# THE CULLEN CLOSES.

## Its Proprietor, S. C. Ewing, Makes an Assignment.

THE LIABILITIES ARE $47,211 20.

George Collins Named as Assignee.—The Assets Include Valuable Property.

The Big Cullen hotel, owned by Matt Cullen, and operated under lease by Sam C. Ewing, is in the hands of an assignee. The assignment was made this afternoon, and George Collins, the attorney man, was named as assignee, and took hold of the premises for the benefit of the creditors.

There are three classes of the latter under one deed of assignment. The first consists of the employes of the hotel and bar, thirty-eight in number. The aggregate indebtedness to these on note $946.83.

The second class aggregates $15,000, and is for money borrowed from various parties in this city.

The third class aggregates $22,194.53, and is to various parties, merchants and others, chiefly in this city.

The total amount of liabilities is $37,211.20. The license of the year when the assignment was made expended, giving a full list of creditors this evening.

The assets consist of bar accounts, bills receivable, mining stock, real estate and hotel and bar fixtures, the total valuation of which is considerably in excess of the liabilities.

### AMONG THE RETAILS.

The Silver Delegates Who Go to Chicago and Washington.

As the NEWS announced yesterday would be the case, the executive committee appointed by Governor West on chairman of the silver mass meeting arrived at a conclusion last evening as to who would receive credentials as delegates to the Chicago and Washington silver conventions. Out of the list of sixty gentlemen invited, twenty-six delegates have been secured, and this evening will receive their credentials. The names of those selected to go are as follows:

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| Charles Read, | James Chipman, |
| John G. Parratt, | T. R. Marsey, |
| H. W. Lawrence, | Philo T. Farnsworth, |
| J. L. Rawlins, | E. J. Hoggins, |
| H. Dwight Cannon, | H. A. Cohen, |
| Fred Fisher, | E. A. McDonald, |
| David Eccles, | William M. Henry, |
| John Reid, | Charles Crane, |
| J. C. D. Rich, | A. C. McDaniel, |
| A. F. Holden, | L. C. Trask, |
| C. E. Weaks, | A. E. Hyde, |
| A. Heneger, | W. Y. Rice, |
| Thomas Kearns, | C. C. Goodwin, |
| William F. Jenks, | A. H. Emery, |
| H. P. Henderson, | C. E. Allen, |
| Ezra Thompson, | |

The delegates meets at 8 o'clock this evening for the purpose of effecting an organization, and all will have for Chicago in a day or two, though they will not leave in a body. They will be furnished transportation as far as the Missouri river by the Union Pacific railway.

The convention at Chicago is called for August 1st, but it is understood that there will be no active work until the 3rd, as there is so much of preparation necessary. For this latter reason it is desirable that the Utah delegates be on hand promptly. Today the Colorado delegation is two in number, and some of the Montana delegates are already on the field. The idea has been that a delegation named by the executive committee should go, and from the other and equally earnest workers for the cause of silver.

THE COPPER BANKS.

The efforts to obtain a quorum at the meeting called by the citizens' trustees for the copper bonds had having failed, other means were taken, and with better success, to secure the consent of a majority of the owners to have the $25,000 appropriated by the city returned, and to take $25,000 in bonds in lieu thereof. As there is now a population to change several features of the bonds, thereby making them a new issue, if this is adopted the copper plant men are likely to be a little careful before accepting any obligations that are in excess of the present borrowing capacity of the city.

WANTS THE GOVERNOR TO GO.

Boise, Idaho, Statesman: Governor Richards, of Montana, has addressed a communication to Governor McConnell suggesting a new silver movement. It goes to all the governors of the silver states to attend the coming session of Congress to submit the white metal issue. Governor McConnell heartily endorses such a move.

UNEARTHING A TREASURE.

