work as rapidly as possible.

Jack Steiner and Frank Parcell have hied themselves to Park City, where with a number of other pugilists they will give a big boxing exhibition tomorrow evening. Several Salt Lake brokers will go up to the Park to witness the performance.

The Warm Spring Second West street trolley wire was pulled to the ground shortly before last midnight and for a time the darkened surroundings were illuminated by sputtering and fantastic electric flashes which caused persons retiring to the vicinity to suddenly leave their peaceful couches and rush to the windows and peep of their dwellings to ascertain the cause of the dazzling splendor. Street car traffic was delayed an h. the break in the line was repaired.

PROVO.

PROVO, UTAH, JUNE 12, 1896.

Garden City Notes.

The concert given under the auspices of the Tabernacle choir last evening in the Tabernacle was not well attended, but those who were present were greatly pleased with the entertainment, and speak in high praise of Miss MacKenzie, Miss Elise Fellows and Miss Bertha O'Reilly, the essentially musical artists who appeared with the choir. An attempt will be made to have them return a week from last evening if possible and give another concert.

W. S. McCornick, doing business under the name and style of the Universal Wine company, has filed an abstract of judgment from Justice De Meloy's court, in the Fourth district court against the Provo Lake Resort Co. for $96.85 and $4.70 costs.

Chas. De Meloy, assignee of Provo Lumber Manufacturing and Building Co., has commenced suit against J. Bullock to collect $540 on a promissory note which bolted at 8 per cent from June 12th, 1891.

Mr. John Farrell and Miss Rosa C. Hicks of Payson were married here yesterday by Bishop Weiss of the Second ward.

The Payton Comedy company, consisting of twenty people, will appear in the opera house Monday, June 15th, and promise to stay all week.

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ORE AND BULLION.

W. S. McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and lead ores, $32,100; Bessemer bullion, $4,900. Total, $37,000.

T. R. Jones & Co. received today: Ores, $9,400; bullion, $9,300. Total, $18,700.

Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Ores, bullion, $3,812.

STOCKS AND MARKETS.

New York Stock Market.

New York, June 12.—Stock market opened higher, but the improvement yesterday was soon checked by announcements of gold for shipment to Bermuda, aggregating $5,000,000. Sugar started a gallop. The decline was partly due to refusals of the Sugar Refinery to give the usual allowance. After initial purchases the values again advanced considerably. Sugar moved erratically and fluctuated above and below its opening price. Wall street was in the opposite direction. The opposite purchases on the account are estimated at 25,000 shares.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, June 12.

Wheat—June, 67½; July, 68½.
Corn—June, 37½; July, 38½.
Oats—June, 27½; July, 27½.
Pork—June, [illegible]; July, [illegible].
Lard—June, [illegible]; July, [illegible].
Ribs—June, [illegible]; July, [illegible].
Flax—[illegible].
Timothy—$1.25.
Rye—[illegible].
Barley—[illegible].

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, June 12.

Hogs—
Cattle—
Sheep—

Silver, Lead.

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