EVENTS IN THE WEST.

A Record of Occurrences in Neighboring States and Territories.

THOUGH YOUNG HE WANTS TO DIG GOLD

Mortally Wounded in a Saloon—Boxing Shows for San Francisco—Elwood Evans Dead—Miscellaneous.

A severe storm is raging in the vicinity of Lander, Wyo., and many travelers have been badly frozen as a consequence. Two soldiers out in it, nearly lost their lives.

Sheep in Montana have been assessed $1.35 per head for purposes of taxation. Various in addition of their fleece valuation. The state claims three and a half million head.

Mrs. Anna Stone, residing near Lander, Wyo., met with an accident Wednesday morning that resulted in death. The unfortunate woman, who is 70 years of age, was passing her fireplace, when her clothing was ignited and burned her so severely that she died on Thursday.

Word from Denver, Colo., indicates the mysterious disappearance of J. Warn Foster, a prominent insurance man of that city, and receiver of the defunct T. A. Kent bank at Cheyenne, Wyo. Foster's accounts are said to be in bad shape. Henry G. Hay of Cheyenne, is now in charge of the Kent bank and its affairs.

Charles Weeman, who shot himself at Yuba City, Cal., Wednesday morning, died in the afternoon about 5 o'clock without regaining consciousness. From the position of the body he must have sat down on the floor and shot himself in the head. The revolver, a 32-caliber, was found lying at his side with one chamber empty.

William Herbert, alias "Tarbeel," the man charged with shooting Juan Jose Lara, a Mexican shepherder, and then robbing him of $30, has been held by Justice Ash of Rock Springs, Wyo., to await the action of the district court, his bonds being fixed at $2,000. The crime, the charge are assault with intent to kill and highway robbery.

Thomas Gaffery was shot and mortally wounded by Joseph Byrnes in the former's saloon at Tracey, Cal., at 1:30 o'clock Thursday morning. Five shots were fired, three taking effect, one in either arm and one below the heart. Gaffery is still alive, but the doctors say he cannot survive. Byrnes went to Stockton to give himself up.

A big timber land deal is nearing completion at Eureka, Cal. The land includes several large tracts along the Klamath river, and comprises some of the finest redwood timber in Humboldt county. L. Chamberlin, a representative of Eastern capitalists, arrived there Sunday to close the deal. The consideration, as reported, is about $92,000.

A dispatch from San Francisco says the ship Yosemite has been sold to E. F. Sweeney of Seattle, and will probably be placed on the Seattle-Skagway route. Captain Fullerton, hitherto in command of the Yosemite, has been placed in charge of the ship Harry Morse. Chief Officer Cheney of the Yosemite has been placed in command of the latter.

J. M. Hutson, aged 35, shot himself in the head at Mojave, Calif., Wednesday morning at 1 o'clock, and died six hours later. The cause was jealousy. Hutson had fallen in love with a married woman named Emma Osborn, who has lived there for six months. About a week ago Hutson lost his position. The woman cast him aside and loaned him the revolver to kill himself.

The police committee of the board of supervisors of San Francisco granted three permits for boxing shows Friday to be held on the following dates: The Olympic club, Griffo-McConnell, February 3rd. The National club, Tommy Ryan-George Green, contest, February 25th. The Occidental club, Peter Jackson-Peter Maher, match, between the 1st and 15th of March.

Hon. Elwood Evans, the oldest practicing lawyer in the state of Washington, dropped dead from heart disease on the street in Tacoma at noon Friday. He was 70 years of age and went to Puget Sound from Philadelphia in 1861 as a deputy collector of customs. In 1862 he was secretary of the territory, and during 1865-6 was acting governor during the absence of Governor Pickering and Cole.

An unknown man was found dead in a grove of blue gums near the Ojai Railroad camp in Ventura, Cal., Thursday night. A witness before the coroner, who had been the dead man's companion for a number of days in the days, testified that the deceased came from Los Angeles and went by the name of Fagan. He was employed by Grant Brothers, railroad contractors. Nothing further concerning his identity is known.

