

Today's Ogden News

DESERTED WIFE COMMITTS SUICIDE

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Found Cold in Death in
Broom Hotel.

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District Court Hearings—Six Weddings
—Funeral of Miss Ella Mole
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Ogden, June 25.—Cold in death the lifeless body of Mrs. H. L. Cress of Portland, Or., was found lying in bed in room 3 at the Broom hotel at 10 o'clock last night with the deadly fumes of carbolic acid and chloroform permeating the room. Her death was the result of a suicide, it was ascertained by the coroner, who had no question been taken with suicidal intent. A cold-blooded letter from her husband stating that he had deserted her, was found crumpled up in a ball near by. This was undoubtedly the cause of the horrible deed.

That the woman was deliberate, calm and determined just before ending her life was evidenced by the fact that a bundle of rope was found lying on the floor which she bought for the purpose of hanging herself and finding no convenient place from which to swing, she later decided to end her life with poison.

One of the chambermaids at the hotel noticed that the light was burning in the room about noon yesterday. Later she returned and the door was locked. Still later in the evening as no response could be gotten from the chamber of death, Policeman Erickson was summoned and the door opened. On the table near the bed two empty bottles which contained chloroform and carbolic acid were found drained to the bottom, and the story of the manner in which the woman ended her existence was told.

On the dresser a sealed letter was found directed to Mr. James Buck, 267 East Thirtieth street, Portland, Oregon. Near by, written on a piece of paper, apparently with a firm hand, was, "Wire my people in Portland, Oregon. Mr. James Buck, 267 East Thirtieth street, Portland, Oregon."

When the body of the woman was found, life had been extinct several hours. Her husband registered with her Tuesday, and they were assigned to room 3. Tuesday night he deserted her, leaving the following letter behind:

"Mollie—You wire home, and get yourself a ticket and go home and stay there, for I am too unhappy to live with you. When you write to Portland you will find a letter which explains everything plainly. I am gone, but I don't know where, but do that much for me."
(Signed) "KIAH."

The body was taken to the Richey undertaking parlors, where an inquest will be held today. The relatives of the dead woman have been advised and the body will be held pending instructions from them.

Sheriff Wilson received a telegram this morning from J. F. Finley & Son, undertakers, Portland, Or., directing him to ship the body and express her effects to that firm. As yet no reply has been received from James Buck, the father of the unfortunate woman. As it was a case of suicide it is not believed that an inquest will be necessary.

HELD UP AND ROBBED.

Ogden, June 25.—Three stick-up men attacked Lewis Pence, a singer at Sylvan park, near the corner of Twenty-seventh street and Washington avenue, at about midnight last night, and after choking him severely, got away with a watch and chain, \$3 in money and two bottles of beer.

When Pence recovered from the brutal attack, he notified the police station, and Officers Chambers and Bob Burke were dispatched to the scene. But the robbers had made their getaway without leaving any clue. As the assault was made in the dark, the victim was unable to get a description of his assailants.

FLOODS THREATEN SANITARIUM.

For awhile yesterday it looked as though the Ogden Canyon sanitarium at the mouth of the canyon would be cut off from the rest of the world by a flood of water between the city and the canyon. Since the flood of a year ago when the river washed out the dam at the rear of the

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sanitarium and the river made its course in this old channel, nothing has been done toward the changing of the course of the river until the bridge at the mouth of the canyon is rebuilt. The irrigators in the western part of the county who have a canal coming out of the river near the mouth of the canyon, were desirous of turning the water down the old channel. If this should be done, there being no bridge across the river yet, it would mean that the resort would be completely isolated from the road of main travel. Manager Kuchler of the sanitarium company stated last evening that a complaint had been made between the city and sanitarium company as well as the canal companies that the river would not be turned into the main channel until the concrete bridge had been completed, which will probably be in about thirty days.

HEARINGS IN DISTRICT COURT.

Paul Lehman Found Guilty of Burglary—Barker Fish Pond Case.

Ogden, June 25.—Paul Lehman was found guilty in the district court yesterday afternoon of the crime of burglary in the second degree and recommended to the mercy of the court. Lehman is the man who was found under a bed in the home of Paul Marks, a deaf and dumb shoemaker residing on Adams avenue, about eight weeks ago. He is a German and it was necessary to call in an interpreter when he was on the stand. The sentence will be passed by the court Friday morning.

