COMBINE IN COURT.

Testimony Taken From a Number of Witnesses Today.

MEMBERS DENY THE AGREEMENT

To Monopolize the Business Was Entered Into—Alys to Plead to a Charge of Counterfeiting.

Testimony was taken today in the United States district court in the case against E. L. Carpenter and others, members of the Salt Lake Coal Exchange. The indictment against the defendants was found by the grand jury over a year ago and charges that the members of the exchange entered into an unlawful combination to maintain the price of coal to consumers at any figure the members chose to fix, and to prevent other persons from buying and selling coal, thus unlawfully restraining trade contrary to the statutes of the United States.

This morning T. R. Kilbourne, J. M. Moore, J. R. Hickman, Thomas Fleetpent, J. W. Whitehead Jr., A. L. Williams, F. B. Shelly, John H. Rowe, Thomas P. Lewis and James Hagney were sworn and testified for the prosecution, understanding the allegations set forth in the indictment.

T. R. Kilbourne, E. C. Miller, Simon Bamberger, J. M. Moore, E. L. Carpenter and Frank Haim were called for the defense and testified to the effect that no such an agreement as that alleged in the indictment had been entered into between the defendants, members of the coal combine.

Further testimony in the case was being taken this afternoon. The outcome will be watched with interest.

ACCUSED OF COUNTERFEITING.

Henry Rye was brought before the court at noon, at which time, according to Judge Hallett's order, the defendant was to plead to an indictment charging him with making, having in his possession and passing counterfeit $5 coins. Attorney Hamilton, who having been admitted to practice in the United States courts, appeared for Rye and asked that his client be given until Monday next to prepare for pleading, as he was not yet ready to do so.

Judge Judd, for the government, desired that as unnecessary delay be had in the case because he desired the trial to be put down for about the middle of December.

His honor, Judge Marshall, who occupied the bench after noon in the coal combine case, ordered that Rye be brought before the court at 10:30 on Monday to plead to the indictment, the reading of which was dispensed with until that time.

WILL IT BE "CAPTAIN SHEETS?"

Mayor Glendinning, It is Said, Would Like Him to Succeed Newman.

Now that Mayor Glendinning has succeeded in getting the Council to sustain the police ordinance veto, municipal and other officials are casting about for a successor to Captain Newman. It is stated from an apparently authoritative source that a gentleman has been slated for the position in the person of Detective George A. Sheets. It is claimed that Sheets has the support of Mayor Glendinning and that he will be entirely pacified for the place by the city's chief executive.

The purpose of Sheets's selection is said to be based on a desire to avoid possible friction in naming an officer from the regular force. In the meantime the public is waiting and wondering if the vacancies in the fire and police board will ever be filled. And the mention of this question brings to mind the fact that another assault is expected to be made on the fire and police law in the coming Legislature.

A VETERAN'S FUNERAL.

Remains of Pioneer John Brown Laid to Rest.

Special Correspondence to the NEWS.

PLEASANT GROVE, Nov. 5, 1896.—The funeral services over the remains of Patterson John Brown were held in the First Ward meeting house today, the house being packed with those who had learned to love Brother Brown for his many noble acts in life. On the stand were, of the quorum of the Twelve, Elders F. M. Lyman and George Teasdale, the Stake presidency and members of the High Council, Bishops of the Wards and many visiting brethren. The singing of appropriate pieces by the choir which had been selected was rendered in a most praiseworthy manner. Remarks were made by Brother Reed Smoot of the Stake presidency, Bishop Thorne of the First Ward, followed by Elders Lyman and Teasdale all of whom spoke of the life and labors of Brother Brown in terms most gratifying to those who knew him. The call boats were the presidents of the 16th quorum of Seventy. The remains were buried in the Salt Lake City plot by a large procession and the dedicatory prayer at the grave was offered by Elder Lyman.

A feeling of thankfulness seemed to be manifest by the people that they had been acquainted with this noble and good man.

In the evening Elder Lyman spoke to the Saints in the First Ward and Elder Teasdale spoke in the second ward. Their visit was much appreciated by the Saints.

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HENRY LEWIS CUT.

He Is Stabbed Across the Neck With a Razor.

A cutting scrape in which Henry Lewis, a colored man, was the victim, took place at Kitty Fairchild's bagnio on Commercial street last evening.

