

NEWS OF THE WEST.

GENERAL AUTHORITIES

A Mexican Congressman Poisoned by a Lead Pencil.

AIR SHIPS DRIVE HIM INSANE.

Law Against Spitting on Sidewalks—A Man with a Rock to His Skull.

De La Hoz, Nevada: Local Charles Horner, who it is said is chopping wood in our hills, is heir to a large estate left him by the death of his father and mother in the East.

A suit for \$30,000 damages has been instituted by Dr. C. A. Standard against the city of Salt Lake. He claims he was beaten thrown from a horse as a result of the dangerous condition of the streets.

Lewiston, Idaho: Tribune: R. C. Dunlap has been arrested at Lewiston on the charge of raping the two daughters, aged 13 and 19 years. The same party was recently acquitted on the charge of killing the daughter of one of his wives.

The city board of trustees of Sacramento, Cal., has passed an ordinance against spitting on the sidewalks, in street cars, or any public place. The mayor has signed the ordinance and the police have been instructed to rigidly enforce it. They say they intend to do so without fear or favor.

De La Hoz, Nevada: Local B. F. Bishop, former Sheriff, presented to him that the body of an unknown man had been found about three and a half miles up the Virgin river, and that it was a case of suicide, hanging with a piece of twine wire.

O. M. Marsh of Oakland, Cal., went to San Francisco after his wife, by the light of an lamp, he awoke to find the lamp overturned and the room ablaze. The department was called out and extinguished the blaze after over \$400 damage had been done.

Honest Moyle, a young man 25 years ago, was captured and escape from the state of the Rockies, where he became frightened and ran away in the mountains. He was captured forty feet high, over which he plunged with his rider. The horse was killed and Chase sustained a broken jaw, had one of his ears torn off and was internally injured. He was not discovered for some time.

Mrs. Jesus M. Young is lying at the Hospital in Salt Lake, Cal., only partly conscious, as she received a contusion on the back of the head. How the accident occurred no one knew, and the attending physician says that the injured woman recovers sufficiently to walk about and know what caused the blow. Her life hangs in the balance. She is supposed to have been struck by a train as she was found unconscious and bleeding near the track.

Through long poring over numerous shipwreck stories, James Lewis, an old man of 70, has written a book which has been ordered to the Highights Library at San Diego, Cal. It was captured on the outskirts of the city violently insane, gibbering of flying and drowning into the skies for the last 100 days. He was sent to San Diego to recover. He sold a ship down and took him aboard, landing him at the pearly gates and after a short visit he hurried back to San Diego. When placed in jail the old man became frantic with rage and his hair turned white.

Fritz Gandy, a sturdy laborer, had a piece of iron driven into his head at a saloon at Leona Heights near Oakland, Cal., on Wednesday, Oct. 26, but was not even inconvenient to the extent of being rendered unconscious. He was driven down by the blow and the fragments of the pieces of bone of his skull, but he got up without help and took a walk down to the Recreational hospital where he got surgical attention. His case is pronounced one of the most difficult and intricate he has had, for it was deemed impossible for a man to live in such a manner without having radiating fractures or suffering concession of the brain.

The death of Don George Carmona, a member of the Mexican Congress, occurred at San Diego, Cal., Sunday through an accident, had pencil having a sharp point stuck into the bone of his cheek, which had been incurred by chancing a messenger boy, who had injured his pleureus, and the boy retaliated by stabbing his pencil into Carmona's wrist. The wound was so severe that no medical aid was paid to it until it began to secrete pus, when there successive operations were performed to save the hand, then the arm, and then the victim's life. A black coating covered his tongue during the latter days of his sickness, and the disease was so far advanced that he died without having radiating fractures or suffering concession of the brain.

Kanab Stake Conference. The Kanab Stake conference was held in Overstreet, Dec. 6th and 8th, 1896. All stakes and ward officers were present, with the exception of the Fredonia ward officers and several of the High Council. Saturday was spent in good instructions to the people by the leading brethren in the general Church authorities and Kanab stake authorities were present. The conference was opened with the singing of hymns, which were well received by their audience. The time was well spent in prayer and thanksgiving, and hymns of praise were sung. There was a Sunday school review in the evening. The spirit of the lesson was upon the speakers and people. We were well paid for our meeting together.

P. L. POSTER,
State Clerk.

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