WESTERN NEWS ITEMS.

The Proposed Leaching Works to be Started at Lehi.

ACTION FOR FALSE IMPRISONMENT.

Alarm of Fire at Brigham City.—Strike of Coal Miners.—Other Matters.

The engine and machinery for the new flouring mill at Blackfoot, Idaho, are being placed in position.

A rather crape line is now running between Idaho Falls and Iona, Lucrin and Ruby.

The town of Eureka will incorporate, and for city officers the people have put up a ticket composed thus:

At Cerrillos, New Mexico, 100 miners in the employ of the Cerrillos Coal and Iron Company, quit work and went on strike, demanding higher wages.

Will Oley met with an accident at Idaho Falls whereby three of his ribs were broken. He attempted to climb on a shed to look for the horses. The roof was covered with snow and he slipped down with the above results.

The bees are arriving at the factory as fast as they can be taken care of, says the Lehi Banner. It keeps a force of men unloading the cars which are arriving every day from the outlying districts.

Dr. H. K. Steele, health commissioner, and three officers of his department, Dr. W. F. Mills, Ralph L. Taylor and Jesse Hamp, are made defendants in an action in the district court, Denver, to recover $10,000 for false imprisonment. Lawrence Starr is the plaintiff, and he defies in his complaint that on the 15th day of last July he was forcibly taken without cause to the pest house. That he escaped and made his way back to the Mountain View Hotel, which he is proprietor. He says that the officers kept him closely quarantined, and deprived him of his liberty for fourteen days on the ground that he had been exposed to a contagious disease.

A few evenings ago a number of Indians were camped near the depot. Some of the boys were aware of this, and concluded to have a little sport at the poor Indians' expense. Securing a large mallet, they proceeded to cut one end off and extract the contents, and then cut holes in the melon to represent the eyes, nose and mouth. The next thing to do was to place a lighted candle in the end and place it near the camp. This done, they went a short distance away and awaited the result. They did not have long to wait, as one of the Indians soon espied the curious looking object, and at once aroused his companions. They became somewhat alarmed and after closely consulting together some minutes thought they would try yelling at the object to frighten it away. After doing this for a short time they held another powwow, and finally concluded to get out and move camp, so they would not be in sight of the horrid object. This they did, and the boys' curiosity being satisfied, to gather with an idea that if the Indians found them out they might demand an explanation which they could not give they finally concluded to adjourn to their several places of abode, which they did, well satisfied with their night's experience.—*Bingham City Report.*

A timely discovery of what came nearly being a big fire was made in Wm. Hensley & Sons' store at Brigham City a night or two ago. The clerks had all left, and some gentlemen who were passing on the opposite side of the street saw flames suddenly shoot up into the air. Running over and breaking through the front doors they found that a box in which butter had been kept was on fire. One of them threw the overcoat over the box, smothering the flames. The box was carried outside and no damage was done. The blaze is thought to have been caused by ashes from a cigar falling in close proximity to the box, and smouldering until finally it caught the grease and burst forth into flame.

General R. T. Midgeley, of Washington, D. C., Capitain David Bry, of Williamsport, Penn., and Charles H. Lawrence, Esq., of Chicago, visited our city early this week to inspect the site of the proposed leaching works, which are to be erected here by the syndicate. They were in the company of A. E. Hyde, Esq., of Salt Lake City, manager and one of the owners of the Buffon-Rock and Champion mines. After examining and approving the site and the location of the line, which will connect it with our railroad, they visited and were greatly pleased with the largest and most complete beet sugar factory on the continent. The next day, in company with Mr. Hyde and Thomas H. Cutler, of this city, and John Beck, Esq., of Salt Lake City, who is principal owner of the Buffon-Rock & Champion Mine, they visited Eureka in Tintic district, and went through the gold mine in that famous district. We learn from Mr. Cutler that they were thoroughly convinced that Tintic is the richest silver mining district in the Union, and now has in the domes enough ore of the kind that they will treat in their mill, to keep it running constantly for several years, saying nothing of the vast quantity in the mine.

They will visit Park City and Denver this week and then return east to complete arrangements for the immediate erection of the mill.—*Lehi Banner.*

Dangerous Life Preservers.

"I don't see how that bumpkin can ever be worthwhile."

"Why, he hasn't bumped at all. There only one of those life preservers behind him." "Yes, but if he goes under the water he will have to be inflated and act as a drowning preventer."

And so it was, but the winter season completely disappointed, and it is not likely that that style of suit will ever become popular, since those who are good swimmers were such amateurs, and those who are not good swimmers, for reasons to find the need of it, still every one is a little fond of their suits of linen, and accordingly a young woman with a mouth for life preserver stepped over about fifteen under arms jumping into the water. The south was now recently, and so the kid did go out above her knees for the first the season of its wearing was not fully apparent. It made her look so very conspicuous that in many ways it was a life preserver with a young women instead of a young woman with a life preserver.

A Maryland Tourney.

Fifteen gallant knights participated in the tournament yesterday afternoon on Sly Lady's Manor, Baltimore county. The county was held on the farm of Mr. Jacob M. Frank, about 20 miles east of Baltimore, on the Western Central railroad. The weather was one of expert horsemanship, and in this particular the tourney of to-day was a model. It is only a few days since the announcement of this tourney was made in the Baltimore newspapers, and yet the lists were filled for the prizes offered for the various contests. In yesterday's tourney prizes were given to the best four successful knights, with the best four and the honor of crowning the queen and maids of honor, which were really the most coveted prizes. The proceedings took place on Mount Hill, near the tournament grounds. The maid party and others then enjoyed a dance.—*Baltimore Sun.*

Young Members of Parliament.

One "youngest congressman" is scarcely more than twenty-five years old, in accordance with the provisions of the constitution, but the British house of commons has member several years younger. One of the newly returned members, William Allen, is twenty-one, and Frederick Smith and Mr. Dalrymple are not yet twenty-four. They do not break the record of political precocity, however, for Mr. William Pitt was only twenty when he made his maiden speech in the house, the record that he was not a child of the old block, but the old block itself.—*Chicago Herald.*

A Bet of Grasshoppers.

The best excuse ever made by an old farmer of Kansas, who went into bet on an old-fashioned that grasshoppers could be eaten—the John the Baptist level on locusts and wild honey—occurred.

"Well, John the Baptist might have done that, for there were days of miracles, and I believe a man could eat almost anything then, but if he lived now days he have to be fitted out with a different kind of a stomach to enjoy these hoppers."—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

It Should Be "Chicago."

By all means let us say "Chicago." A man should certainly know how to pronounce the name of the place he lives in, and it is the duty of every other inhabitant of this great and glorious country to agree with him and endeavor to imitate him.—*The New York Tribune.*

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