About 8 o'clock in the evening a gang of sheep-herders called at the Fairchild resort and began to drink, dance and be merry. One of them in his overjoyed condition set fire to a chair in the house, which Kitty demanded him to pay for. He refused point-blank to liquidate the claim made upon him when Kitty called in Lewis, the porter, to help her straighten out matters. The result is a football in which one of the sheep-herders pulled a razor from his pocket and gave Lewis a slash across the right side of the neck. The men then made good their escape.

Lewis after being cut ran over to the White House drug store where Dr. McKenna stopped the flow of blood and dressed his wounds. He was then removed to his room on the corner of State and Second South streets, where he will probably be will recover in a day or two. It was a narrow escape, however.

IOSEPA SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Elders George Goddard and George Reynolds Visit the Sunday School of Iosepa, Skull Valley.

In accordance with previous arrangements Elders George Goddard and George Reynolds arrived at Iosepa on the evening of November 7th for the purpose of attending the Sunday school on the following day. Assistant Superintendent George Goddard was unavoidably absent from the school and it was thought by the children that Santa Claus had arrived out of season and was about to make his home before Christmas. Elder Goddard had his photographic outfit and the floor will contain a great letter by mailing it post paid to Iosepa, Salt Lake City, or by leaving it with Brother Cluff at Iosepa.

Pleasant morning the Iosepa school house was filled to its utmost capacity with the Sunday school members, consisting of men, women and children—every member of the colony belongs to the school.

A program arranged for the occasion was carried out, interspersed by speeches and singing by Elders Goddard, Reynolds and Cluff. Elder Goddard, of course, sang the singing and making the other amusements which was equally as entertaining to the Hawaiian Sunday school as to an English speaking people. In the evening the Saints, about 400, met gathered at the residence of Elder H. H. Cluff and discussed music, both vocal and instrumental.

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Last and all the time Hood's Sarsaparilla has been advertised as a blood purifier. Its great success has been accomplished through purified blood—cures of scrofula, salt rheum, eczema, rheumatism, neuralgia, catarrh, dyspepsia, that tired feeling. It cures when others fail, because it

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M'DONALD SENTENCE

Will Serve Four Months Imprisonment in the State Prison.

THE BAILEY BANK CASES IN COURT.

The Defense Seeks to Set Aside Each Indictment—Rehearing Denied—Sentence Pronounced.

Upon a remittitur from the supreme court Judge Hiles today sentenced Frank McDonald to serve four months in the State prison for the shooting of Emil Hackenbrock.

The Baron Cases.

In the criminal court today the attorneys for James H. Rice and others interposed a motion in each case to set aside the indictment in all cases heard up to press time with the exception of one, which was dismissed. All the indictments charge the defendants with having obtained money, checks, drafts or other valuable under false pretenses while acting as officers of the defunct Bank of Salt Lake. Up to the time the NEWS report closed eleven cases out of the thirty-two which were scheduled for today had been taken up and arguments in support of the motion to set aside the indictment in each case were heard by Judge Hiles. Mr. Whitemore prosecuted the government's side of the cases and argued against the motions.

Again Postponed.

On request of the defendant's attorneys Judge Hiles again postponed sentence in the case of Wm. Metz, Saturday next was set as the time when the defendant must hear his fate.

Rehearing Denied.

The Supreme court today denied the petition for a rehearing in the case of Elizabeth Simpson, respondent, vs the American Fire Insurance Co., appellant.

In this case the point was made in the appellant's petition for rehearing on the question of proof of loss, that the insurance company did not disclaim liability under the policy, and to be binding, would after the time which proof of loss should have been furnished under the contract.

The denial of the petition is written by Judge Baricn and he concurred in by Chief Justice Zane. Justice Miner is of opinion that a rehearing should be granted, and throws dissents.

Two Cases Disposed Of.

A verdict for defendants was today found by Judge Bricnle in the case of William Perego vs Silver King Mining company.

Judgment by default was allowed in the foreclosure suit of Stephen Hunter vs D. M. Weber.

THE GREEN BAG.

All terms in Judge Street's court have been exhausted till Monday next.

Adam Patterson has been excused from jury service in the Federal court.

The United States cases against Jno. F. Miller and Walter E. Hall, each on a bond, has been dismissed in the Federal court.

The findings of the jury in the case of John Enslen et al vs Salt Lake City have been vacated and judgment for $500 and costs entered for the plaintiff.

