

A. J. GREGORY HAS NOW DISAPPEARED.

Well Known Rio Grande Livestock Agent of This City Loses His Mind.

BRUTALLY SLOGGED IN DENVER

Victim of Assault by Thugs Has Completely Dropped Out of Sight From Hotel.

Denver, May 13.—Friends of A. J. Gregory, livestock agent of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, are greatly alarmed over his condition, resulting from an assault of which he was the victim last Saturday night. He has disappeared from the hotel where he was staying, and it is feared his mind has been unbalanced from a blow on the head. Mr. Gregory lives in Salt Lake City and arrived in Denver last Friday.

There is no better known livestock agent throughout this region than "Old Greg." Prior to the absorption of the Rio Grande Western he was connected with the D. & R. G. here, under General Agent Ben Nevins. He is universally liked and respected throughout Idaho, Utah and Nevada. Mr. Gregory is unmarried and resides at 229 West Second South. His friends here are hoping that he is being brought home by Assistant General Freight Agent S. V. Derrah, who returns from Denver tonight. However, this is a heavy thought to be possible, as Mr. Derrah would undoubtedly have notified the hotel people before moving the sick man.

The story, following the brutal assault by holdups as told by the Denver News, is as follows: "Talking incoherently and giving every evidence of having lost his mind, A. J. Gregory, the Rio Grande livestock agent who was so brutally slogged last Saturday night on Stout street between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, and was left there in an unconscious condition, was seen on Seventeenth street yesterday afternoon by Gen. D. A. Cook, an old friend.

"This was the first time the man has been seen since the night of the assault, and his friends were becoming alarmed as to his whereabouts. He exhibited his wounds to Gen. Cook and he showed that he had suffered untold agonies. The general said that they were the worst he had ever seen in his long experience.

"Gregory told his friend that he was going to the telephone office and the two men walked together from Stout street to Curtis on Seventeenth street. He also said he was stopping at the St. James hotel.

"Mr. Gregory lives in Salt Lake City, and he arrived here last Friday night."

COMING CONSTRUCTION.

Prospective Railroad Building Which is Mapped Out for Utah.

The following railroad construction, aside from the Western Pacific and Moffat roads, is on the cards for Utah: Present indications are for a line from Grand Valley, Colorado River and Southern Pacific—Incorporated to build a line from Grand Junction, Colo., to the Pacific coast.

Grand River, Castleton to La Salle Mountain—Grand river to La Salle Mountain, 20 miles; incorporated.

Malad Valley (Oregon Short Line)—Jarvis to Malad City, 32 miles; surveyed.

Milford & Beaver—Milford east to a point beyond Beaver, 35 miles; surveyed.

Rio Grande Western—Pleche to Farmington, 55 miles; surveyed; Marysville south into county, 100 miles; reported under contract to Kippatrick Bros. & Collins of Beatrice, Neb.

Salt Lake & Ogden—Farmington to Ogden, 23 miles.

HEAVY TRAVEL.

World's Fair Business East Bound is Booming in Great Shape.

Eastbound travel is booming and the railroads are having their hands full handling the business. Both the Short Line and the Rio Grande ticket offices are doing a rushing business in world's fair tickets. Tonight Rio Grande No. 1 will go east in two sections the first train being made up of the coaches, a diner, a tourist and sleepers loaded to the limit.

In connection with world's fair business H. O. Wilson, general agent for the Short Line at Butte, is in the city today making arrangements for a big excursion which leaves Butte on June 9, and will pick up another party here which is being organized by Superintendent Clarence A. Blocher of Park City who is engineering a European tour for Baker & Gibson's universal ours.

NEW FAST FREIGHT.

Lackawanna and Lake Shore & Michigan Central Get Together.

Effective on the first of next month new fast freight line organizations will be established between the Lackawanna and the Lake Shore & Michigan Central and connections. These organizations, according to the new York Commercial, are to be known as the Lake Shore-Lackawanna Fast Freight line and the Michigan Central-Lackawanna Fast Freight line.

