THE DISTRICT COURT

A Verdict Rendered Today in the Kollis Fire Insurance Suit.

BUT DOESN'T GIVE SATISFACTION.

It is for Plaintiff, for $353.—Interesting Point as to Lease.—Probate Court.

After several days' trial the case of the German-American Insurance Co. vs Louis Kollis has come to an end and the jury this morning brought in a sealed verdict, signed by nine of their number. The finding does, not, however, appear to have given satisfaction to either party to the suit and is regarded by the attorneys as an extraordinary conclusion. The opinion seems to prevail that the verdict should have been either for the full amount claimed or nothing at all; but nine out of the twelve good men, who are alone responsible for what is therefore a "compromise," evidently entertained a different opinion. It is said that the result does not by any means meet with the endorsement of Chief Justice Merritt, before whom the hearing took place, and that unless the plaintiffs should see fit to move for a new trial the defendant's counsel will most assuredly do so at an early day.

It will be remembered that the amount demanded from Kollis was $1,197.01, the plaintiff company claiming that this was paid over to the defendant by an overright on his insurance policy of $2,500.00.

The jury today found for plaintiffs in the sum of $353 and interest.

A fire occurred on the premises occupied by Kollis, as a candy maker, on West First South street, and it was claimed that he was responsible for it.

A NEW POINT INVOLVED.

The first case for trial on today's list was that of James Thompson vs Franklin C. Avery—Loofbourow and Kahn for the plaintiff and Hilelin and Dickson for the defendant.

This was brought by the plaintiff to recover from the defendant the sum of $5,000.00, claimed to be the balance (with interest) due on a promissory note executed February 27, 1894, the same being secured by a mortgage.

Avery, in his defense, alleges that the amount of the note was paid by deposit in the Commercial National bank, to be paid to plaintiff when certain lines were removed from the property. Thompson thereupon cancelled and surrendered the note and released mortgage of record. There is a criminal judgment for polygamy and unlawful cohabitation for $1,584.70 against one John Bergen, who owned the land at the time judgment was rendered. Defendant claims this is a lien against the property, on the ground that a judgment in favor of the United States never outlaws, and he refuses to allow the balance of the money to be paid over till the judgment against Bergen is released or paid.

The hearing will occupy most of the day, a good deal of time during the forenoon having been occupied in legal argument in regard to the question of lease involved.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The case of W. E. Grimshaw et al vs John Field was continued by consent.

Mark Hopkins, F. H. Wright and J. J. Poles, petit jurors, were excused for the term.

CLAIM FOR RENT.

The case of H. Pembroke vs Alf. C. Rees et al occupied the attention of Judge Hatch and a jury this forenoon. The amount in controversy is $300, being claimed by plaintiff as rent. In their answer the defendants acknowledged the indebtedness, but set a defense it was put forth that the plaintiff had disposed of a certain note and mortgage given into his keeping by them for the purpose of securing a debt, in consequence of which defendants were obliged to dispose of their business. For the damage thus alleged to have been sustained by them they put in a claim for $300.

The arguments are in progress as the NEWS goes to press.

DIVORCE SUITS.

Clara A. May has filed a suit for divorce against George Greig May in the Third district court. The parties were married in this city on April 26, 1890, and plaintiff says that her husband has continually treated her in a cruel and inhuman manner since that time, also that he has tried to kill her by firing a revolver.

In the case of M. C. Sullivan et al vs the Northern Sky Mining company, tried in Judge Hatch's court and reported in the NEWS yesterday, the jury rendered a $20 verdict, and in about an hour later returned into court with a verdict in favor of the defendants, signed by ten jurors.

Commissioner Pratt has held F. E. Veatch, charged with bigamy and living with the grand jury's action, in a bond of $500.

Joseph and Charles Duckworth, the youthful brothers charged with stealing wire from belonging to Israel Spitz at Hilldale, have been discharged by Commissioner Greenman, the testimony being insufficient to hold them.

Today's Probate Court.

Estate of Mellen E. McClelland, deceased. Hearing on petition to sell real estate. Dismissed.

Estate of Emma A. Williams, deceased. Hearing on citation issued upon J. E. Williams, administrator, directing him to file his account and show cause why his letters of administration should not be revoked. Continued, and time for filing account extended till Thursday, the 19th inst.

Estate of James McFadden, deceased. Tuesday, May 15th, set for hearing account.