The usually quiet town of Statesville, Iredell county, California, is wrought up over the reported discovery of a large amount of buried silver near Congress Springs by a party of the Spaniards. The mysterious movements of the Spaniards since a few weeks ago, caused the finding of currency, that now have waylaid their movements, several nightly lights were seen by people among the trees south of Statesville. Crawling on their hands and knees they approached and congregated the men engaged with mattocks and shovels in digging among the roots of a medium-sized live oak, standing on an otherwise barren hill, a place that has been considered for many years. Look up from the vicinity of the hotel there has been a depression in the mountain, and many have called attention thereto as resembling the cause. After watching a number of days in the waterfront, it was ascertained that the work is at a pick, who was heard to exclaim and who began to unbuckle his belt, pointing to the place where the pick had struck something hard. Men then commenced to dig at this place and their labors resulted in the finding of a ranged rotten oak, which fell to pieces when it was touched, exposing a large amount of rotten gold. The watchers required a share of the treasure the cause of their watching in this particular. They answered that they had their pressed as old Spanish dollars which they showed the watchers, which had been left to them by an old Spanish woman whom they had befriended in her old age, and whose death occurred in Mexico several years ago. The watchers not being familiar with Spanish money they were unable to correctly estimate the amount of money found, but say that taking American gold as a basis for estimation there must have been at least $12,000 in the box. After dividing the money among themselves the Spaniards departed across the Rocky Creek mountains, going toward Dunlap creek, and the watchers returned to Saratoga. The next day a number of persons visited the spot, and upon close scrutiny it was discovered that the tree beneath which the treasure had been found was marked with a heart and cross.

NOTES.

Logan Nation: A company of Richmond citizens with A. H. Harris as chief engineer are working the Richmond, Nettie and Old Hatchet mining properties for all there is in them. The mines are producing very good ore. Specimens from the Nettie run 76 3-10 per cent lead, 6 1-10 per cent silver and $1.60 in gold to the ton. This mine has a wonderful lead of this kind of ore. In the Old Hatchet a fourteen vein of galena ore has been struck, and the size of the vein is increasing as depth is attained. Out of the Richmond the company is extracting some very fine steel galena. The company express rents to make shipments from the mines, and are highly elated over their prospects.

Silver City Journal: We are informed by Superintendent Frederick Irwin, of the Lucky and Pittsburg Mining and Milling company, that the company's mill will be started today or tomorrow. Our readers will remember that the property was completely shut down on July 1st, when the price of silver fell from 82 to 67 cents. Enough ore is mined to keep the mill running steadily until the middle of August, and it is hoped by the company, as well as every one in the camp, that before that time the "powers that be" will have brought about a change which will enable the owners to see their way clear to resume operations in the mines and keep the mill running steadily. The Spider Jack is one of our largest and richest producers, but its value is so largely in silver that present prices render it impossible for it to be worked at a profit. The management has extensive improvements under way at the time of their suspension, and the property will be put in shape so that work can be commenced until the monetary question is settled. The men who were employed in the mill at the time it shut down are given work again, and are now back on the payroll.

SALT LAKE CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's exchanges amounted to $[illegible].

SILVER QUOTATIONS.

New York—Silver, [illegible] bid, $0.80.
London—Silver, [illegible].

ORE AND BULLION.

Wells Fargo & Co. received today: Mingo bullion, $[illegible].
Meredith & Co. received today: Hancock bullion, $[illegible].
T. R. Jones & Co. received today: Bullion, $[illegible]; ores, $2400. Total, $[illegible].

### Gurney Cab Accident.

About half past two o'clock this afternoon as a gurney cab was being driven across Third West street on First South, having been to the Utah Novelty depot, a stranger galloped across the street on a high spirited horse and dashed into the carriage. The horse became frightened and the trouble was caused from the conveyance. Then followed a lively runaway in which the driver, H. D. Adams saved himself from serious injury by jumping out. The team turned northward and ran over a sidewalk and a hitching post in front of Summerhays & Company's warehouse. They were finally captured at the U. P. depot.

### He Didn't Show Up.

A young sport giving the name of John Lowell, who has been passing himself off as an insurance agent got into trouble with a disreputable female on Franklin avenue last night and was taken to jail. He succeeded in inducing Servant Eslinger to accompany him to the residence of a well known physician on Third South street, who advanced $10 as temporary bail money and on the promise that he would appear in the Police court this morning at 10 o'clock; but he did not keep his word, and now the generous-hearted disciple of Aesculapius is mourning the loss of his money.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

Correspondence Deseret News.

