

On last Tuesday afternoon a most murderous plot was consummated on the line of the Union Pacific, some five miles west of this city, but the facts were not made known until today. It would seem that the parties concocting the scheme were unacquainted with the time of the running of trains. Otherwise the loss of life and property would have been appalling. Evidently the train wreckers expected a train from the west, and so placed a tie across the track so that it would catch in the pilot, lift the engine from the track and hurl it down an embankment. Fortunately the first train to pass over the road came from the east, which after shoving the tie along the track some 200 or 300 feet threw it out of harm's way.—*Cheyenne Tribune.*

The Nephi Ensign of the 2d, says: Artesian or flowing wells are now occupying the attention of a great many of the people of Mona. Just north of Mona there are several good flows and the wells are only from 85 to 95 feet deep. Bryant Young, however, who has lately been driving, sunk his well to a depth of 372 feet without getting water. Everything was going nicely, but Mr. Young did not wish to have the pipe driven any further and the drill was 115 feet ahead of the pipe. The work on this well will be continued shortly. Bishop Klenke has been talking with the people and has succeeded in getting enough support to warrant the experiment of driving for a well on the meeting house lot, and Messrs. Stephenson & Johnson are now at work with their horse and apparatus. We wish them success.

Pueblo, Col., Sept. 2.—About noon today the passenger train from Leadville on the Denver & Rio Grande road struck a large rock that had fallen from the bluff near Beaver Creek, 24 miles west of this city. The locomotive was wrecked and the engineer, David Shaw, was killed. Several tramps were stealing a ride. One of them was killed and two badly wounded. The accident occurred at 1 o'clock, less than a mile west of Beaver station. A great mass of rock and earth had fallen from the bluffs and crushed a bridge over a small ravine. The train was coming from Leadville at fast speed. The fireman, Stevens, saw the landslide first, and called out to the engineer to jump at the same time jumping himself, but Shaw instead of doing so reversed and put on brakes, which undoubtedly saved the passengers. The next instant the engine was totally wrecked. Shaw's head was caught between the engine and tender as they separated, the brains being spilled out. One arm was also severed, and the whole body literally cooked by escaping steam. Dave Shaw was about 35 years old. He was one of the best engineers on the road and was married only four months ago. His home was in the city.

The baggage and mail car was thrown up, with one end jammed into the bluff and badly wrecked, but both the mail and baggage men escaped serious injury. The smoking car was pulled off its trucks. The passengers in it were severely shaken up, and some jumped from the windows, but none were injured. Four men were stealing a ride on the platform of the baggage car. One of them, a coal miner, name not yet learned, had his back broken and died in half an hour. Of the other three two were badly injured internally, and one named Haines will probably die. The name of one of them is Thomas Manix. He was formerly a car scaler in Denver, and his mother lives there. They are in the hospital here. The fourth man escaped with fingers crushed. The wreck is being cleared away, and trains are being transferred. The train that had the accident arrived here at 7 o'clock this evening on its way to Denver.—*Denver News.*

NORTHERN NOTES.

Bear Lake Stake Tabernacle—Painful Accident, Etc.

Ernest S. Penrose furnishes the following items, in a communication dated Montpelier, Idaho, September 1st:

MONTPELIER, Sept. 1, 1887.

Editor Desert News:

The Bear Lake Stake Tabernacle is nearing completion. The walls are up to the square, the gables are finished, and the carpenters are busily engaged putting up the galleries and roof. About half of the rock used in the building is a red sand stone, hauled from Indian Creek Cañon, about 18 miles southeast of Paris. It will be the finest building of the kind north of Salt Lake City. All of the rock work will be finished in about two weeks. The dimensions of the building are 65x110 feet; the walls are 30 feet from the base to the square; with a semi-circular vestry 34 feet high. The upper part will be used by the choir. The centre tower will be 75 feet high. The basement is arranged so that it can be fixed to heat the building by steam or hot air. The building when completed will accommodate about 3,000 people. President Budge and others of the building committee have been very energetic in pushing the work forward.

