NEWS OF THE WEST.

A Portuguese Murdered On His Ranch in California.

CHEYENNE FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

Petroleum Emulsion As a Destroyer of Grasshoppers—Damage By Rains.

Considerable hay in Fresno county, Cal., has been damaged by rain.

Says the *Cheyenne Leader*: The Fourth of July tournament committee have raised $1,000, and expect to increase the amount to $1,500 before they go through.

J. D. Henderson, who was turned in by the county jury for a lunatic, died on Tuesday, he died. Mr. Henderson, who was one of the prominent citizens of the county, went there from Ogden, Utah, about ten years ago.

The Hancock and Florence railroad company has determined to build a road, which will run from Tempe to Mesa and to run four trains to and from Mesa and Florence morning and afternoon going four times daily each way.

Hundreds of homeless in the Mesa grant in New Mexico will not be disturbed. Persons who have occupied houses on the grant for ten years will be given title to their homesteads. They will simply be required to designate the 160 they have actually occupied.

The report that the fruit crop of Lassen was entirely ruined by frost was somewhat exaggerated, says the Reno (Nevada) Gazette, and it is echoed by the papers, as well as from other sources, that while the crop will not be of wonderful magnitude, still there will be enough to supply the home market and some to spare.

Flues have been perfected for the Arizona Territorial reform school at Flagstaff. It will be at Flagstaff sometime next will cost $25,000. It will be situated a quarter of a mile from the city on a tract of 160 acres, secured at a nominal price from the Atlantic and Pacific railroad. In size the building will be 184x100, with three floors.

Word comes from Loveland and Berthoud, says the Longmont (Colo.) Ledge, confirming the report that the bean crop data has been washed out. This will make the farmers dependent upon this district for water for irrigation in very bad shape. If this dam could not be repaired in fifteen days their entire crop would be lost, unless there should be a large amount of rain.

It is reported that the oil crop promises to be good this season throughout most of the state of Montana. Cattle, as a rule, have wintered well and have come through in good condition in valleys almost invariably known. This is one of the best indications that are in our flock are beginning to lose their calves during the winter and the loss is less of calves than usual at the proper time.

It has been discovered that petroleum emulsion sprayed upon grasshoppers will destroy them. A meeting was held at Meridian Tuesday evening, says the Boise (Idaho) *Daily Statesman*, to start an organization of companies. The ditch company contributed 50 gallons of oil for the work. The grasshoppers are young now. They are easily driven until they come to a ditch where they congregate, the oil then being sprayed upon them.

Michael Harrison is in the Pueblo, Colo., county jail for the murder of his brother, Daniel, on their ranch on the Stonly near Greenera, Monday afternoon. Mike came to town and surrendered himself to the sheriff, saying that he had shot his brother. He is an over night and the officers were inclined to believe that he had become insane and that his story of the shooting was an hallucination. Under search it was seen to be true, and it was found that his statement was true.

Manuel Rosas, a Portuguese residing on the Mesa ranch in the Jack Hayes canyon, Cal., was murdered by an unknown man while returning home on Wednesday night. The assassin did his work well and left no trace behind him. The murder was evidently a premeditated one, and was done for purpose of robbery, at least, that is the theory of the officers. Some $5.50 in money and a gold watch and chain were found on the person of the deceased.

There have been filed with the secretary of state for Wyoming articles of incorporation of the W. F. Cody transportation company and the W. F. Cody hotel company. The transportation company is capitalized at $10,000 and is organized to run a stage line between Sheridan and the national park. The hotel company will build a 50,000 hotel at Sheridan. Associated with Buffalo Bill in the enterprise are H. A. Coe, George Canfield and Sherman Cornell.—*Laramie Boomerang.*

Says the Helena (Mont.) *Independent*: Mr. Louis Hamlet, who was at Silver Creek on Sunday, tells a very pathetic story in connection with the high water. The water is higher than ever known before in that section of the country. Living on an island was a Mr. Bowman, with his wife. Last Sunday he died, and his place is so surrounded by water that it is impossible for any one to get to the house, or for those at the house to get the body to the mainland.

The coal supply of Montana is beginning to be appreciated by the country, remarks the Great Falls *Independent*. While the East and South are suffering from fuel famine, owing to the enforced strike of the miners in Illinois, and the railroads centering in Chicago are greatly inconvenienced, this state is supplying a great international population in unusually large numbers, which employ the highest prices labor. The Northern Pacific is abundantly supplied from its Montana mines, and the Great Northern now goes any road as far east as Devil's Lake, N. D.

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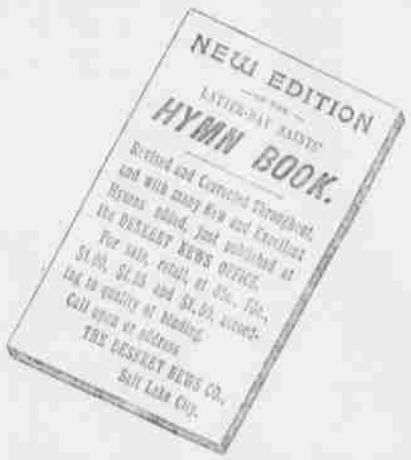

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