Martha Johnson, through her attorney, has filed a suit for divorce in the district court against Charles Johnson, alleging non-support and desertion. The complaint alleges that the couple were married in this city on July 4, 1904, and within a month afterward the defendant deserted his bride.

The case of the state of Utah against James Barker, charged with maintaining a fish pond contrary to the laws of the state, was concluded in the district court yesterday afternoon. Judge Howell stated that he would not render his decision until he had paid a visit to the fish pond.

In the estate of James Taylor, deceased, the inventory and appraisal was filed with the clerk of the court yesterday. It is valued at \$2,840, of which \$2,000 is real estate.

JOHN LAWSON ACQUITTED.

After Hearing Accusing Witnesses Jury Exonerates Prisoner.

Ogden, June 25.—John Lawson, a carpenter and builder of this city, was acquitted by a jury in the police court late yesterday afternoon, of the charge of improper actions with four little girls, who testified against him on the stand.

The case, which was of an unsavory nature, has been before the court for the past three days. On account of the non-appearance of the witnesses in the case, the prosecution had to be taken each day. Tuesday morning

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PARKER SCHOOL CONTRACTS.

Verl Jones Victim of Painful Accident—Bogus Check Man Caught.

Special Correspondence. Provo, June 24.—At the board of education session the bids for the remodeling of the Parker school were opened, and the contracts awarded. The Williams Plumbing company will put in the steam heating plant for \$1,939, and the general work will be done by Snyder & Towel for \$2,999.

The dates set for the examination of teachers were Aug. 24 and 25.

Sept. 8 was designated as the date for the opening of the schools.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Verl Jones, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T. Jones of the Second ward, met with a severe accident Tuesday. The little fellow was

on his way up to see the attractions of Strawberry day, when the team attached to the milk wagon of J. W. Taylor ran away and one of the horses fell upon the boy, breaking his leg between the ankle and the knee. The boy was taken to the hospital and the fracture reduced.

PASSED BOGUS CHECKS.

Sheriff Jesse Harmon returned from Burlington, Colo., yesterday with J. B. Hilderbrand, who is wanted for passing bogus checks in Utah, C. A. Thomas, of Colton, Utah. Two years ago, Hilderbrand represented himself to be a buyer of cattle, and passed the checks on the name of "Thomas. Before the paper was returned with the notice of "no good," he left for parts unknown. Last fall when under arrest for grand larceny at Burlington, Colo., the officers of Utah county got wind of him and as soon as he was liberated from prison he was arrested and brought here.

TOTS' CARNIVAL.

The Tots' carnival was repeated last evening at the Opera house and was one of the closing features of Strawberry day. It would be impossible to make mention of every feature with due amount of credit, for all the little ones were vigorously applauded.

EUREKA LIBRARY.

The local firm of Holm & Watkins was awarded the contract for the building of the Carnegie library at Eureka. The bid was for \$9,275. Green & Rees of Salt Lake, whose bid of \$1,245 for the heating plant were awarded the contract.

VICTIM OF DIPHTHERIA.

Dr. J. H. Slater, who left Friday for Chicago upon the advice that his son Herbert, who is 14 years old, was dangerously sick with diphtheria, arrived for him at the bedside when death came to relieve the patient of his suffering.

Joshua Ferris of Salem has been arrested on a statutory offense, and will be held to the district court under \$500 bond. The co-respondent in the case is Miss Delina E. Hank, who was some time ago held to the district court upon a serious charge.

SPECIAL COUNCIL SESSION.

Having met in an extra session the city council surprised themselves last night in the way in which they got down and dispatched the business that came up before them. The passing of five ordinances and the instructions given the street supervisor and the marshal to see that all private premises and the city streets are kept clean from the Canada thistle that is spreading very rapidly within the city.

The ordinances which were passed are an ordinance creating paving districts Nos. 2 to 12 inclusive between Center and Fourth North streets, and the extension of No. 2 in same district. The north sidewalk on Fifth North between Broadway avenue and Second West street.

An ordinance to prohibit the disposition of intoxicating liquors to minors, insane or idiotic persons, habitual drunkards, etc.

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JUNE WEDDINGS.

Eleven Couples Take Out Marriage Licenses—Bank Incorporates.