Estate of Frank Crocker, deceased. Hearing on petition for order authorizing the administrator to settle and compromise the judgment claim against Lulu J. Rich. Petition granted.

Police Court.

At 10 o'clock this morning the following cases came up before Police Justice Smith:

Three brake-beam tourists were fined $10 each for stealing a ride.

A cook, a porter and a tramp; a steelworker, a waiter and a fruit-packer; a stone mason, a premium and an ironmonger were arraigned on a charge of stealing a ride on the Rio Grande Western. The case against the mason was dismissed.

The four boys arraigned before Police Justice Smith yesterday on a charge of disturbing the peace of the neighborhood at Ninth East and Second South streets, appeared in court this afternoon and the charge against them dismissed.

J. Miller was fined $25 this afternoon for selling whisky on Sunday.

The People vs James Fairclough is in progress before Police Justice Smith this afternoon as the NEWS goes to press.

Police Pointers.

William Merritt, James Cody and Thomas Ryan were arrested last night at the Rio Grande Western depot on a charge of trespass.

James Robinson was assessed $20 and Peter Hawkins $20 for drunkenness and vagrancy.

The four soldiers who created the row on Franklin Avenue Sunday night paid $10 each for their fun. The two women allowed the same amount each to answer for them.

Annie Atha, of Ridgway, Ouray county, Colo., writes to the police for information about her husband's whereabouts. He was last heard of as an employe of the Hotel Templeton.

N. Jensen, a young man, was arrested this morning for disturbing the peace.

G. Hood and W. O'Neil were fined $25 each yesterday afternoon for selling liquor on Sunday.

THE WIZARD'S WORK

An Interesting Interview With Edison's Father-in-Law.

The Iron Industry to be Revolutionized—New Wire Machine.—Edison's Home Life.

A NEWS representative had a brief but very pleasant interview today with Mr. Louis Miller, of Akron, Ohio, the father-in-law of Edison. Mr. Miller is an elderly gentleman, robust in stature, and has an open, beaming countenance, from which kindliness of heart and brilliancy of mind are readily expressed. He has been in this city but once before, about a year ago, and while he does not observe any very marked improvement since then, he sees signs of progress, and takes occasion to compliment the people on the enterprise that secured so extensive an industry as the copper plant.

Mr. Miller is in the agricultural implement business, and has done business in this Territory, through Geo. A. Lowe and others, for twenty years. He is on his way to the coast partly on business and partly on pleasure.

"What can you tell me about Edison, Mr. Miller?" the NEWS man asked.

"Well," said he, "I can tell you most anything about him if I can't, I don't know who can. He is very busy perfecting his iron concentrator at Ogden, New Jersey. The old works have been pulled down and are being rebuilt. It is the intention to invest one and one-half millions of dollars in the concern, and if the new process of treating the lean iron ores is as successful as the industrious give premises, it will revolutionize the iron industry all over the country. Lean ores that give only twenty-five to thirty per cent under the old treatment can by this process be made to extract sixty-eight per cent, and the possibilities of such a process must be apparent to every one. But not only will it be beneficial to the east, but here in Utah where you have great mountains of magnetic ore an opportunity will be presented through the successful operation of this system to enter into the most extensive manufacture of iron and the best quality of steel. The success of the process in extracting the ore at such a high per cent has been duly demonstrated."

"Is Mr. Edison devoting any time to his telephonic improvements about which so much has been said?"

"Yes, of course, have heard of the etheno-cinnestographic—the apparatus by which form, features, movements and sounds are transmitted to the ear and eye, all but the latter being produced on canvas. You may have the enjoyment connected with an opera house, sit in your parlor and enjoy the entertainment, a reflection of the whole opera or play, as well as every word and sound, being correctly reproduced as at a theatre. Mr. Edison has not yet succeeded in getting it in such shape as to make the apparatus a merchantable article, but on a minor scale he has utilized the laws and perfections in the construction of slot machines. The first twenty-five of these machines have just been delivered in New York, and each of them reproduces an opera or drama just as if you were in the theater and witnessed it, but of course on a miniature scale."

"Is Mr. Edison a domestic man? He married your daughter, did he not?"