Thursday night at Port Townsend, Wash., while customs officers were searching the steamer City of Seattle for contraband liquors, previous to her sailing for Alaska, they found in an obscure place in the ship's hold a little five-year-old boy, sound asleep. The lad gave his name as Frank Tomlinson, and Tacoma as his home. He said he was going to the Klondike to dig gold. The boy will be sent back to Tacoma.

On Monday night an altercation occurred at Beck's evaporator, Watsonville, Cal., between Lee Reed and Rodericback, which almost ended in a murder. It seems that Black, who is foreman of the drier, discharged Reed several days ago. Reed returned to the drier Monday night and a row ensued, in which Black slashed Reed almost half way across his neck, just missing the jugular vein. He also stabbed Reed in the temple and shoulder.

A half-breed Indian was stabbed to death Tuesday night at Angels camp, Cal. The body was found in the street soon after the murder was committed, but the perpetrator of the crime had disappeared and his identity is unknown. Several persons have been arrested on suspicion, all having been engaged in gambling in the dispute, he part of the town where the crime was committed. It is believed that the murder is the sequel of a quarrel over cards.

The next steamer to sail for Alaska from San Francisco is the Queen, which will leave Broadway wharf this (Saturday) afternoon. The Queen goes to Talla and Skagway, stopping en route at Puget Sound for more passengers and freight. As the ground has been the demand for berth and freight accomodations that the Pacific coast steamship company five days ago stopped selling tickets and refused cargo. She could have been filled twice over and people were hanging for room in any part of the ship this morning.

William H. Bell, formerly connected with the department of the interior at Denver has been retired by an order of the secretary of war issued upon the request of Gen. Bell. Gen. Bell has been in Washington for some time where he was detailed for duty July 5, 1896, as assistant commissary general of subsistence. He was purchasing commissary of the department of Colorado until 1897, when he was appointed chief commissary of the department of California, which position he filled for two years, returning to Denver and remaining there until 1896.

General Tale of Santa Cruz, Cal., has sold his big Newfoundland dog to Clarence Berry, the rich Klondiker, for $200. The dog is two years old and weighs 185 pounds. Berry says he does not take kind for him. He will pleased was for that he gave Tale four pieces of gold crushed at $18 for his children and promised to send them more nuggets for the children, guaranteeing each nugget to be worth not less than $20. The dog was hitched to a wagon, and hauled Yale, Berry and another man with the utmost ease. Berry will start for the Klondike next week.

On the first ballot Wednesday at Bakersville, Cal., the jury found Yasbel Mollina guilty of murder, and on the second ballot fixed the penalty at death for killing Emiliano Romos in Bakersville, one of three terms in San Quentin for murderous assaults.

Making a Dicker.

Rural life in certain sections of Indiana is simply incomprehensible to those who have not seen it, and many phases of it are incomprehensible to outsiders who have.

A farmer drove up to the village "general store," alighted from his buckboard, hitched his horse, and accosted the proprietor by calling out, "What's straw?" from the door.

"We're paying 5 cents for good ones, freshest picked."

"Couldn't make it 4, could yo?"

"Nope. The mains have bought 'em forward mightily, and the prices had to tumble."

The farmer sat down on a salt barrel in the shade for about 5 o'clock and waited. At the end of half an hour he came to the door and said:

"Mandy's willin' to split 'em."

"Reckoned the y'd be about 2 now."

"Sorry, Jim," replied the storekeeper, "but I'm a sellin' 'em for 2 now."

The farmer sauntered down to the blacksmith shop and pitched quoits for half an hour. Then he came back.

"Split the difference and call it five and a half," he said.

"All right," came the reluctant rejoinder. "Let it go at that. How many have you got?"