Special Correspondence. Logan, June 24.—Mrs. Chas. M. Dunlop has announced the engagement of her daughter Katherine to E. U. Larrigill of Soda Springs, the marriage to take place the third week in July at Salt Lake City.

The Richmond State bank filed its articles of incorporation yesterday with Clerk J. S. Larsen. The capital stock of the bank is \$25,000, divided into shares at the par value of \$100.

WEDDING PERMITS.

Marriage permits were issued to the following couples yesterday afternoon.

Albert G. Olofin and Alma E. Johnson, Logan.

Henry Rust, Logan; and Alice Crookston, Greenville.

John Elias Miller and Elizabeth Reader Booth, Wellsville.

Frank Edwin Skinner Sharon; Pauline Derrick, Liberty.

Georgia Deas, Dayton; Lenora Hulbert, Alta.

Geo. S. Keddington, Freedom; Ada C. Kimball, Thatcher.

CASTLE DALE.

DISTRICT COURT SITTING.

Cases Dismissed, Settled Out of Court and Continued.

Special Correspondence. Castle Dale, June 25.—The district court in session here yesterday. The town of Orangeville vs. Doll Peacock, appeal from justice's court, case was dismissed on account of defective papers.

Jasper McCallie vs. Wallie E. Garvin, action for damages; continued from last term; settled out of court.

Nathan Biddlecome vs. D. R. G. R. Company, appeal from Green River precinct, continued from last term; settled out of court, plaintiff paying the costs.

Isabella P. Jennings et al. vs. Emery county et al, action to quiet title. In this case the plaintiffs are trying to regain title to some coal land that was patented to them a great many years ago, and which had been sold to the county for taxes of 15 years ago; case continued to hear arguments in Salt Lake City at some date to be fixed by the court.

W. Ed. Tribble vs. F. P. Fullmer and Mat Warner, action for damages; continued from last term; settled out of court.

State of Utah ex rel. W. Edwin Tribble vs. Frank P. Fullmer, action to set aside judgment of the district court in this case sent a written dismissal of the case to the clerk of the court by Atty. E. E. Woods, acting for E. W. Tadlock, plaintiff's attorney, objected to this manner of disposing of the case, as he had not been paid for his services, or consulted about the dismissal. The case was not dismissed, but continued for the term.

The State of Utah, by Charles S. Tingley, secretary of state of the State of Utah, vs. Green River State bank, a corporation, receivership proceedings; continued.

Mabel E. Orem vs. Robert W. Hill and Lucinda Hill, receivership proceedings; continued.

G. W. Lauck vs. Robert Hill, action for the recovery of money; demurrer overruled and defendant given 30 days in which to answer.

State of Utah ex rel. E. G. DeFreix vs. William Howard and Peter E. Johnson; affidavit filed; case dismissed; no cause for action.

The divorce suits of Annie O. Sorenson vs. Hans Sorenson, Joseph Dumayne vs. Lilly I. Dumayne, and Geo. W. Middleton vs. Julia Middleton, were continued for the term.

In the matter of the estate of Benjamin Williams, final account, allowed.

In the matter of the estate of George Collingham, Abinadi Olsen appointed administrator.

In the matter of the estate of J. S. Tingley, sale of property confirmed.

In the matter of guardianship of Bryant A. and Maggie Moffitt, minors, application for order of sale allowed.

FEWER WOMEN THAN MEN COLOR BLIND.

"Where one in thirty women is slightly color blind one in five men is so."

The physician continued his experiments with the testing machine.

"You," he said, "can't tell green from blue, and are therefore defective, sir. But you are not absolutely color blind. Absolutely color blind persons are very, very rare. I have never seen one. He couldn't tell red from yellow or yellow from blue."

"Why are men's eyes less reliable than women's as regards colors. Some say it is the disease smoke that dulls and weakens them. I have noticed that non-smokers have a somewhat sharper vision."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

THE PUBLIC CAN AID.

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HILTON CASE SUBMITTED.

Judge Morse Now Has the Action for Decision.

The case of Anna F. A. Hilton, who is suing to recover a widow's share of the estate of the late Dr. John R. Park, was submitted to Judge Morse for decision yesterday. The case has now been in the courts six or seven years, and has gone through almost every variety of legal proceeding known to the catalogue. The suits have been brought to recover property which has been bequeathed, unlawfully, as plaintiff claims, to different parties without her signature attached to the deeds. The defendants in the actions are the present owners of the property, and are Mrs. Geo. E. Blair, R. W. Sloan, A. M. Anderson, Fred Stauffer, Elizabeth Geoghegan, E. Bierer, J. F. Cunningham and Salt Lake City corporation.