"Yes, with all his labors among the numerous inventions, and the demands upon his time, he is a very domestic man. When not at Ogden, N. J., he is at his laboratory at home. His resource is at Lewelling park, Orange, New Jersey. I have just returned from a pleasant visit and both he and his wife are well. He married my second daughter, Mina, seven years ago, and they now have two children, a girl and a boy. They have a very pleasant home, love each other's society and look at the brightest side of earthly existence. Well, sir," said Mr. Miller, stood a great, broad smile of happy satisfaction to pass all over his honest, "Mr. Edison is a good husband and a charming man."

As the box drew up to the door of Knutsford hotel, the genial gentleman intimated his intention of entering the 5:15 p. m. train for Ogden, from which place he was going to the coast, and so the reporter withdrew.

Will be Sent to Shoshone, Idaho.

Tomorrow, Joseph William Taylor, the undertaker will forward the body of Mrs. C. C. Haynes to Shoshone, Id., the home of the deceased for burial. Mrs. Haynes died at the Sisters' hospital yesterday from the effects of a surgical operation for the removal of a tumor. Her husband is a well known Shoshone citizen for whom great sympathy is felt.

THAT INSPECTION YARD.

Protest Against an Exclusive Location in Davis County.

The Administration of the Law Should be Made to Benefit the People, Not Monopoly.

SALT LAKE CITY,
April 17, 1894.

Editor Deseret News:

It is not difficult to trace the origin and intent of the bill in relation to stock that became law in Maine in the certificate which it bears are clearly manifest. One percent of the accounts is that all cattle, sheep and swine shall be brought to the yard in a place designated by the City Council the day before slaughter, for inspection by the appointed veterinarian, and shall afterward be inspected by one in the morning and that this shall apply to all cattle, sheep, or swine intended for slaughter within a mile or more miles from the center of the city; the reasons for the moratorium on the east, Kaysville on the west, Bountiful on the south and Davis county on the north. Investigation show a disease to have led one slaughterhouse within this radius of twenty-eight miles, and that one is to be found at the Union Stock Yards, at the extreme northern limit, and situated in Davis county.

According to an article published in a Salt Lake paper of Saturday, the 14th, over the signature of a officer of the Union stock yards, it seems that the stock yards were located and started as they are now, with a premeditated purpose in view. He says there are instances with large slaughtering firms that are still in order, but owing to financial depression they have been changed. It is also claimed that more than half the of the stock coming to this city or elsewhere is brought by the railways. Even if this claim were true, which it is not, that would be no excuse for shutting out the business of the other 45th are advocating the path for to a great monopoly.

It is alleged that the recommendations were made simple to relieve the city of any trouble with the slaughtering business and a reminder is offered that a large one or more are expected, which want to Salt Lake working, and that there was no demand of a large house, sir. Let us see. There is a petition before the City Council asking that the Union stock yards be placed designated for the purposes of abattoirs or slaughtering and removing the fire one of the same in the city. The certainly is asking for more than a house; it is asking not city government, for an exclusive right which would be a disregard of the interest of an estate. The grouping of such a petition would be a work to the someone more than one hundred thousand dollars bonds. It would be cheaper for the city, so far as the people are concerned, to pay that amount to get out of such an arrangement. To ask this latter of the city is asking a sum greater than has ever been asked before.

It is suggested that people who have carcasses of live stock to sell should not be made to suffer because of some farmer who has a single hog or cow to sell. Should the farmer and poor man be made to suffer to further enrich some wealthy stock owner? That is what the conspiracy is working for. Those fish stockmen who ship their stock not by rail and get better prices will continue to ship and those who must drive to local markets will continue to drive unless they are forced out of the market by a merciless monopoly, which would make them its slaves. The day is not far distant when the large ranges will cease to yield the raw basis of stock. These ranges are being settled by industrious and we will have to look to and encourage the small raiser. Besides, the best stock is invariably found in the hands of the small raiser, and instead of being shoved to one side he should be encouraged. The small raiser must not be left, he is too wanted, for he cannot be well dispensed with.

There is a petition in the hands of the City Council signed by many of the butchers and stockmen and prominent citizens asking for more than one place of inspection. If this petition be denied and the other granted, the stock yards will have secured from the city power to dictate terms to the stockman, and when the butcher approaches for a place to slaughter he will be held down under the thumb of the governing power in the stock yards as to terms and conditions and regulations and price; for the company owns all the 300 acres and certainly intends to control the same to its own advantage in fulfilling those outstanding contracts. Then again, the yards being outside of the city limits, are beyond municipal regulations and revenue.

