DOUBLE THE TAXES.

That is the Way Sheepmen Are to Be Treated

IN UINTA COUNTY, WYOMING.

So the Word Comes From There—Said to be Part of the Scheme of the Cattlemen.

There is a goodly number of Salt Lake county men who have flocks of sheep in Wyoming, where they pay their taxes. Word came today that these sheepowners have a new trouble to face in Uinta county, which lies outside the northeastern line of Utah. This trouble is a doubling up of the taxes by assessing to them twice the number of sheep they actually own.

Many references have been made in the NEWS to the conflict between sheep and cattle owners in that section of country. Some time since we announced that the cattlemen had leased much of the railroad lands, and had sought to release portions thereof to the sheepowners. A proposition was made to these, giving them till June 15 to accept or reject it. The sheepmen refused to accede to the terms offered, and both sides prepared for a legal fight. The sheepmen here retained Judge Henderson and Arthur Brown to care for their side of the controversy, and while the cattlemen also engaged lawyers, the legal battle was not instituted.

The new move presents another lark against the sheepmen, in this regard. The assessor listed the sheep as returned by the owners. The board of equalization to Uinta county, as the notice says, have just doubled the assessment. That is, the man who has 3,000 sheep subject to taxation, and who made return to the assessor, is now ordered to show cause between July 22 and July 25 why he should not be taxed for 6,000 sheep. If he fails to satisfy the board that he has only 3,000 sheep, he will be taxed for the higher number, and will have to pay or fight a law suit with the county against him.

The sheepowners here unhesitatingly declare that this is the work of the cattlemen, whom they say control Uinta county officials in their own interest. It is alleged that they have removed a sheep inspector who acted fairly and have appointed one notoriously objectionable to the sheep interests. This latter movement is alleged to emanate from the cattlemen, who want to place the sheepmen in the attitude of contending against the state.

In speaking of the matter today, one of the sheepowners said: "We reported our taxable sheep, and they have assessed against us double the number we have. We will make appearance before the board of equalization, and ask that this matter be righted. As to whether or not we will get fair play remains to be seen. I know the influence of the cattlemen and the situation of the Uinta county officials. If they persist in this outrage, however, we will fight the tax and will carry out all right in the state courts. It is a cattleman's game to drive us out."

Under the statement of the case as tenable today, it is just possible there will be a legal fight of no small dimensions, as the sheepmen are determined and well represented. If the injustice against them is as alleged it might seem, however, that the board of equalization will not insist on the perpetration of a gross outrage which will be rebuked by the state courts.

Not a Successful Auctioneer.

That all men are not cut out for auctioneers, was evident this afternoon, in witnessing the sale of a horse, buggy and harness by a deputy sheriff. The auctioneer had no praise whatever for his goods—they stood there on their own merits; "fifteen I'm bid, fifteen I'm bid," was the cry, "do I hear any more?" "It ought to be worth more than that," said le pretetently. However, the crowd didn't think so, and off they scampered, feeling satisfied that auctioneers "were born, not made."

Home From Europe.

Elder Frank M. Young, of the First ward, this city, called on the NEWS this morning, having returned last Monday from the Swiss and German missionary field, where he has been laboring for the past two years. He left home on April 12, 1893, and spent seventeen months of his time in Bavaria, where religious liberty is not tolerated and where the Elders have to use a great deal of caution in spreading the Gospel. He reports the mission to be in a prosperous condition, and that the Elders receive kind treatment at the hands of the people.

There are at present fifty-two Elders in that mission, with room for as many more. In the city of Cologne, the Gospel is being presented, and the prospects are that much good will be accomplished in that city. Elder Young was released on June 1, 1895, and returns home enjoying the best of health.

Tax Equalizers.

The board of equalization met again this morning. Councilman W. P. O'Brien represented the city. Abatements of $10 were made to the following widows: Sarah J. Williams, Mary A. Hobbing, Sarah L. Brown, Maria Revere, Julia Sandberg, Fannie F. Coe, Hannah A. Hardy, Sarah Ann Arthur, Matilda Winder, Mary T. Reiner, and to Joseph Jackson and John Edwards, indigent. Other abatements were made as follows: Ellen Smith, widow, $5; Geo. B. Mills, widow, $9.80; Geo. Harrison, widow, $20; William A. Weimeyer, widow, $; Maria Williamson, widow, $6.65; Richard S. Andrew, widow, $8.20; Newman Morgan, widow, $5; Joseph Angel, indigent, $2; Janet Young, indigent, $6; Levi Peirsion, indigent, $10; estate of John H. Romel Jr., $; Christiana Larson, indigent, $3.75; Thomas Ward, indigent, $4.10.