A marriage license was today issued to John W. Whittle of Murray and Jessette Mackrill of Taylorville. The couple were married by Commissioner Geizer.

The Strawberry Valley Cattle company the morning filed suit against Anice Mosher to collect $250 alleged to be due on a promissory note. Richards & Richards are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Lewis T. Merrill has commenced suit against Collector Spencer, asking the court to enjoin the latter from collecting any of the taxes of Salt Lake county, alleging that such collection and the levy authorizing it are illegal.

The supreme court has handed down an opinion in the case of Daniel Dwyer et al, plaintiffs, vs Salt Lake Copper Manufacturing company and Abraham Emmons, trustee, respondents, and Otto Salmann, appellant. The opinion affirms the judgment of the lower court.

A DELAYED LETTER.

But It Tells an Interesting Story of Floods and Mining in Southern Utah.

Moab, Grand Co., Utah, October 24, 1896.

To the Editor:

I left here last week and made a trip to the Blue Mountains. Although I had traveled over the country for the last twelve years there were places where the country looked as if it had not seen it before. It had been cut up so with the floods of last month. Where I have my reservoir in Dry Valley the water came down the mesa five and six feet deep during the week, which is a general thing carries all the water. Where I had commenced to farm the valley is half a mile wide and the water was six feet deep over the whole place. The levee which I had saved the first of September was covered up, as was 30d. The water from there runs down to the Hatch wash, then into what is called the Kane Springs wash, which empties into the Grand river two or a half miles below Moab and comes through a box canyon for some distance where the rocks tower a thousand to fifteen hundred feet above the wash, which had grown so enlarged that there was not room for them covering so much ground. Now there is not a tree left. There are places in Hatch wash where for four or five miles the wash was not from 25 to 40 feet deep and from 50 to 300 feet wide. That is a large body of dirt to be moved in such a short space of time. Scientists now try to convince me by certain things which they can see, but if a rain storm as we had in September should hit for days the country would be changed so no person would know the most familiar place he had been acquainted with.

I was at the Gold Queen mill while at the Blue Mountains. They have a substantial mill and the machinery. The tramway and everything was expected to be ready to start in about five days. There is a great future for the Blue Mountain mining camp. There are many claims located. I have that if one in ten will pay it will be one of the leading gold camps of the State. There have been several leads that the rock goes $20. It is free milling rock, and is soft and will not require much work to crush.

O. W. WAGNER.

LOOKING OUT.

Salt Lake Is Cautioned Against Wrought Up Over Recent Hold-Ups.

The citizens of Salt Lake appear to be somewhat wrought up over the recent holdups perpetrated in this city. They are said to keep a pretty sharp look-out when they go out at night, lest some murderous cuss in taking out the advantage of them. In the opinion certain districts of the city the situation is worse than nearer the center, as for several nights past the electric lights have failed to shed forth their shining radiance. Time far, however, the desperadoes have plied their vocations in a more neutral direction, not all of which there seems to be no special thanks due to the electric light company.

As an evidence of the care that these home holdups have brought about among the citizens, however, it is but necessary to make a circumstance related Detective Sheets related. He says that as he and Detective Jaeger were making a search last night and when going along in a lonely street, they suddenly came to contact with a man, whose figure the darkness almost obscured from their ken. As Detective Jaeger laid his hand, however, suddenly glittered before them, when they found to their surprise that the citizen had taken precaution to be armed, and had behind them his revolver, which he intended using in case of an attack. Sheets said that if either he or Jaeger was said anything to indicate in any way that they were highwaymen, both would have got it "right in the neck." As it was the officers did not molest the man, neither did he them.

CITY'S FINANCES.

Eight Hundred Dollars Increase in the Debit.

City Auditor Swan last night presented to the City Council the following financial statement for October:

RECEIPTS.