Brother Thomas Passey has just put up a new building and started a creamery in conjunction with his dairy, but he makes a very fine article of butter, producing an average of 600 pounds a week, for which he has a

ready market along the O. S. L. Railway.

Brother James M. Holmes, of Montpelier, met with a painful accident a few days ago, while he was stacking hay. He had just finished the load and stepped down on to the basket hay rack and was raking the loose hay from the sides of the stack, when the rack frame gave way throwing him on to a sharp stake which pierced his thigh to the depth of about five inches, cutting through his clothing and forcing a piece of cloth into the wound, which is very painful. It was a difficult task for him to extricate himself from the position in which he fell. He is getting along very well, although the wound pains him when moving around. Last night was a very cold and frosty one and there was a slight fall of snow in the mountains.

TO BE SHUT DOWN.

The "Alice" Closes Because of the Freight Rates on Salt.

We have received the following circular from the Alice Gold and Silver Mining Company, whose works are located in Montana, the principal owners being the Walker Brothers of this city:

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Alice Gold and Silver Mining Company, held at the office of the company at Salt Lake City, Utah, on Saturday, the 3d day of September, 1887, the following preamble and resolutions were offered and adopted:

"WHEREAS, in the best judgment of this board, on account of the adverse decision of Vice-President J. J. Potter of the Union Pacific Railway Company, to deliver salt at a less rate than \$10 per ton, or \$12 per ton for the freight of the same and \$3 per ton for the first cost of the salt, and the present low price of silver, it is advisable to close down the Alice Company's works for such a period as may bring more favorable terms on the freight rate on salt from the Union Pacific Railway Company, and in the interim silver may advance in price. The injustice of the charges of the Union Pacific Railway Company is apparent, as they deliver coal at a cost of \$6 per ton;

"And Whereas, The Alice Company have paid the said railway company about the sum of \$90,000 per annum for salt, the same has become grievous and a great burden;

"And Whereas, The price of silver on the market has been for a long time past at a very low figure; ranging at about 95 cents per ounce and below that figure, per ounce fine, which brings it near the cost of production;

"Now, therefore, be it and it is hereby Resolved, That in view of the facts cited, that this Board authorize the President to issue instructions to the Superintendent to close down the mines and mills as soon as the present supply of salt and fuel now on hand is consumed, and whether consumed or not, to close down the works on October 1st, 1887;

Also, To instruct him to place sufficient watchmen on the premises for its protection, and that the sense of this resolution is that the Company's works remain closed until the said Railway Company make concessions on the cost of salt and until silver advances on the market;

It is further Resolved, That the Secretary is hereby instructed to issue a copy of this resolution to each of the stockholders of record, and also to assure them that the mines of the Company are in condition to produce the usual amount of ore to run the mills, but that the policy of this Board is to protect the interests of the stockholders, and only commence mining again when there is an assurance that the Company can make money out of their ores so as to pay a fair dividend to its stockholders."

I hereby certify that this is a correct copy of a resolution passed by the Board of Directors of the Alice Gold and Silver Mining Company this 3d day of September, A. D. 1887.

B. G. RAYBOULD,
Secretary.

REMOVING FROM TEMPE.

The Few Saints of That Place Go to Zenos.

A correspondent advises us that the few Saints in Tempe, Maricopa County, Arizona, are about to remove to Zenos (Mesa City) in the same county. The writer states that while they have generally been treated with respect by the people of that place, and that the town contains some honorable and liberal citizens, a recent meeting of the Saints was disturbed by a shower of stones thrown at and upon the building. A prominent Baptist was a leader in this mobocratic demonstration, which, however, is condemned by the better portion of the citizens of Tempe.

It is thought that, by making the removal spoken of, the Saints will have more room and better opportunities to grow and increase. The correspondent continues:

"This is a year of great abundance in grains also in fruit, of which there is hardly a limit to kinds suited to this latitude. If there is any country this side of the palmy and fruitful days of Old Palestine that can be made so abundantly to 'flow with wine, oil, milk and honey,' I have never found it. Here it is a verity.