While there has been a considerable interchange of traffic and cordial cooperation between the Lackawanna and the Lake Shore and Michigan Central, there has not been heretofore any fast freight line organization operating over these lines. The result has been to place the through line thus formed of the Lackawanna at a material disadvantage, with its trunk line competitors who have such organizations in operation, and it is for the purpose of overcoming these disadvantages and strengthening the interchange relations between these companies that the new lines are to be formed.

It is expected that the result will be particularly beneficial in view of the recent establishment by the Lackawanna of its own commercial freight agencies in Cleveland and Minneapolis, which in scope and individuality in the central west and northwest have been exceeded.

Tonight

Col. L. J. Polk Resigns.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 13.—Col. L. J. Polk, vice president and executive officer of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe, has resigned his position.

He resigns from the vice presidency of the Santa Fe to enter into a business arrangement in south Texas. He is now en route to New York to complete arrangements for his new business, the exact nature of which for obvious reasons is not disclosed for the present.

The Record can state authoritatively that the annual session of officers of the Santa Fe to be held in Galveston

this month Col. Polk will not be elected to succeed himself.

He made a trip to Chicago and told President Ripley of the Santa Fe system his intentions. Mr. Ripley used strong persuasive measures to induce Col. Polk to alter his decision.

Events of the past 10 days, however, have evolved conditions whereby Col. Polk will greatly benefit his interests by severing his connection with the Santa Fe and he has accordingly given notice that his resignation must become effective.

Railroads Give Relief.

Chicago, May 13.—Eastern railroad managers have come to the relief of Chicago shippers by announcing that they will take business at lake rates until the strike of masters and pilots is ended.

Lake rates, however, already have been advanced in consequence of the strike, and the lumber carriers' association and the pilots and masters have settled their differences the lumber vessels are free to take any business offered and seven were chartered during the day for 340,000 bushels of corn for Buffalo at 2 1/2 cents, an advance of 1 1/2 cents.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The California chamber of commerce, traveling in a palatial special train from San Francisco to the World's Fair, passes through Ogden at noon tomorrow going east over the Union Pacific.

General Superintendent Everett Buckingham of the Oregon Short Line is out on the Union Pacific today looking into the cause of the wreck yesterday of No. 2.

George W. Heintz who left Salt Lake to become general freight and passenger agent of the North Shore running out of San Francisco, has also assumed the duties of purchasing agent.

The Oregon Short Line will introduce a new cylinder coal next week in conjunction with the rest of the Harman lines.

There are three tourist carloads of world's fair passengers at the Rio Grande depot today from the west. They spent the day looking over the city and go east tonight on No. 4.

The Denver and Rio Grande is preparing to change its line to Montrose, Delta and Grand Junction to standard gauge. All bridges save the 600-foot one at Grand Junction have been widened. It is anticipated that the road will not have a third rail for the narrow gauge line, but to lay two 80-pound rails. It is expected that the work will have been completed within six months or more.

50 PER CENT OFF.

\$1.25 Satin Foulards, 65¢ cents per yard. Monday, May 14 and 15. Entire stock. R. K. THOMAS, Dry Goods Co.

Fans. One of the largest stocks of pretty and dainty fans in values from \$1.00 to \$5.00 each. At the LACE HOUSE, 1 to 4 p. m. tomorrow. Half price.

M. BREEDEN DEAD.

Brother to Attorney General of Utah Passes Away at Santa Fe.

Attorney-General Breedon received the sad intelligence this morning from Santa Fe, N. M., of the sudden death of his brother Matthew, from heart failure.

The deceased was 57 years of age, a mining man of 30 years' standing in the New Mexican capital, and was very much respected. Judge Breedon is unable to go to Santa Fe because of pressing engagements, which necessitate his remaining in this city for a number of days to come.

GENERAL CHURCH NEWS.

Elder George Reynolds, assistant editor of the Juvenile Instructor, official organ of the "Mormon" Sunday schools, leaves for the world's fair tonight, to be absent about two weeks.