The assessment of the property of the following was reduced: Jennie Haynes, $[illegible]; Charles Denny, $100; Isaac Caldell, $500; Mrs. Lambert, $500; George Lambert $500; O. Morris $400; [illegible] A. Hilton $50, Stephen P. Keese $600, A. Mellerup $50, Emma Hauck personal property sixteen out, estate of John H. Romel Jr. $130, Clara May Lee $280, D. Ellen L. Smith $25, A. J. Cannon $500, Thos. A. Callister $250, Edward D. Woolley $1,000, Martha M. Clive, $500, Philip Pugsley $8, $4,500, E. D. Eggo $100. The petitions of John Beck were taken under advisement and Charles Lambert's was referred to the assessor.

Licensed to Wed.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to George Bishop, aged 53, of Smithville, and Mrs. Sarah Ann Hosey, aged 47, of Salt Lake City.

Third District Court.

Judge Bartch made orders in the following cases today:

Utah Plumbing company vs. Heseth Davis company; motion for judgment on pleadings continued to July 26.

Annie N. Kers vs. Martin D. Kers; leave to file supplemental complaint; answer withdrawn, and time given to answer supplemental complaint.

Judge Merritt made an order approving the accounts of the United States marshal.

Row Over Water

The trial of Wm. Marlough, for disturbing the peace of Perry F. Anson, was up in U. S. Commissioner Sumner's court today, before a jury. The trouble occurred on the northeast bench, over irrigating water. Mr. Marlough was digging a ditch when Mr. Anson claimed he had no right to dig, and the result was an altercation in which witnesses testified that "Mr. Marlough could be heard swearing three blocks away," and also that he threatened Mr. Anson with a shovel, and even alleged that he would "lay out the whole family," if they came within reach.

Upon hearing the testimony the jury decided that Mr. Marlough had created a disturbance; hence they found him guilty. Commissioner Sumner concluded that he would be lenient, and assessed a fine of $5 and costs—$43 in all. Marlough has a little boy, between two and three years old, whose mother is dead, and Commissioner Sumner arranged that if the father had to go to jail the child would be well taken care of. Marlough gave notice of an appeal.

Notice.

All Republican women are urged to be present at a meeting to be held in the old Council chamber, Wasatch building, Saturday evening, July 20th, at 8 p. m.

EMMELINE B. WELLS, Chairman.

LILLIE H. PARDEE, Secretary.

Police Court.

The cases against John H. White, for violating the sign ordinance, and John H. White and Bowring Bros for obstructing the sidewalks were dismissed.

Bob Fortune, who is generally up on the charge of larceny, was given seven days for drunkenness.

P. Graham, a stonecutter from Sandy, was arraigned on the charge of disturbing the peace. He stated that he had been drinking and went to bed in a lodging house in town. After getting to sleep he began singing and the officer stated that his tuneful voice could be heard about a block. He was fined $5.

Jacob Brock, a soldier belonging to the Sixteenth infantry company, who was arrested for peeping through a window at two young ladies some months ago and afterwards allowed to go, was arraigned for trespass. T. E. Holland testified that he had seen him looking in the bedroom window of a lady living on the corner of Fourth Eastand Fifth South streets, and he stood there for over half an hour. The case was continued until tomorrow for the purpose of obtaining more testimony.

C. Smith, who has just served a term of fifteen days for begging, after leaving the jail this morning got drunk and begged again and he will serve five days for drunkenness and fifteen for begging.

Joe Hong, a sick Chinaman, was arraigned upon the charge of drunkenness and it was soon shown that he was not right in his head. The case was continued until tomorrow.

Dan Raleigh forfeited the $25 he had given as bail to appear on the charge of larceny. Jim Beatty plead not guilty to the same charge, and on motion of the prosecution the case against him was dismissed.

The case against Eddy or Bennet will be taken up tomorrow morning.

Personal Paragraphs.

There are registered at the Templeton: G. N. Lacrock, Washington, D. C.; Robert E. Harrison, Denver; William Kennedy and wife, Mr. Matthews, Miss Carter, Miss Hope and Miss Plum, Newark, N. J.; Miss Redford, Hopkinsville, Ky.; C. N. Beal, N. Y.; C. C. Tavey, Chicago; and Miss Abbott.

