

AN ADVANCE OF TEN MILLIONS.

Total Assessed Valuation of All Property in State of Utah

SOME INTERESTING STATISTICS.

Most Striking Instance of Decrease is That of Valuation of Money and Solvent Credits.

Reports from all of the counties of the state which have been filed with State Auditor Tingey show the total assessed valuation of all property in this state for the year 1903 to be \$129,221,127. Last year the total valuation was \$118,019,462. A comparison of the two shows an increase this year of \$11,201,665. The most striking instance of increase is that of the valuation of money and solvent credits. Last year they were valued at \$3,218,929, while this year they only total up \$3,977,492, a decrease of \$240,627. This year there are 5,993 more sheep assessed in the state than last year, but the assessed valuation of sheep shows a decrease of \$78,918. The cattle statistics show that there is a decrease in number of 7,135, but an increase in valuation of \$128,398. Horses and mules show an increase in number this year of 356 and an increase in valuation of \$218,170.

The proper family standard for tea, coffee, cocoa, etc. is Schilling's Best; five kinds of tea; of coffee, four.

with his wife on his honeymoon trip to the Kenyon.

Walter Speyer, a San Francisco insurance man well known in this city, has been appointed agent manager of the New Zealand insurance company. Dixwell Hewitt, another insurance man acquainted in Salt Lake, has been made assistant manager of one of the most prominent Hartford fire insurance companies.

LATE LOCALS.

There are now eleven applications for membership in the university club posted on the bulletin board.

State Superintendent of Schools Nelson will go to Vernal tomorrow to be gone a week in the interests of school work.

Governor Wells and State Auditor Tingey are in Provo today attending the regular monthly meeting of the state board of insanity.

Word from the lake states that it is slowly rising, having come up one inch on account of the rains and the shutting off of irrigation.

Mrs. W. P. Cooper, who was operated on by Dr. Homer last Tuesday for appendicitis at Holy Cross hospital, is doing as well as could be expected. The funeral of Otto Lefter was held at 3 p. m. today from the N street residence and the remains were shipped later to Schuyler, Neb. for interment.

With the increase of crime in this city, the local bank managements are becoming more conservative and are having renewed the electrical connections between the banks and police headquarters.

Contractor Moran desires to close up

MYSTERIOUS CASE IN THE CITY JAIL.

Young Man Arrested as a Drunk Found to be at Death's Door.

Knockout Drops or Poison.

Doctors Puzzled to Decide Whether it is a Case of Attempted Suicide Or Murder.

The police department has another mysterious case of probable poisoning to solve, and whether it is a case of attempted suicide or a plain case of "knock out drops" with the object of robbery is something that has yet to be determined.

At 1 o'clock this morning, a young man giving his name as E. F. Devlin, aged 21 years, was arrested by Officer Evans, who supposed the man to be in a badly intoxicated condition. He was found by the officer wandering aimlessly along the streets and was brought to the station in the patrol wagon. When questioned by the sergeant he lacked the ability to give any account of himself and was booked as drunk and his occupation given as "house fighter." He was thrown into the drunkhouse to sober up and about 9 o'clock this morning some of the trustees heard him walking around. Later, Jailer Kimball looked into the drunkhouse and found the man unconscious. Suspecting him to be merely sleeping off the effects of a large quantity of bad whisky, he left him. Shortly after noon, Jailer Kimball became alarmed over the man's condition and sent for Dr. C. M. Benedict. Devlin was taken into the officers' quarters

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state just what the trouble was. It was quite evident that he had taken poison of some kind, and his condition indicated that he had taken greatly diluted and his breathing very difficult. His lips were badly swollen and one side of his mouth showed a bad cut as though he had been struck a terrific blow. His face was covered with blood and blood stains were on his shirt and vest. A careful search of the drunkhouse and the man's clothing failed to reveal the presence of any poison whatever. Dr. Benedict used a stomach pump and the contents of the stomach will be

ture a prediction as to whether Devlin would recover. A pawn ticket on the New York loan office was found in the man's clothing and the police took charge of this in the hope of learning something about him. The coat was pawned for \$2.25.