If the slaughtering business is kept under control of the city and not given over to a monopoly, it would be under the immediate direction of the local board of health. It would be also made self-sustaining by making a charge to all the butchers occupying the premises. An inspection point could be located within one northeast and one south, and all being under the control of the city would be made to move on as the city advanced.

The fish industry and the poultry business are assuming large proportions and in need of legislation as much as the meat. Now it is reasonable to make the inspection of meat at stock yards only, it would be just as reasonable for a firm to establish a poultry yard and fish market six or seven miles from town and then get a law to compel all producers of the feathered and finny tribes to take their products for inspection and give the sole firm a monopoly in business. The effects of the city inspectorate ought to be for all benefits reach to all the people.

That is the true question now is it is and we much to ask the City Council to make it operate as fairly as possible. The people of Utah are migrant and industrious and they should be encouraged and helped, not hindered in their lawful avocations. This attempt being made to fix an eastern policy on the West is urged and unfair to the people. The West has had enough already of eastern malfeasance. This one should be given the go by, and the interests of all the people be subserved.

ONE INTERESTED.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE EDDIES AND FIZ.—The salacious memories of its last visit, packed the house last evening, when Lewis Sydes and Fiz made its second appearance in Salt Lake. The show

might have been accounted for more only for the overwhelming majority of the attendance was of the male persuasion. As it turned out, however, there was nothing that the ladies need have remained away from—the entertainment was decidedly mild, the specialties and scenic displays as are now decently worn in burlesque—in alphabetical order may with propriety benefit. The scenic surprises that characterized last year's production of the piece in new attractive guise, he no more than the seven matching it received in Salt Lake were found to stand now as an amusing and showy extravaganza, a long way behind Hoyt's or Aronson's in every, but a long way in advance of what it was last year. The story is of course, simple as it is, by any means, the specialties were, and the scenery are more than good, and the apparatus last night ran at times to immoderate proportions. The Dougalds' setting with Miss Reeves (the Mamie of Lyceum's cast) is graceful, and the scenes so particular to any some of the other dancing was excellent. Mr. Sydedeldie, the comedian, a size of the little Tycoon, made a good deal of fun out of the Palmer House during his stay in the old time system. Cyrene's engagement with the company would rather amazing but everything the management, it is said, did not follow the cast that they had brought but a week ago. Next Tuesday, there is to be a matinee for the benefit of the children, and the cast will be out of an engagement, to find that she has contracted to begin an engagement at Wonderland hall Thursday next.

Personal Notes.

F. H. Dyer, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is at the Knutsford.

Mr. Eskridge, of Chicago, is a guest at the Knutsford.

Sidney S. Lyon, of Logan, is in town. He is at the Cullen.

W. D. Ryan, of Lehi, is autographed at the Morgan.

H. G. Sheridan is up from Green River and is sojourning at the Templeton.

A. B. Young, from San Francisco, is registered at the Templeton.

Joseph A. Smith is down from Idaho Falls, and is at the Morgan.

Harry Allen and W. P. Chance, of Cullman, are guests of the Cullen.

D. A. Hodgett and wife, of Grand Haven, Mich., are at the Knutsford.

Thomas Ralston is up from Eureka and is registered at the Morgan.

F. C. Graham, of Butte, Mont., is autographed at the Templeton.

Library Committee Meeting.

The adjourned meeting of the library committee are requested to meet on Wednesday afternoon, April 18, at 3:00 p.m. in the book room in the Eastern Library building in the Tabernacle square. Dr. Seth M. Shipp, chairman, Mrs. C. E. Allen, secretary.

Henry Mewan's Funeral.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Henry T. McEwan will take place from the Twelfth ward meeting house tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock.

TODAY'S CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's exchanges have exceeded to $210,000. Same day last year, $228,000.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

New York—Silver 67½. Lead 3.20. Lexico, 3½.

ORE AND BULLION.

Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Ores, bullion $2,100; Ontario bullion, $8,347; bullion, 1,000. Total, $9,904.

McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and ore, $2,000.

T. E. Taylor & Co. received today: Bullion, $1,000; ore, $1,300. Total, $2,300.

THE magnificent broken column mantlepiece in our evening's NEWS, and which was presented by the city officials to Surgeon Wilson last Monday was made at Cooper's floral establishment, Mercantile building. The flowers were home grown except the cases.

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