The following guests are at the Knutsford: G. E. King, Indianapolis; Chas. A. Jones and W. C. Ferguson, Reno, Nev.; Dr. J. N. Mitchell, Philadelphia; Miss Lydia Kirvan, Boise; T. F. Singlass, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Keenan, Brooklyn; and Mrs. N. C. Singham, Chicago.

A party of Raymond & Whitcomb excursionists, consisting of the following, are at the Knutsford: Miss Eleanor M. Julian, Miss E. F. Scott, Walter B. Jacobs and wife, Miss E. H. Ingham, A. F. Richardson, Lucius Thomas, Mrs. Aaron Mitchell, Miss A. Mitchell, A. Mitchell and H. G. Hunter.

Flint Bowen, Kansas City; John S. Allen, Virginia City; W. W. Meighan, Logan; Mr. and Mrs. William Mann, Cripple Creek, Colo.; Earle C. Robin, Chicago, Ill.; E. L. Wippermann, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Reiner, N. Y., are at the Walker.

Colton: G. S. Richards and wife, Clyde, O.; John Condron, Iron City, Utah; David Keith, Park City; H. J. Noble, Bailey, Ida., and James Tucker.

James L. Berry, foreman of the Creole mine at Park City, is at the Colton, with his daughters.

Mr. Austin, assistant general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific is in town. He will remain a few days.

The Virginia, Nev., Chronicle says that the first bicycle trip underground in that region on record was made recently by a party composed of C. C. Hopkins, a traveling bicycle agent, William Cann Jr. and wife, and the writer, who rode from the mouth of the Sutro tunnel through the tunnel to the shaft station on the 1700-foot level of the Consolidated California and Virginia mines. The distance is about four miles and a half and the party made the trip on a two-seated tandem.

A WORD FOR OLD SOLDIERS.

Reminder of Facts for Those Who Wish Veterans Out of the Way.

Old Soldiers Have Earned Their Reward—Young Men Should be Earning Theirs, Not Scrambling.

CANNONVILLE, Utah,
July 12, 1895.

Editor Deseret News:

There is some excuse for certain people who have an adopted home in this country to think that veterans receive too much consideration at the hands of the public. It was not those, but altogether another class whom one of our United States senators had in mind when he recently uttered these impassioned words: "But what of us poor devils who were not old enough to be in the army?" is a question which is uttered every day in Washington by young men seeking official positions.

But thousands of this class of men were as old as the writer who enlisted in defense of his country a mere child—at the extreme youthful age of ten years, and today enjoys a medal of honor from the secretary of war for the youngest soldier ever enlisting in defense of the flag. Those men who delight in finding fault with the old veteran seem to think the old soldier is in their way, and ought to get out of the way of the rising generation, and that too law giving the veterans the preference ought to be repealed. Again and again have I heard the complaint with sarcastic allusions to the length of life of veterans such as, "Will they never die?"

Young men, half a million died when you were in your cradles. Ten thousand of them died inside of fifteen minutes on the morning of June 3rd, 1864. Twelve thousand of them died on June 27th, 1864, in the same month of the same year, all around the bloody heights of Kennesaw. Many thousands of them died in prison or in rebel hospitals, naked, hungry, suffering, unloved and far from their dear loved ones at home. Many other thousands of them today battle on crutches or flapping sleeves. They are dying fast enough. Less than half a million of them still live, but every one of them, having sacrificed, bears in his body the mark of battle or the germs of disease contracted while campaigning in order that this government might not fade from the earth. But for them there would be no government for you to serve nor to protect you.

Don't be in a hurry. Them old veterans are marching off the field, brigade by brigade every year. Regiment after regiment is disappearing over the brow of the hill of time. They are marching away into the field of death, bravely as did the Old Guard at Waterloo. Don't be in a hurry young man. Don't be in a hurry. These old soldiers are marching off the field and they will soon—all too soon for me—be out of your ungrateful way.

God bless them. I wish they could live forever, as their fame will live. Gone are the serried columns which stood "on the way" at Gettysburg, Fredericksburg, Atlanta, Chickamauga, Lookout Mountain, Bentonville and a thousand other places—every one of them a Thermopylæ. Their deeds are blazoned upon the history of more fields than your weak brain can remember. They will soon be out of the way, but while they are here, the Republic should give them the preference.

JNO. M. DUNDINE,
Capt., N. G. U. C.

CRASHING THROUGH A BRIDGE!

A Train Falls Through, Burying Many in the Wreckage.