Elders L. John Nuttall and William A. Morton will go to Cedar City tonight for the purpose of attending a Sunday school convention to be held there tomorrow and Sunday by the St. George, Parowan, Beaver, Panguitch and Kanab stakes. They will be joined there by Elder Joseph W. Summerhays and possibly Elder William D. Owen, members of the general board.

POSTMASTER FOR REYNOLDS, ID.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., May 13.—Oscar P. Brunzell has been appointed postmaster for the Idaho county, Idaho, vice J. M. Brunzell, removed.

Ward Entertainments.

Tonight a dance will be given in the Princeton hall annex corner First South and Eighth West. As this is the last ball of the season, it is expected that it will be the best. Extra good music has been obtained and all are cordially invited.

AN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL.

Dr. Beatty Discusses the Necessity for Such an Institution.

It is the remark in the local medical profession that an emergency hospital station is a necessity in this city. It is understood that such a convenience was readily provided in the building of the new city jail, but the city council never made any appropriation for its maintenance. Secretary Beatty of the state board of health says there ought to be such a station in active maintenance right now. With a police surgeon in attendance.

When that unfortunate fireman fell from the pole on Second East street the other day, it was some two hours before medical help could be secured; and time in such cases is often a very essential factor. Moreover, some weeks ago a young man named Stanley had a fall and his right hand badly mangled by its being caught in the machinery of a west side manufacturing establishment.

Tonight

If your liver is out of order, causing Biliuness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it has been the experience of you; HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

ment, and although he was immediately brought up to the Mercantile building where there are any number of doctors' offices, not a medicine could be found to cure for the young man. And there are others. With an emergency hospital station at the police station, and a surgeon in attendance all cases of injuries could receive prompt and immediate treatment, such as might be hospital cases being sent there immediately afterwards.

Center Pieces (to be worked), Large size and pretty designs. Values \$1.50 and \$2.00. Lace House, 7 to 9:30 p. m. tomorrow, 9c.

LOOKS BETTER FOR HIM.

Supreme Court Takes Action in the Dead Horse Larceny Case.

In the case of the State of Utah vs. W. E. Jordan the supreme court today rendered an opinion reversing the judgment of the lower court and recommending that the case be dismissed. Jordan was charged with grand larceny for the stealing of two horses from D. B. Perkins in San Juan county on Dec. 5, 1902. The horses were found dead in Jordan's field and the evidence went to show that a man working for Jordan killed them because they kept breaking into the grain stacks. There was no evidence to connect Jordan with the affair or to even show that he approved of the acts of his employee, but to the contrary. It was shown that he was not on the ranch at all when the horses were killed, and did not return home until some time after the affair.

He was found guilty of the crime, however, and sentenced to 20 months in the state prison. This judgment is reversed by the supreme court today, the opinion being written by Chief Justice Haskin and concurred in by Justices Haskin and Justice Baskin.

LATE LOCALS.

Quite a number of country people are in the city today, purchasing agricultural machinery.

Col. Sam Pack has gone to New York, and will visit the world's fair before returning home.

Hon. F. S. Richards has been confined to his house since his return with malaria, but is now convalescent.

J. L. Brandford has recovered from all illness of several weeks, and is able to attend actively to business again.

State Supt. of Schools A. C. Nelson is in American Fork today attending the closing exercises of the schools there.

On tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock Judge Hall will set equity cases for trial in his court from June 1 to 30 inclusive.

The weather office operations are becoming so extensive that more room is necessary, and the present suite of offices will be increased by two more.

President Hille of the Deseret bank remarked today that the money market was featureless, and likely to continue so until after the next election.

Tourists from the coast have been pouring into the city all day, en route east to their homes, after a pleasant winter's sojourn on the Pacific coast.

The Independent Telephone company will give a reception early in June in its new central station building on State street, by which time the plant will be well equipped for order. Admission to the building will be by invitation only.

J. Waters has received a gratifying intelligence that his son in New York, Dr. Waters, has so far recovered from his critical illness as to be able to be home.

Stanford university closes the coming week, and the Utah graduates and undergraduates will be home a little later. It is a well established fact that all of the Utah students stand well at Stanford.