"Just four quarts and a half," he said, "and they're just as slick berries as ye ever set yer teeth into."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in accordance and under the power and authority granted by that certain trust deed made the 8th day of January, 1892, by the undersigned trustee, by James T. Mallall and Mary Mallall his wife, and recorded February 10, 1892, in book "39" of mortgages, on page 411 of the records of Salt Lake county, Utah, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the court house in the city and County building, in Salt Lake City, Utah, that being the county in which said Salt Lake County, Utah, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1898, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, all the real estate hereinafter described, to pay and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and the interest thereon, and the insurance and taxes paid upon said real estate by the holder of said indebtedness, and reasonable attorney's fees, and the costs of this advertisement and sale, which said sale will be made at the request of the holder of said indebtedness, and because of default of the makers of said trust deed in the payment of said indebtedness and interest.

Said real estate is particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point nine and fifty-five one hundredths (9.55) chains south, and two and one fourth (2¼) chains west from the north quarter corner of lot two (2), in section one (1), of township one (1) south, of range one (1) east of Salt Lake Meridian, and running thence west one (1) chain to a county road, thence south, 9.55 chains, thence east, 2¼ chains, thence north, 9.55 chains, thence west, 2¼ chains to the point of beginning. Containing one and three fourths acres.

Dated, January 27, 1898.
First publication January 27, 1898.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

Hercules Mining Company, a corporation. Principal place of business, Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Hercules Mining Company, a corporation organized under the laws of Utah, held on the 26th day of January, '98, an assessment of one and one half (1½) cents per share was levied on the capital stock of the said corporation, payable on or before the 1st day of March, '98, to the Secretary, at his office in the Auerbach block, No. 75 West First South street, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Any stock upon which this assessment may remain unpaid on the said 1st day of March, '98, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 1st day of March, '98, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and sale.

FRANK L. HUGHES, Secretary.
Office Hercules Mining Company, Room 4 Auerbach Block, Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN accordance with and under the power and authority granted by that certain trust deed made the 11th day of July, 1892, by the undersigned trustee, Ira Free Hall and Nellie hall, husband and wife, and recorded July 12, 1892, in book "X" of mortgages, on page 24 of the records of Salt Lake County, Utah, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the west front door of the court house of Salt Lake County, Utah, that being the County in which said Salt Lake County, Utah, on the 14th day of January, 1898, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, all the real estate here in after described, and sold subject to redemption, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said trust deed and interest thereon, and the costs and reasonable compensation to the trustee for his services, and a sufficient sum of money to satisfy the debt of said indebtedness, and because of default in the payment and non-payment of interest, said real estate is particularly described as follows, to wit:

A lot one acre (1) acre (40), seven (7) and eight (8), in block fifty-six (56), Plat "D" Salt Lake City survey, and lots containing 2-5 square rods each.

WILLIAM K. JACOBS,
Trustee.

Dated December 6, 1897.
First publication, December 6, 1897.

NOTICE.

To all persons interested in re-recording of marks and brands:

A LAW WAS ENACTED BY THE LAST Legislature requiring, all owners of live stock, having marks and brands in the state of Utah, to make application to the county recorder before March 11, 1898, after which date a 3 marks and brands will be recorded as those applied for will become obsolete and their record void.

Blanks for application for such re-recording were forwarded to the County Clerks, to be by them supplied to stockmen, upon their respective counties for the use of the people, when blanks have not been forwarded referred to.

In case that any should be unable to obtain the printed blank, they can make application in their own or descriptive hand marks or brands and giving the dates when the certificates were issued if such cannot accompany the application.

Following the opinion of the Attorney-General, I have decided that the publication of an heir for such re-recording of marks and brands, appearing in the records as the name of a deceased will not be entertained, unless accompanied by legal evidence of such testimonial.

Notice of my postal card will be sent to every person whose application has reached this office, not later than January 31, 1898, in order that little time is necessary, and may be done any have come astray.

To enable people the applicant one in alphabetical order after the 11th of March, 1898, when the work of re-recording begins will require considerable time, and therefore, those desiring to re-record marks and brands, reside in a year from the above date, and per cent brands, Commerly will call the certificates are issued.

MORGAN RICHARDS, JR.,
Ex-Officio Recorder of Marks and Brands.
Salt Lake City, Utah, January 1, 1898.

A RESOLUTION.