Between 20 and 30 years ago Mrs. Hilton, then a young girl, being very ill and thought to be dying, induced Dr. Park to marry her. Unexpectedly she recovered, but didn't live with Dr. Park, who gave her a Church divorce. She then married her present husband, Mr. Hilton, and had a family of children by him, during Mr. Park's lifetime, who were living when Dr. Park died.

CURED HEMORRHOIDS OF THE LUNGS.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bell. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and produces the most reliable results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by F. J. Hill Drug Co., "The Never Substitutors."

DESERTION IS CHARGED.

Leola Slifer has commenced suit in the Third district court for divorce from her husband, Claude J. Slifer, alleging desertion as ground for the action. The parties were married at Marshalltown, Ia., Jan. 5, 1906, and according to the complaint, defendant soon afterward began to show an ugly and vicious temper. She further alleges that on or about July 1, 1907, defendant deserted her and has failed to support her and the necessities of life since that date, although it is said to earn \$50 per month at his labor. Plaintiff asks for dissolution of the marriage bonds and further general relief.

GIBBS WANTS MORE PAY.

Gideon A. Gibbs is suing the Republican party for \$140 alleged to be due him for services performed during the last city campaign. Gibbs had charge of the preparation for the canvass of votes, and received for the service \$210. He now claims there is still due him amount sued for. James Devine, chairman of the city committee, and Harry S. Joseph, chairman of the finance committee, are the defendants in the suit.

VERDICT FOR CROMENES.

The jury in the case of J. W. Cromenes against the Salt Lake Route, in which he sought to recover \$20,000 damages for the death of his son, who was killed in an accident at the intersection of Seventh South and Third West streets last summer, awarded plaintiff \$4,000 damages in a verdict rendered yesterday afternoon. At 5 o'clock judgment had been reached by the jury, but Judge Ritchie instructed them to seal their verdict and return the same Thursday morning. Immediately afterward, however, the jury agreed on the amount and filed their verdict last evening.

CANNOT EXTEND LINE.

The petitioners favoring the movement have empowered Frederick Ruess, Julius Stephenson, M. J. Malmstrom, Neils Jacobson and J. C. Proctor to represent them in the proceedings, and Brigham Clegg, an attorney of this city, has been retained to present the matter to the court. The petitioners represent that they do not receive benefits from the municipality for the amount of taxes which they pay, and that they would be better taken care of by the county in many respects where the not covered by Murray City. They represent that the extension of the street car line through their portion of the city is blocked by one company, which make it unprofitable, if not impossible, for the company to extend its line beyond the terminus which is now situated at the northern edge of the district sought to be disconnected. They represent that the extension might easily be had were it not for the fact that it is alleged to be profitable for the city as now constituted, and that they do not wish to be thus compelled to pay city taxes on farms without receiving any of the benefits of city government.

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Carefully tucked away in the "third story" of the Walker bank building, on the busiest corner of the city, a gambling house has been running full blast under the very eyes of the police. This fact was revealed yesterday in an answer filed in the district court yesterday by J. M. Chapman to the suit brought against him by J. R. Levy for \$250 alleged to be due for rent. Chapman asserted in his answer that he "conducted" a "club" last year and leased the third story of the Walker bank building on Main street. Some time afterward two partners, Levy and one Nelson went into the business and a gambling house was conducted in the room. Chapman contends that Levy received his share of the profits of the game and that he has no rent coming.

BARBERS IN COURT.

Five persons charged with practicing the trade of barbers without first taking out a permit, were before Justice of the Peace Dana T. Smith yesterday afternoon. They were N. F. Ferguson, Earl Ferguson, Edwin Arnold, Max Jones and R. G. Matthews. The last named two pleaded guilty and sentence was suspended. The others pleaded not guilty. All the defendants claimed they had repeatedly gone to the barber shop of Perley A. Hill, secretary of the state board of barber shop inspectors for the purpose of taking out a license, but each time they went to the shop they claim Hill was out, and they were unable for that reason to obtain the coveted permit.

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