NEWS OF THE WEST.

A Singular Chain of Incidents in a Colorado Livery Stable.

A RIO GRANDE BRAKEMAN KILLED.

Troublesome Gang of Rustlers.—$800 Worth of Diamonds Picked Up in the Street.

Burlington, Eastern Colorado, has just has completed a $10,000 floor mill.

From Lupton, near Denver, during the past season, 1,080,612 pounds of honeydew were shipped to market.

The San Luis valley people confidently count on the reopening of the Villa Pass railroad route next spring.

Burglars broke into the depot at Spanish Fork the other morning, blew open the safe and took away with them about $200.

All Custer county, Colo., pays $3 each to the voters. One year in the form of election expenses under the general law.

Moab, in the San Luis valley, is becoming noted for its excellent brand of flour. Its new mill runs night and day now.

W. H. McCormick, a Rio Grande brakeman, was killed while coupling cars on Wednesday at Villa Grove, Colo.

At Natrona, Wyo., last week $1,000 head of sheep sold at from $2.35 to $2.80 per head, which is said to be a ridiculously low price for sheep.

The sick list in Hailey, Idaho, is said to be quite so lengthy that it is difficult to remember a portion of the names upon it.

The Colorado City Oil company filed articles of incorporation. The company will operate in El Paso with a capital stock of $100,000.

Rio Blanco county, Colorado, complains of the great cost of elections under the present state election law. The expense this year was double that of previous elections.

Cheyenne is anticipating the removal of the international revenue office of the district from Denver to Cheyenne. It is not known when the transfer will be made.

The grand jury at Helena, Mont., has made a return vigorously scoring the methods of doing business followed by certain bank officers, who were at the same time indicted and held for trial.

Saguache, Colo., will soon have a storage reservoir covering about 200 acres. There is about little dispute over the price of the site, but when that is settled the work on the valuable improvement will be commenced.

The Stinking Water creek, in Northern Wyoming, will be drained into a large irrigating canal, to bring into cultivation 100,000 acres of fine land in the Big Horn basin. The work is to be commenced at once by Omaha capitalists.

Butte, Mont., relies over its prosperous outlook. Its winter pay roll is said to be larger than that of any other city of less than 100,000 inhabitants, and there is more money per capita in circulation in Butte than in any city in America.

Plateau valley, north of Grand Junction, Colo., contains about 15,000 acres of rich land, 60,000 of it under irrigation canals. This valley wants settlers and enterprise to develop it, and there all it needs is a road to connect it with Grand Junction.

H. M. Hirsekman filled himself by hanging in Davenport's livery stable at Silver Cliff, Colo., on Wednesday night. He lived in the north edge of Hinsdale county. He had been on a drinking and gambling spree for a week. This is the second suicide in that stable and its former owner committed in Pueblo.

The beet harvest is all in and shipped—175 car loads in all from Springville. The loads averaged twenty tons per car, making 3500 tons, at $4.75 per ton, a grand total of $16,910. The beet crop averaged this year in Springville ten tons per acre, against eight last year. The largest yield was twenty-five tons on one acre, raised by James Strang, the lowest yield four tons upon one acre.—*Springville Independent.*

One of Lehi's oldest citizens has just passed away at the rise old age of 85, says the Lehi Banner. He came to Lehi in 1856 and has lived here ever since. In early days he was a very active member in the choir and was leader of the martial band for a number of years. He was of a cheerful and agreeable disposition and had a good word for all. His life has been one of activity, and notwithstanding his age he has been able to support himself and wife up to the time of his death.

Says the Owyhee (Idaho) Avalanche: From reliable information received this week, it looks as though a renewed activity is in store for the Diamond fields during the present winter. Our readers will remember the intense excitement which prevailed last winter in the vicinity of Diamond Basin, in which nearly the whole country was located and two or three hundred claims put on into stakes. With the coming of spring the excitement ceased as quickly as it began, and the diamond country was deserted by everybody.