A Resolution repealing sections 6 and 7 of "A resolution granting certain privileges and franchises to the Salt Lake and Ogden Gas and Electric Light Company," passed by the City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah, May 19th, 1896, and approved by the Mayor on the 20th thereof.

Resolved by the City Council of Salt Lake City: That sections 6 and 7 of a resolution entitled "A resolution granting to the Salt Lake and Ogden Gas and Electric Light Company, a corporation, certain privileges and franchises," passed by the City Council May 19th, 1896, be and the same are hereby repealed and the following new sections are hereby enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as Sections 6 and 7.

SECTION 6.

A Reduction in Price.

The lamp light for midnight service $35.00 per lamp per month.

2. If G. p. incandescent lights, one cent per hour per lamp, more than a proportionate charge for incandescent lamps of increased candle power, but for any consumer now using less than 100 Ampere hours in any one seven-day month, then and in that event, the gratuity is hereby reduced to a rebate of one cent per hour of 16 per month.

3. Metered gas used for illuminating purposes, $1.50 per one thousand cubic feet.

4. Gas for fuel purposes, $1.50 per one thousand cubic feet.

5. Water gas $1.50 per one thousand cubic feet.

7. Natural gas, 50 cents per one thousand cubic feet, and when the consumer of natural gas than 200 cubic feet is used by a consumer in any one month, then and in that event, it is hereby authorized to charge and collect from and consumer for said month the sum of $1.00 and no more.

And the said City and all hospitals and emblem buildings belonging or appertaining to any of said City, shall have the benefit of a discount of 25 per cent, from the above rates.

Said lights and gas and all meters used in connection therewith shall be subject from time to time to the inspection of a proper officer, appointed by said City to determine the quality of said light and gas.

SECTION 2.

A written acceptance of the franchise by the grantee, subject to all the conditions here in contained, must be filed with the City Recorder within ten days from the date of this approval hereof by the Mayor, and a written failure at the end of said period of said ten days, of the conditions thereof shall work an absolute forfeiture of all the rights and privileges herein granted.

Passed by the City Council of Salt Lake City, State of Utah, December 28th, 1897. The approved and referred to the Mayor for his approval.

(SEAL.) DAVID S. ENERT,
City Recorder.

Approved this 29th day of December A. D. 1897.
JAMES GLENDENNING, Mayor.

STATE OF UTAH, }
} ss.
City and County of Salt Lake, }

I, DAVID S. ENERT, Recorder of Salt Lake City, state of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution entitled "A Resolution repealing Sections 6 and 7 of "A resolution granting certain privileges and franchises to the Salt Lake and Ogden Gas and Electric Light Company," passed by the City Council of Salt Lake City, Utah, 30 May, 1896, and approved two new sections in lieu thereof." said resolution was passed by the City Council of said Salt Lake City, Utah, December 28th, 1897, and approved by the Mayor December 29th, 1897, as appears of record in my office.

Witness my seal, have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of said City this 21st day of December A. D. 1897.

(SEAL.) DAVID S. ENERT,
City Recorder.

By ALBERT S. REIDER, Deputy.
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NOTICE OF SALE FOR DELINQUENT ASSESSMENTS.

Richmond & Anaconda Consolidated Mining Company. Location of principal place of business, Room 45 Hooper block, Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT upon the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the sixth day of December, 1897, the several amounts thereon, to the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAME.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares.	Amt. Delinq.
James Marshall	85	5,000	$ 37 50
James Marshall	86	1,000	7 50
James Marshall	84	1,000	12 00
James Marshall	87	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen	94	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen	95	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen	96	10,000	75 00
W C B Allen	104	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen	105	2,400	18 00
W C B Allen	109	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen	110	1,000	7 50
B F French	113	2,000	15 00
B F French	114	1,000	7 50
B F French	115	1,000	7 50
B F French	124	1,000	7 50
B F French	125	1,000	7 50
W C B Allen, Trustee	164	1,000	3 50
W C B Allen, Trustee	165	1,000	3 50
W C B Allen, Trustee	166	1,000	3 50
W C B Allen, Trustee