City taxes, 1896	$60,000 00
Water rents	1,000 00
Liquor licenses	1,200 00
Miscellaneous licenses	1,000 00
Merchants' licenses	1,200 00
Paving duties No. 1	4,000 00
Paving duties No. 2	1,000 00
Police fines	1,000 00
Poll tax	800 00
Cemetery	200 00
Pound	200 00
Fire department	200 00
Engineer's department	14,000 00
Rent	200 00
Paving duties No. 1	10,000 00
Health department	10,000 00
Sinking fund	10,000 00
Water rates (gen'l)	10,000 00
Water rates (sinking fund)	10,000 00
Supplementary water rates	10,000 00
Water tax	1,000 00
Waterworks	1,000 00
Land	1,000 00
Salary, Detroit services, refund	30 00
Sundries	1,000 00
Total	$1,000 00
Warrants redeemed in October	1,000 00
Total	$60,000 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Disbursements September	$1,000 00
Interest on bonds, since May, 1896	1,000 00
Salaries	1,000 00
Paving and sewer assessments	1,000 00
Waterworks expenditures	1,000 00
Police department	1,000 00
Fire department	1,000 00
Street cleaning	1,000 00
Street lighting	1,000 00
Sewer repairs	1,000 00
Gutters and crossings	1,000 00
Street department	1,000 00
Engineering department	1,000 00
Waterworks' department	1,000 00
Health department	1,000 00
Cemetery	1,000 00
Pound	1,000 00
Contingent	1,000 00
Printing and stationery	1,000 00
Board of public works	1,000 00
Legal expense	1,000 00
Insurance	1,000 00
Rent	1,000 00
Treasurer's office	1,000 00
Printing and advertising	1,000 00
Incidentals	1,000 00
Sewer	1,000 00
Sewer paving refund	1,000 00
Repairs	1,000 00
Auditor's office	1,000 00
Fires and hydrants	1,000 00
Street repairs	1,000 00
Auditor's office	1,000 00
Total	$60,000 00
Balance	$60,000 00

The report was referred to the finance committee.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Cullen—H. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hankway, C. J. Brown, A. Sutro, Mrs. Simon S. Sutro, Wheelock, Denver; S. B. Hill, New York; M. Sachs, St. Louis; A. L. Goldsmith, San Francisco.

Walker—Georgetta, A. B. Gibson, Sunshine; J. F. Noonan, C. Neal, Ogden; O. Cassidy, Carlos Boyington, Markale, Mine; Nels M. Madsen, W. H. Booth Jr., Sit Pleasant.

Dominion—C. Osman, A. A. W. N. Williams and wife, U. S. A.; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Minnie, San Francisco; R. B. Becker, city; J. C. Hutchinson and wife, New York; C. B. Hood, San Francisco.

Knutsford—Fred Clark, B. B. Thayer, San Francisco; W. E. Hopkins, Omaha; C. H. Hunter, New York; Jno. W. Moore, Philadelphia.

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BURIED IN PLASTER PARIS.

Terrible Mode of Execution Used by a Governor of a Persian Province.

Revival of "Searching" a Hideous Form of Execution Practiced Some Years Ago.

When affairs do not go right in Persia the authorities adopt harsh measures to make the people respect the law. The murder of the Shah seemed to encourage the nomad tribes to acts of lawlessness. On the road between Bushire and Ispahan there was a large number of robberies. In some instances, caravans and villages were looted, and an Englishman was stripped naked and beaten with sticks. He made were strewn with mentioned that the robbers did not want, and during the week it was admitted that they secured booty amounting to $100,000.

Something had to be done to check the marauders. The governor of Bushire, H. H. Rukn-ed-Dowleh, decided to make terror into the hearts of the people, and the method he chose was the revival of "searching," a hideous form of execution which has been in abeyance for forty years. To "search" a victim a hollow pillar is erected over the spot where the crime was committed. The victim, sometimes with his head downward and at others with his head sticking out of the top. Placed in this position he is emptied of his bowels and then melted plaster water is poured down the well. The "patch" then swells, and the circulation stops as it is said, causing the most intense agony.

For his "terrible example" the governor selected two men who had been engaged in the robberies. In his heartless Persian way he considered that "if nothing" anybody would serve as an example, it would be worth while, anyhow or otherwise. He picked out five men who have not contributed to the payment of taxes. This is a favorite offense in the eyes of Persian officials, and the governor thought that their executions would not only scare the robbers, but be a warning to all tax-dodgers that prompt settlement with the collectors was exceedingly desirable.

On Monday, May 19th, within an eyewitness's little latest exhibition of "searching," the five prisoners, stripped to the waist, were marched out of prison, and, slowly escorted by a large crowd, were kept there while the pillars were erected. The victims were then placed in the hollow pillars, and the crowd moved to the well prepared for him.