DENVER, July 17.—A special to the Times from Monument, Colo., says: A local freight on the Santa Fe road fell through a bridge at this place today, burying beneath the wreck Mr. Albert Cooper and a number of the Santa Fe bridge gang who were rebuilding the bridge. The number of killed is unknown, as twenty cars are piled on top of the victims. As near as can be learned the local freight loaded heavily with lumber and stone passed over the bridge at 11 a. m. As the engine neared the south end the workmen underneath saw the bridge rock and shouted an alarm to their comrades. Before the danger could be realized, the engine and twenty cars came crashing through, burying those who could not get out of the way beneath the crushing weight. Mrs. Albert Cooper, wife of the engineer of the bridge gang, was sitting under the bridge. Her husband shouted to her, but the noise drowned his voice and it is certain she is among the killed. Citizens of Monument are working heroically, but not much can be done until the wrecking train arrives.

There were about twenty men in the bridge gang, and it is believed that ten or twelve are under the wreck. Three must certainly have been killed. The engineer escaped, but the fireman, conductor and brakemen went down with the wreck. The bridge was across the gulch a quarter of a mile from town. It was 30 feet high and about 300 long.

Sunnyhill's Worse.

SOFIA, July 17.—At 5 p.m. the condition of ex-Premier Stambuloff was worse. Symptoms of cerebral affection have developed. His right eye is not gouged out like the other, but he has lost the sight of it. The doctors give no hope of recovery, nevertheless the government again announces that he will be restored to health in a few weeks. A reward of 10,000 francs has been offered for the discovery of his assailants.

Mrs. Corbett to be Provided For.

NEW YORK, July 17.—There was another hearing today before Referee Jacobs in the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Olive Corbett. Miss Marie King, member of the dramatic company with which James Corbett travelled, continued her testimony as to the relations between Corbett and the woman Vera. Miss King related instances of display of affection as the company were travelling in the railway cars. In Canada, Ohio, she had seen upon the hotel register the entry of "Jas. J. Corbett and wife." It was agreed by counsel, if the referee's report should be in favor of plaintiff, the alimony would be fixed at $100 week. An adjournment until July 23 was taken in order that testimony might be obtained from the west.

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COMMERCIAL.

SALT LAKE CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's clearing house exchanges amounted to $177,251; corresponding day last year, $151,182.

WOOL'S QUOTATIONS.

New York—Silver, 65c; lead, $3.25. London—£13.

ORE AND BULLION.

W. S. McCornick & Co. received to-day: Silver and lead ore, $3,250; Hanover bullion, $4,[illegible]; Tintic, $3,[illegible]. Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Pano bullion, $3,983. T. R. Jones & Co. received today: Base bullion, $3,000; ores, $5,000; Tintic, $9,800.

STOCKS AND MARKETS.

New York, July 17.—Very active trade opened dull, advanced, but after a short rise became a decided upward turn. [illegible] After a further gain with little reaction [illegible] however, on [illegible] Before noon speculation became dull, [illegible] Before noon speculation became dull, [illegible] Market closed dull [illegible] Money [illegible] Sterling [illegible] Government bonds steady.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Reported by the News.

South Omaha, Neb., July 17. Cattle receipts, [illegible] Hogs receipts, [illegible] Sheep receipts, [illegible]

Cattle—[illegible]

Hogs—[illegible]

Sheep—[illegible]

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, July 17. [illegible]

Wheat—July, [illegible]; August, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Corn—July, [illegible]; August, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Oats—July, [illegible]; August, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Pork—July, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Lard—July, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Ribs—July, [illegible]; September, [illegible]

Flour—[illegible]

Cash—[illegible]

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, July 17, noon.

Sugar	[illegible]	Pacific Mail	[illegible]
Tobacco	[illegible]	Denver & Rio Grande	[illegible]
Tenn. Coal & Iron	[illegible]	Denver & R. G. Pfd.	[illegible]
Atchison	[illegible]	St. Paul & Omaha	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]	Preferred	[illegible]
Canada Pacific	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Northern Pacific Pfd.	[illegible]	Preferred	[illegible]
Preferred	[illegible]	Texas Pacific	[illegible]
Northwestern	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
Preferred	[illegible]	Wells, Fargo Express	[illegible]
Rock Island	[illegible]	Western Union	[illegible]
New Jersey Central	[illegible]	Pacific Coast	[illegible]
Ore. Navigation	[illegible]	Silver Certificates	[illegible]

DEATHS.

BROWN—At Rich, Fremont county, July 11, 1895, infant son of James and Rosa Brown. Buried yesterday after its death.

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