THIS INTERIOR MOUNTAIN VALLEY

and desert country is a second Palestine, and lying a little farther south, can produce the citrus and perhaps other classes of fruits not grown in that land. A more healthful climate there is not perhaps under the sun. The railroad is now really here and the "boom" has started. Land and water claims are fast going up in price, and where speculation or price will stop the future alone can tell. The only present fear with me is that this country is too fruitful of earthly blessings to be really healthy for "Mormons." I am glad to say that there are many good faithful Saints in this region of country; who are earnestly striving to live for the great future."

First District Court.

His Honor, Judge H. P. Henderson, came to Provo on Monday for the purpose of disposing of some unfinished business connected with the last term of court held in this city.

After the formal opening by Sheriff Turner, in the absence of the regular bailiff, U. S. District Attorney Peters called the attention of the court to the case of James Smith, convicted of unlawful cohabitation, which had been carried to the Territorial Supreme Court on appeal. The court ordered that a commitment be issued.

In the case of Thomas R. Cutler, whose case is entered on the calendar for the next term, on motion of Mr. Thurman, it was ordered that the plea of not guilty, heretofore entered, be withdrawn, and a motion to quash the indictment be interposed before the first of the next term.

In the case of Joseph Clark, remittitur from the Supreme Court having been received, it was ordered that a commitment be issued.

Remittitur having also been received from the Supreme Court in the case of Abe Chalmers, court ordered that commitment be issued.

On the application and motion of the District Attorney, it was ordered that the case of James Epps be dismissed, and that the U. S. Marshall immediately release said Epps.

In the case of Hyrum Wilson, charged with contempt of court, it was ordered that the defendant appear in this court to answer on Sept. 20th.—*Provo Enquirer.*

Accidents.

On Sunday evening just after dark, Oscar Cliff and Bert Smoot started in a buggy for Springville. When near Bullock's farm, the buggy wheel on the side that Bert Smoot was on, came off. Bert fell out, and Oscar Cliff was thrown on the left side of his face, seriously using him up. The horse ran with the buggy, and finally stopped, with what was left of the vehicle. Help was procured and Cliff was brought to town in an unconscious condition, remaining insensible till away in the night. He has been confined to his bed ever since, but is now progressing as well as can be expected under the circumstances. Bert Smoot feels lucky that he escaped with only a little shaking up.

Monday morning Mr. Statton, from Provo Bench, was in Tie Fork, Spanish Fork Cañon, chopping trees, when a serious accident befel him. After the tree had been chopped, he was pushing it away from the stump, when the upper limbs caught in an adjacent tree, and throwing the butt around, struck him on the left clavicle, breaking it. He walked several miles down the cañon to the D. & R. G. depot, took the train, and arrived in Provo about 3 o'clock. He then walked from the depot to Smoot & Co's. drug store, without anything supporting his arm, inquiring for Dr. Hardy, whom he had lately found, and who placed his collar bone into position. He feels easy now, although it was painful to him during the setting.—*Provo Enquirer.*

According to the recent estimate of a German investigator, about 120,000 hairs grow on the average human head. Many a poor bald man wishes that he could have even one-half of the average due him.

The negroes of Union Point, Ga., are completely under the control of a "hoodoo" doctor. A negro died a week ago and the coroner found that belladonna had been used. From what can be learned the negro women of Union Point are completely under the control of the hoodoo doctor, while the negro men are so fearful of being "tricked" that they will not divulge anything.

Amos J. Biggs, of Fayette, Michigan, went to frighten off two cats that were fighting. A thunderstorm broke out and a flash of lightning killed the cats. When he went into the house his wife fainted. Unconscious of the cause the farmer hastened to bring her to. The first words she uttered—"Oh, Amos, the devil has set his mark on you"—excited his curiosity and he looked in the glass and found the image a black cat photographed in silhouette on his bald front. The picture was perfect. It was five inches from tip to tip and in perfect proportion. The cat's whiskers, teeth, and even the hairs on its tail were reproduced with exquisite minuteness. Curiosity being satisfied, they tried to remove the obnoxious marking, but to no purpose. However, in the morning the picture was much faded, and by noon it had quite disappeared.