Having obtained a photograph of a form of execution which I hope has been recorded to but the last time, I hurried from the spot, and only just in time, as I afterwards heard, to escape the most heartrending scenes. When the patch became solid and tightened on the poor prisoner his pain were frightful to listen to, and as they were carried over the walled garden these wailing their fate resulted that the death to which they were doomed, so far from being the painless one they had hoped for, was, instead, a terrible nature.

As the fourth man was led from the garden he begged the executioner to take him to the house, where he would find some one to give him ten tomans ($10), after which he could not blessed him. The fifth man temporarily so frantic as the yells issued from the mouth of his companion. "Spare me! Spare me!" he cried, "and I will show you where $2,000 tomans ($2,000) is hid." but his offer came too late. When, three days later, I passed along the spot the five capitals had been added to the pillars covering the heads of the poor men who had been horribly been done to death.

The governorship of a state is held yearly by the man who gives the Shah the largest present, during his period of office he collects from the people the taxes, the present he has given the shah and a good substantial sum into the coffers for himself. Accordingly officers in the men will often cause the last sticks of an old mud, and if the people, seeing a certain wailing them to the face, resist, they are dared to be put to death by torture, as in this case, if what was in the mouth of everyone was true. In the old days it was necessary to make a frightful example of a few caravan robbers to keep the road through the Kohlab safe. In a country where it is customary to commit suicide in a fanatical way—we, for instance, when we have throwing themselves in their Juggernaut funeral pyre in India—as many cases is made in Europe, and yet, in a country full of Europeans, men are taken out to hoax capitals and crucify murderers by the roadside.—New York Herald.

MINOR MENTION.

Happy Jack, the cowboy preacher, and his wife who, are in town. He talks on the best corners draw large crowds.

Mrs. H. A. Smith of Fargo, North Dakota, arrived in this city a few days ago to visit her sons J. S. and L. C. Smith. She expects to remain here the winter and will visit Salt Lake next spring, to visit a daughter who resides there.

FORMS AND FASHIONS.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Nov. 11.—Stock market opened weak, fractionally lower, influenced by shaky conditions in London, prices for Atchison particularly and weakness, although here for foreign interests. St. Paul opened 1 per cent on unfavorable statements for the last week's earnings. Manhattan declined 1 per cent in the first hour.

The market was steadied, General mortgage opened extended to 1 in Manhattan.

The market opened into dullness after it had some irregularity was noted. Variations were unimportant and stocks fluctuating which opened a range of 1 per cent in the first hour. The closing upward was quite pronounced, and prominent stocks on a party with vigorous buying. The declaration of a dividend by the Burlington caused fractions to be the prominent gainers in which Atchison also is large winner. Manhattan declined to 101, Sugar, the prominent stock of the, is reported in the annual statement.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 11.

Hogs—
Light, $3.20@3.40
Mixed, $3.20@3.40
Heavy, $3.20@3.40
Rough, $3.20@3.25
Pigs, $3.00@3.25
Cattle—
Beeves, $2.80@5.00
Cows and heifers, $1.50@4.00
Stockers and feeders, $2.80@3.90
Calves, $3.00@6.00
Sheep—Receipts nearly

Omaha Live Stock.

Special to the NEWS.

South Omaha, Neb., Nov. 11.

Receipts, 1,200; market steady.
Heavies, $3.25@3.40
Mixed, $3.20@3.25
Light, $3.20@3.25
Pigs, $3.00@3.25

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Nov. 11.

Wheat—Nov., 70½c; Dec., 70½c; May, 74½c.
Corn—Nov., 29½c; Dec., 29½c; May, 31½c.
Oats—Nov., 19½c; Dec., 19½c; May, 22½c.
Pork—Nov. and Dec., $8.17½; Jan., $8.20.
Ribs—Nov. and Dec., $4.00; Jan., $4.05.
Lard—Nov. and Dec., $4.00; Jan., $4.05.
Flaxseed—
Timothy—$3.25.
Clover—
Barley—$0.30.

Silver, Lead.

Lead—$2.75.
Silver—64c.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient and use of the many physical ills, which result from improper diet, dissipation, or sedentary habits, the use of the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, is rightly disclosed. There is scarcely a well-informed person who does not know that it is the only remedy with millions of families and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its full and effects are due to the fact that it is the one remedy which promotes healthy circulation without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is the only laxative which is not followed by any injurious after effect. It is the only remedy with millions of families and