There is a gang of hoodlums in this city, says the Ephraim Enterprise, that is badly in need of a few lessons in common decency. They will congregate in crowds on the street corners, and it matters not how many ladies wish to pass, they will compel them to walk into the street to get by, and they are not very choice in their language either. If these fellows have no moral decency about them, the sturdy arm of the law should teach them and compel them to acquire decency. There is an ordinance covering such cases and the marshal should make an example of some of these fellows.

A petrified woman is the latest relic of interest in the museum room at San Francisco. She is the joint property of Max Gutz and Richard U. Dougall, who lately formed a partnership in their business in substitution. Gutz now remembers that he neither has sole possession of the woman, who is represented to be in a box at Mission street. The plaintiff says that when he visited the place and attempted to see the partnership property Dougall shut him off at the outset at a gallop. He demands that the petrified lady be sold, and that he have judgment for his share of the proceeds.

Last week we say, says the Denver News, that $50 diamonds could be picked up on the streets. A similar report Monday, and on the other morning, however, at the corner of Nineteenth and Arapahoe streets. It took it to a jeweler for appraisement, and he was reported as saying the diamonds, Stockmen J. W. Mason has been losing quite a lot and set to recover just such a stone, which he claimed to have entrusted to a bartender friend on new Brighton with break the night before. In fairly he claimed that he had not seen the stone this and said he had it in his pocket. He said his property were late rustlers, and the cripple was the only one who got hot.

The case of Charles Knight, who mysteriously disappeared from Rifle, Idaho, last December, and whose badly decomposed remains were found in Snake river last May, will be thoroughly investigated by the grand jury next week. Knight, who was a cowboy, was living with a man named Delgrin, the miles from Rifle. Delgrin came to Knight's room in the city and got his partner's papers and said that Knight was coming out on a prospecting tour. Nothing further was seen or heard of him until his remains were found in the river. The papers were found in Delgrin's house, explanations given by Delgrin are obviously false, and it is thought will be Knight's murder the contents of his partner's safe, and a thorough investigation will be held.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court in and for Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah Watson, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT James Watson and Hyde Watson, executors of the estate of Sarah Watson, deceased, have rendered for settlement and filed in said court their final account of administration of said estate and petition for final distribution of the residue of said estate among the persons entitled thereto, and that Tuesday, the 5th day of December, A. D. 1893, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the County Court House, Salt Lake City and county, Utah Territory, has been duly appointed by the Judge of said court, for the hearing of said account and said petition, at which time and place any person interested may appear and contest said petition.

Dated November 16, 1893.

H. T. MELOY,
Clerk of the Probate Court.
By J. P. JAYNE, Deputy.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Minnetonka Placer Mining Company, for the election of officers for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, in the City of Salt Lake, County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1893, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

JOHN W. FOX, JR.,
Secretary.

NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING of the Salt Lake and Park City Mining Consolidated, at office of the same, in the Dexter Safe Deposit Vault, Monday, December 11, 1893, at 2 p. m. Important business to be transacted.

H. S. CLARKSON,
Sec. & Treas.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Delinquent Assessment Notice, Sixth Judge Tunnel Company.

Office, Room 10 and 11 Commercial Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE! THERE ARE DELINQUENT assessments on the following described stock in the Sixth Judge Tunnel Company, levied by the board of trustees of said company, on the 3rd day of November, 1893, for the purpose of constructing said tunnel upon a proportionate number of acres and adjacent mining claims, as well as upon a proportionate number of said company's claims in said tunnel, and payable in United States gold coin, to the secretary, at the office of said company, in the City of Salt Lake, County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, on the 15th day of December, 1893, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, will be sold at public auction, at the office of said company, in the City of Salt Lake, County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, on the 15th day of December, 1893, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to pay the delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Name	No. of Certificate	No. of Shares	Amount
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