

NEWS OF THE WEST.

A Mexican Desperado Shot Because He Would Not Surrender.

ANOTHER ABUNDING DEBTOR.

Bills to Brighton City Council—Bills for the Taxpayers of Brighton.

County, etc.

The country, territorial and state taxes or taxes county amount to \$3,173,100 this year.

The Rocky Mountain, Denver and Pueblo savings bank of Ogallala will probably reopen in a few days.

The Millard county B. & R. Co. has removed from Davis to Goshen. The paper obtained much recently and is now owned by Millard county men.

West haulers working in the canyon near Brighton City have been greatly annoyed for hours. A party went up in the canyon Saturday evening and found the Edwards road closed to the greatest advantage. The gate was set by H. Royle, 21 and H. Tolson 11. Peter Lofgren a determined man, but rather a mischievous one, was the chief agent and got control of the gate. At present—F. Lofgren, H. C. Tolson, D. Johnson, A. Johnson.

Rock River, Sioux City, Kansas, and Lee Brothers, right, H. Tolson (capital) center, O. Pechard and L. Warren, left.

Governor Hughes of Arizona has appointed the following delegates to the Southwestern Irrigation conference which will meet in Los Angeles October 10th: Edward M. Bangs, Tucson, Ariz.; W. H. Tracy, Phoenix, Ariz.; J. W. Morris, Phoenix, Ariz.; V. V. Vail, Yuma, Ariz., and L. A. Ihssen, Yuma.

The First National bank of Grand Junction, of which Mr. George Arthur Rice is president, has remitted back taxes. On the first day of opening the deficit exceeded the disbursements by \$1,000. Mr. Rice has remitted the amount in excess of the deficit, and is now writing to the tax collector to remit the balance.

A. L. Stewart, chief deputy in the office of the street superintendent at Los Angeles has succeeded after losing the office twice. His total salary is \$17,000. Stewart is a mere boy, but has been a constant worker and is now writing to the tax collector to remit the amount in excess of the deficit.

The Davis county court has made a move to relieve at least in a measure the overburdened taxpayer in that county. At the last session of the court, 1900, it was appropriated to expand on the railroad, which will require the payment of county taxes, which will be received as cash in 1902, instead of taxes.

A meeting of railroads and business men of Fresno, Cal., irrespective of party, has been called to meet September 26th, to take steps to communicate to the Ways and Means Committee of Congress the need of a bill to expand the tariff on cotton and tobacco.

State Treasurer. Name of Colorado has turned in to Governor Nichols his report for the quarter ending August 30. It shows expenditures of approximately \$2,500,000 of cash, plus \$2,250,000 in state bank credit, resulting in a balance of \$2,100,000.

Fear of Park City's big men covered the last week that while they were holding a meeting they would go to the Chinese hill and get a lot of wood, says the Park City Record. They got a team and started forth and after spending three days breaking two wagons they announced the job was done and they had to go home. The question now is, "who pays for the wagons?"

Mr. Dawson is busily engaged writing in preparation for the plant he will soon open in San Diego, Calif., where he has converted his wife, Miss Charlotte, Whitchurch of action is to make him come to take care of the details. The couple are living on the waves at San Fran. Mr. Allison, Jr., in the master and representative of the city visited Ogallala for legal advice and directions. No developments this week.

On Sunday night George Dawson, who has been in Ogallala, returned to San Fran. From the San Joaquin, he is going down as far as San Diego, Calif., where he has converted his wife, Miss Bert Hawley, and intimate friend, Dawson, into a bachelor, raised at the saloon, and has been drinking with the women and young, whistling on the streets, evidently, reciting his ankles, impaling his body, breaking his arms, and thereby inflicting himself injury. From that he is exacting the services of the police, who have followed by throngs. The issue was presented from San Fran. He returned to his wife and attempted to kill her, but the police took him away. He is thought to be insane. Dawson and his wife have been separated some months.

Among the possible industries of Northern California in coming years is to be the manufacture of nitric acid. This acid, says Paul Robert Hunt, exists in the form of several strong acids, such as sulfuric, hydrochloric, and nitric acids, which are used in the manufacture of gunpowder, explosives, and similar articles.

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