WASHINGTON, July 24, 1893.—Secretary Gresham must regard his prospects for receiving the Democratic nomination in 1896 as well as for being elected as unusually good, or he would not have declined to accept an appointment to the Supreme Court vacancy, which his friends say he has done within the last few days. Your correspondent is inclined to believe with the late Senator Carpenter who once expressed the opinion that no man had ever declined a seat on the bench of the United States Supreme Court yet even if he wasn't, this Gresham story doesn't exactly dovetail with the one that came from a similar source a few days ago, saying that he had been promised that he should be the administration candidate for President. Now, one or the other of these stories is wrong, and it would not be surprising to find that both are. If President Cleveland had promised to make Secretary Gresham the candidate of his party in 1896 what sense was there in his tendering him the present vacancy on the Supreme court? There would not be the slightest, unless the President regarded the first promise and might to keep it by putting Secretary Gresham on the bench.

The names of Secretary Carlisle and Attorney General Olney are also mentioned in the gossip in connection with that Supreme court vacancy. They haven't been offered the place, but, according to the aforesaid gossip, they would like to be. It doesn't require any special knowledge to make that sort of a statement. There are probably at least 100,000 lawyers in the United States who would be delighted to have this place tendered to them and doubtless Messrs. Carlisle and Olney, also Revell and Hoke Smith are among the number.

Suppose Mr. Cleveland in his message to Congress, "asked a treasury official, should he nominate as a candidate for the Supreme court law a bill providing for the free coinage of silver?" Suppose the sky were to fall? Perhaps the gentleman with whom he was conversing. "You were nonsensical, but you need not be," was the reply, "for I can assure you that Mr. Cleveland is now earnestly considering that very thing, the silver so-called to be drafted in the legal terms specified by one hundred dollars of property, [illegible]. Mind you, I do not say that he will make such a recommendation, only that he is considering that among other proposed substitutes for the Sherman law, have the short cut to the goal which that it will be impossible to secure the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, and being desirous of making known to Congress what sort of a substitute will be acceptable to the administration."

Speculation as to President Cleveland's message occupies a considerable portion of the time of those congressmen who are already here, and everybody who is likely to have any information on the subject is closely questioned. Few people have succeeded in finding out in advance any of President Cleveland's actions—it is said that some times all of the members of the cabinet do not know until the thing is done—and for that reason impressions are not to be relied upon in predicting what the message will contain. Those who have talked with him express the belief that it will be confined exclusively to financial matters, and that everything else will be left over for his message in the regular session, beginning in December. There is no doubt that Mr. Cleveland is somewhat with most people would like the extra session to be a short one, but he has little or no idea that it will be. There are twenty good reasons why the extra session will be prolonged to the opening of the regular session, and none for its being a short one. Labor is not reason, in politics or in anything else.

That Comptroller Eckels is an ambitious young man has become apparent to the most casual observer, but it somehow seems to be felt that his ambition soared so high as the treasury portfolio, but that is what the politicians around Washington are saying just now. Mr. Eckels is known to make very strong personal friendships with President Cleveland and Secretary Lamont, and he is said to be strong if he can be known to strong enough the appointment of Secretary Carlisle to the Supreme Court vacancy and his place to Secretary Carlisle's successor. It appears at first glance to be an impossible combination, but what appears impossible yesterday is often accomplished today, particularly in politics.

### WITHIN OUR GATES.

Citizen Frank J. Cannon took a run down from Ogden today on business bent. He returned home this afternoon.

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Park City's enterprising mutation Dispatch of A. B. Emery and W. V. Rice, who are industriously engaged within the walls of the Knutsford.

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J. C. Carlisle, a mercantile citizen of Franklin, just beyond the Utah line and the nearest town to us in Idaho, came in and took quarters at the Morgan. He is accompanied by his wife.

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Douglas Whitney, who in the days of a double salaried of theatricals in this city was one of a whole menagerie of queer horses, looked apparently to have not care today. He represents a San Francisco paper and looks as well and debonair as ever.

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The Templeton [illegible] among the guests at Garfield Beach are W. S. Cole and wife of Graniteville. They find the temperature somewhat better than they would if they had come a week earlier.

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Bishop Thomas J. Stevens is in our city today. He is accompanied by Ernest L. Stevens of the same place, who is the resident agent for Oakes of the Westchester Fire Insurance company and the Reciprocal German Insurance company, and is attending to business connected with the companies since.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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## COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

[illegible]

Money quiet 4 to 5 per cent per diem and closed, last offer 3½. Sterling Exchange firm with no actual sales. Posted rates [illegible]. Government bonds [illegible]. Silver [illegible].

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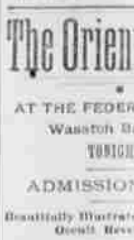

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