NEWS OF THE WEST.

Pests Destroying Grain and Watermelons at Lodi, Cal.

A SENTENCE OF SIX YEARS.

A Sculptor Robbed the Postoffice and Disappeared—Yellowstone Visitors.

Lander Boomerang. A local company with a capital of $50,000 has made a contract for the sinking of an oil well in the immediate vicinity of Green River City, Wyo.

Laramie Boomerang. The government opened the Yellowstone park to visitors on June 15, and many tourists are wending their way thitherward, some of them through the Sixth ward.

Work will be commenced at once on the buildings for a soap factory at Casper, says the Carbon county, Wyo., *Journal*, and the plant will be in running order by the first of July. Soap will be made from the castor oil and soda found in that vicinity.

C. E. Griffin, of St. Louis, says the *Lander Boomerang*, left Rock Springs for the Holy Boy gold property and will put a force of men at work cleaning the cabins of the Mount Rose mines, which now show over a hundred feet of gold-bearing quartz. The Holy Boy Mining & Milling company was recently organized under the laws of Kansas, and has a bonding of $5,000,000. Besides the claims of that name, the company owns several other claims in Sweetwater and Fremont counties.

Rosetta Owen, the bride who married his four daughters, has been committed to the insane asylum, says the *Idaho Statesman*. Owen lived with his daughters on Mink creek, his wife who driven crazy by his incessant treatment and died three years ago in an inmate of the asylum at Hamilton. According to the evidence Owen forced his daughters to submit to him, threatening them with death if they ever disclosed the murderer relations. During his temporary absence one of them told a relative of her father's crime and he was shortly afterwards arrested for incest. He was sentenced to six years imprisonment.

A strange case of suicide is reported from Bear Lake, Utah, Sunday last. Miss Amelia Hofmann, an German girl of about 22 years of age, employed as waitress in the Eureka hotel, at the broad gauge depot. The motive which prompted the deed was despondency, resulting from prospective separation from her young lady friend and room mate, Miss Hanna Strauss, another employee at the hotel. She fired two bullets into her right temple and died instantly. Either would have been fatal. The young woman had prepared herself by bathing and dressing herself neatly and then standing in the middle of the floor of her sleeping room she pulled the trigger of an old fashioned German self-cocking revolver, falling dead to the floor.

The farmers of Lodi, Cal., who have growing grain are worried at the appearance of a worm resembling the cut worm, which has done much damage in that vicinity, especially near Lockford, where whole fields have been ruined by the insects. The crop of watermelons also promises to be short on account of the mysterious disease which attacks portions of the vine, killing the leaves and cankers, yet leaving the fruit sound and whole. No much damage has already been done that the farmers are determined to secure the services of State Quarantine Officer Crew of the Horticultural society to come here and investigate. Nothing like the insect, if it be an insect, has ever been known to have before, and even though the ravages be confined to a few thousands of dollars will be felt by grain and melon growers.

A dispatch from Lander, Wyo., says Elmer Hank, one of the most prominent men of Fremont county, who retired from the office of county treasurer in January, 1894, has been found to be a defaulter in the sum of $2,000. An expert bookkeeper employed by the county commissioners discovered false entries in the books of the treasurer which enabled him for the time being to get away with the money. He was notified to fix up the matter and promised to do so Friday last, but did not put in an appearance. The sheriff went over to Weshakie, where Hank was employed in a merchandise house, also acting as postmaster. It was then discovered that Hank had left the day before and after his departure it was found that he had robbed the postoffice of over $400. He was traced twenty-five miles west the sheriff lost sight of him. When last heard he was riding a bicycle.

Sheriff Scott, of Provo, Utah, has begun an investigation of the finding of the daughter of G. A. Smith in the canal, where she has been unknown by some unknown party. The officers are satisfied that neither the Chinese or Young had anything to do with it. They are working on the theory which has not yet been made public, but which, if correct, they say will develop into a sensational conspiracy. It is positively certain that the child was not thrown into the canal on the impulse of the moment to stop her cries, but with the premeditated purpose of drowning her. The canal was half a mile from where she was kidnapped. She was carried rapidly through the streets and along a frequented thoroughfare, and reached the canal by a route the least exposed to view. The person who did it must have been familiar with the premises. It is almost certain the person was lying in wait for her. She did not see him, but said he clutch at her when she was passing the whole time. She was in the canal four hours instead of two, as at first reported. She is an adopted daughter of Smith's.

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