Macedonian Refugees.

London, Oct. 12.—The correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph on the Macedonian frontier, has sent his paper a long description of the refugees arriving at Rila monastery, after fasting for days on the mountain side and with the thermometer at 34 degrees and their gratitude to the monks who shared with them their black bread and salt and shared all their resources to succor the hungry fugitives. The correspondent adds:

But this help, despite the sacrifices it imposed on the monks, was but as a drop of water in an ocean of fire. Scores of poor people must have perished miserably, but for the timely assistance of a benevolent American lady, Madame Balkmetteff, (formerly Miss Beal of Washington, D. C.) wife of the Russian diplomat agent at Sofia, Bulgaria. Without losing a moment this philanthropic lady dispatched \$5,000 and a sister of charity to relieve the needs of the innocent outcasts. My companion, Chas. Crane of Chicago, likewise gave a considerable contribution for the same purpose. When we were leaving the monastery a couple of days later over 600 refugees lined the streets in front of the doors and insisted on shaking hands with us.

Mother and Child Perish.

Denver, Oct. 11.—Mrs. Kate Longan, with her 2-year-old son, Francis, in her arms, lost her way on the prairie near this city last night in a snowstorm and fell into an irrigating ditch, where both were found dead today.

Shipbuilding Affairs Inquiry.

New York, Oct. 15.—When the shipbuilding investigation was resumed today Frederick Seward, formerly one of the directors of the United States Shipbuilding company, and an employee of the Corporation Trust company, was recalled to the stand. He became a director of the United States Shipbuilding company in 1902 at the request of Mr. Deming of Alexander & Green. The witness could not recall anything which would lead him to believe that he had acted as an incorporator for \$500 to \$750 companies while he was

VALUATION OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY ASSESSED IN THE STATE FOR 1903.

Table with multiple columns listing property types (Real Estate, Horses and Mules, Cattle, Sheep, Swine, etc.) and their assessed values for 1903 across various counties.

BOISE PUBLIC BUILDING.

Milwaukee Company Gets Contract for The Furniture.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Oct. 15.—Bids were opened today at the treasury for furniture for the public building at Boise. The lowest bidder was the Wolger-Loeber Manufacturing company, Milwaukee, Wis. \$10,133.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

The Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on box. 25c.

BROKE INTO A CESSPOOL.

A curious accident happened yesterday at Third South and Fifth East streets. A coal team driven by Charles Ingham, broke through the cover of a cesspool in backing alongside of a house, and one of the horses went to the bottom, and up to his head in the foul liquid. Finally, a rope was got under his forehooves and the animal hoisted to the surface, but not until the worse for the wear; but it required four hours to get him out.

HOME GRAIN MARKET.

Local grain men are viewing with more or less discouragement the condition of the home grain markets. Said one of them today: "We have been shipping the wheat to Nevada and California until the market became bare, and now that wheat is wanted at home, and there is none of the Utah product left, we are forced to ship in from Colorado points paying the railroads 35 cents per cwt for the same, after paying the railroads' freights to the westward. Now that does not pay, and one of the functions of the new produce exchange will be to see that such mishaps as this does not occur again, and that when there is a big call from the outside for Utah grain, care will be taken to keep enough in this state to supply the home demand."

BUSINESS NOTES.

Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$48,583.39 as against \$630,629.69 for the same day last year.

T. H. Cutler and J. C. Cutler left this morning for Bear River valley, to examine the Garland sugar factory and electric power plant now nearing completion.

PERSONALS.

Rev. H. A. Barnes leaves for the east the last of the month.

Architect S. C. Dallas has gone to Cedar City on state university business.

C. L. Lyons, freight agent of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, stationed at Kansas City, is in town.

Sey. Alfred Stillman of the Pacific board of underwriters left for Butte last midnight, being called north by a message.

Dr. John C. Engle of Jacksonville, Fla., a banker, capitalist, and prominent Democratic politician, is stopping

and laid out on a table while the physician made an examination and the death ensued. At the time of this writing, the man was still in a comatose state and Dr. Benedict would not ven-

EMERSON'S MEMORY.