Gov. Wells today appointed Neph J. Orrin as special road supervisor of Iron county to oversee the expenditure of \$15,000 appropriated by the last Legislature for the improvement of the roads in that county.

Ralph McCreery was arrested at the Juvenile hall yesterday upon a complaint sworn to by Mrs. Marie Houck charging him with grand larceny. It is reported that he stole \$50 from the complainant. He was released from custody last night by Sheriff Emery under bonds in the sum of \$500.

Special lesson topic cards for Christian Endeavor work in prisons have been received by the Utah department of the state prison, from Endeavor headquarters at Boston. These topics were selected by the national prison committee, three members of which reside in Utah and New Mexico.

Superintendent Zeigler of the Ohio Copper company is in the city today from Bingham, looking after some business matters and will return to camp again tomorrow morning. Mr. Zeigler says everything is moving along very satisfactorily both at the mine and mill.

The work of serving poll-tax notices is progressing very satisfactorily and Poll-tax Collectors Nichols and Cowan are doing a fine job. Mr. Nichols is trouble this year in collecting the tax for the reason that the new ordinance passed by the city council is a strong one, and the poll-tax collectors will not be able to beat it in the courts like they did the old one last year.

Attorney Hein of the legal department of the reclamation bureau of the geological survey, was in town today for a few hours, enroute from Washington to San Francisco on department business. He returns east in two weeks, when he will remain over in Salt Lake for a few days to advise with Attorney Richards, Prof. Swenden, State Engineer Foreman, and others interested in the irrigation question.

President Wallace of the Bell Telephone company stated today, relative to the alleged offer of the Postal Telegraph company for pole service from Cheyenne, "We have not looked up to the Postal company, but should it build into this territory, it would be our duty to deliver business to either the Postal or the Western Union, as we were."

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BOSTON MARKET.

Closing quotations today as reported by Hudson & Sons Co., brokers, were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	50 1/2	50 3/4
Con. Mercur	33	34
Daily West	22 1/2	23
Iron	12 1/2	13
United States	20 1/2	20 3/4

NEW YORK CLOSING STOCKS

Friday, May 13, 1904.

Atchafalpa	100	100 1/2
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Baltimore & Ohio	100	100 1/2
Canadian Pacific	100	100 1/2
Chicago & Alton	100	100 1/2
Chicago & North Western	100	100 1/2
Colorado Southern	100	100 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	100	100 1/2
Detroit & St. Louis	100	100 1/2
Illinois Central	100	100 1/2
Metropolitan	100	100 1/2
Mexican Central	100	100 1/2
Missouri Pacific	100	100 1/2
New York Central	100	100 1/2
Norfolk & Western	100	100 1/2
Rock Island	100	100 1/2
Salt Lake	100	100 1/2
Southern Pacific	100	100 1/2
Union Pacific	100	100 1/2
Wisconsin Central	100	100 1/2

PERSONALS.

Dr. J. W. Gue of Mackay, Ida., is a guest at the Wilson.

Colonel J. A. Murray, vice president of the National bank of the Republic, is at the Knutsford hotel. He has been spending the unpleasant part of winter on the coast, and reports it rather quiet out there in a tourist way this season.

Edward Gage, for the last five years steward at the Knutsford, has resigned, as his wife's health calls for a change of climate. His successor is named Thurston, and comes from the Great Northern hotel at Chicago.

COURT NOTES.

Marion C. Whitney has instituted divorce proceedings in the district court against Oliver Whitney on the ground of habitual drunkenness. They were married at Billings, Mont., on July 4, 1891. Plaintiff also asks for \$30 per month alimony and the custody of their children.

Suit for divorce has been filed in the district court by Adeline V. McMahon, on the ground of failure to support. They were married in this city on Jan. 16, 1893, and have one child, the custody of which is asked by plaintiff.

Suit for divorce was filed in the district court today by Mae Copp against Walter Copp.

The will of the late Apostle Brigham Young, deceased, was admitted to probate today by Judge Hall and B. S. A. C., and L. H. Young were appointed executors without bonds, as provided in the will.

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