THE UTE WAR.

The following, in reference to the Indian troubles now in progress in Colorado, is taken from the *Denver News* of August 30th. The account given of the commencement of the fight throws additional censure upon the whites:

"WASHINGTON, August 29.—The following telegram relative to the Ute Indian trouble has been received from Gen. Terry, Chicago:

General, United States Army,ington:

The following has just been received, dated Fort Duchesne, Utah, August 27:

To Assistant Adjutant General, Department of Platte, Omaha, Neb.:

The following from Lieutenant Burnett, Ninth cavalry, who with twelve troopers was sent by request of Indian Agent Byrnes to prevent the invasion of the Indian reservation by the Colorado State troops and cowboys near the borders of the reservation:

August 26.

Colonel Byrnes, Indian Agent:

The Colorado militia, Major Leslie and some cowboys surprised Colorow's camp at 8 a.m. yesterday after having assuaged Colorow at Wolf Creek the day before that they would be allowed to go back to the reservation unmolested. The attack was a complete surprise to the Indians. One child was killed, one man and one woman slightly wounded. The Indians returned the fire, killing one cowboy, wounded three others and mortally wounded three militia soldiers.

I talked with Major Leslie this morning, explaining the situation, and came to an understanding. He assured me he would not cross the reservation without orders from the proper authority. I sent a note to Sheriff Kendall, giving him your message that if he had any warrants to serve to serve them through you. This was in reply to a letter from him in regard to warrants in his possession for Colorow and others. I am satisfied my presence prevented serious fighting and much loss of life, thanks to the influence of interpreter Curtis. Indians Ungaskel, Wash Canaugh and many others want peace if possible, or then war to the knife. I think the trouble is over. Most of the Indians left at once to see you. I will camp to-night about twenty-five miles from the agency and come in to-morrow if nothing prevents.

Geo. R. BURNETT,
First Lieut., Ninth Cavalry."

Agent Byrnes has shown great discretion constantly. He has the confidence of his Indians perfectly, and if they are not attacked on their reservation will hold them securely. They are all well armed and superbly mounted. None of those who have lived on the reservation went to Colorow's assistance till after the attack. It is reported by Burnett that now he is on the reservation. If further pursuit is made by Colorado troops they will stay with him and make a terrible tale of bloodshed. The tribe is armed and preparing for the defensive.

RANDALL, Com'd'g Post.
I have telegraphed the same to General Crook at Rawlins, where he will be to-morrow morning.

RAY, A. A. General.

The *News* has advices dated Glenwood Springs, Col., intimating that the war has begun. A well known scout is quoted as saying that the Utes have made a demand for the 400 ponies which Kendall captured and that the answer they got was that they must first give up Colorow and the two Utes for which Kendall holds warrants, but this they positively refuse to do.

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DUHAMEL CLARK,
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LOST.

AT STRAWBERRY VALLEY, UTAH, Utah, on or about the 8th of July, 1887. One dark brown HORSE, 8 years old, branded W C on right shoulder. One light brown HORSE, 4 years old, branded W C on right shoulder. Anybody sending said animals or information to Wm. M. Cummings, of Kanosh, Millard, Utah, will be rewarded for same. WM. M. CUMMINGS, Sen.

d s & w lt

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of John P. Horne, deceased.

Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made.

SOPHRONIA HORNE, THE ADMINISTRATRIX of the estate of John P. Horne, deceased, having filed her petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of all the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Probate Court, on Monday, the 3d day of October, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said Probate Court, at the County Court House, in the City and County of Salt Lake, Utah Territory, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix, to sell so much of the real estate of said deceased at public or private sale as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DESERT WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and published in said City and County.

Dated August 27th, 1887.

ELIAS A. SMITH,
Probate Judge.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,
County of Salt Lake. } ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made in the matter of the Estate of John P. Horne, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 27th day of August, A. D. 1887.

[SEAL] JOHN C. CUTLER,
Probate Clerk.
By H. S. CUTLER,
Deputy.