Washington, Oct. 15.—To the memory of William Tecumseh Sherman an equestrian statue was unveiled this afternoon in the city of Washington. The statue is the work of the sculptor John J. Crawford, and is situated in the grounds of the Sherman monument. The unveiling ceremony was attended by thousands of people, including President Roosevelt and Vice-President Taft. The statue depicts Sherman on horseback, holding a sword and a cigar. The ceremony was a grand affair, with many speeches and a military band playing.

TO SHERMAN'S MEMORY.

An Equestrian Statue Unveiled To it in Washington.



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Mrs. Lillian T. Janeway, who on Oct. 15 will be married to United States Senator Thomas Collier Platt of New York, is a strikingly handsome woman about twenty-eight years the junior of her intended husband, who is seventy. Mrs. Janeway's first husband was a Mr. Snow and her second was Dr. Theodore G. Janeway of New York. Dr. Janeway died in 1897 and his widow, through the influence of Senator Platt, secured a position in the Congressional library at a salary of \$720. She gave up this place last year. Senator Platt's wife died early in 1901.

IT WAS ALL CLEAR.

A colored boy about 12 years old had entered a warehouse on Atwater street the other morning, slipping his bare feet on the floor, and the colored man who was sweeping out paused to turn and say: "Cashus, has yo' dun bin to de post-office?" "Yes, sah." "Whar's de mail?" "Lidin' git no mail." "What did yo' inqur' fur Moses Washington, White?" "Yes, sah." "An' fur Miss Evangeline White?" "Yes, sah." "An' fur Miss Louisa White?" "Yes, sah." "Boy! Dean yo' practise no foolishness wid me! Did yo' inqur' if dar was any letter fur my brudder Dan?" "Yes, sah." "An' did de postmaster dun look?" "Yes, sah." "Did yo' inqur' in a loud voice?" "Yes, sah." "Was't in a hurry 'bout it?" "No, sah." "Whar's dat powerful curus, Boy, look-a-head! Did yo' git no ax dat possibls if dar was a letter fur my ole Uncle Jim?" "Yes, sah."

VOUCHED FOR HER.

In a certain mountain town lived a little boy of four who was very much frightened at the thought of a bear—in fact it was the only animal or thing he was afraid of—and his mother was trying to keep him from running into the street and playing in the irrigating ditches, and wandering away to a little creek park, told him he must not go for these were bears' haunts. This frightened William, and the following day he sat on the doorstep in a very quiet and thoughtful mood. When asked by the village clergyman, who was passing by, why he did not go out and play, William replied: "I must not go out of the gate, for there are bears in the roads and down in the park." The minister laughingly replied: "No, there are no bears anywhere around," but William insisted that there were, as his mamma had told him that there were. The minister said: "Let's go in and ask mamma about it," and mamma had to acknowledge that she had simply told William that to keep him from running away from home. When alone with the little boy the mother said: "William, mamma is sorry that she told you a story about the bears, and I guess we had better ask God to forgive her." Whereupon William said: "Mamma, you had better let me ask God, for maybe He wouldn't believe you."—Lippincott's Magazine.

NEGRO MURDERS A WOMAN.

Joliet, Ill., Oct. 14.—Edward Ruby of Chicago, colored, followed Dora Williams to Lockport today and shot her dead. James Francis who attempted to arrest Ruby was wounded. Ruby swam the canal and escaped into the woods. A searching party is after him.

Standard Plant Resumes.

Colorado Springs, Oct. 15.—After a shut-down of six weeks as the result of the miners' strike at Cripple Creek the Standard plant of the United States Reduction and Refining company at Colorado City resumed the treatment of ores today. A full force of 180 men are at work.

LIFE OF A PIONEER.

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DIED.

MOSE—Lindsay Joseph, son of James E. and Maud Nixon Moss, age two weeks. Funeral Saturday, Oct. 17, at 11 a. m. from home. Residence, 4101 North 10th East and Seventeenth South streets.

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