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KILLED BY THE MOB.

51 Colored Prisoners Shot to Death in the Woods.

ACCUSED OF INCENDIARISM.

Valley After Valley Poured Into the Outlaws, who were Handcuffed and Linked Together.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 1.—News comes this morning of the lynching of six negroes, two miles west of Millington, a village on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad. For a year or more the people of that part of the country have been kept in a continual state of excitement by the work of incendiarism. Barns and dwellings have been burned, and recently the buildings on the Millington Fair grounds were destroyed. Suspicion pointed to Dan Hawkins, Robert Jaynes, Warner Williams, Ed Hall, John Hayes and Graham White. Yesterday they were arrested near Kerrville, in the western part of the county, by Deputy Sheriff Richardson. Later in the day the deputy started with the prisoners in a wagon for Millington, where they were given a preliminary examination. About midnight, when the party was nearing Millington, it was stopped by fifty men armed with shot guns, who killed all the prisoners, and, after mounting the horses, which were tied near by, rode away in the darkness.

The lynchers were not masked, but the officer, being new to that section, recognize none of them. An inquest was held this morning and the jury which included two negroes found that the prisoners had come to their death "at the hands of persons unknown."

The sheriff of the county, who was in open his office today, will take the matter up.

Dan Hawkins was arrested a year ago with several others, charged with burning barns and residences in the Kerrville neighborhood. They were brought to trial and two sentenced to the penitentiary. They made a full confession and implicated Hawkins as the leader of the band of firebugs. Hawkins got a new trial and after spending some months in jail was released a few weeks ago. Since that the burnings have recommenced and the Millington neighborhood as well as Kerrville has suffered. Deputy Sheriff Richardson was engaged to ferret out the incendiaries, and with the assistance of a negro "detective" he at length got evidence that resulted in the arrest of Hawkins and the other five negroes lynched.

About midnight yesterday the officer secured a two horse wagon and a white man named Tom Atchison to drive it. He loaded the prisoners into the vehicle, handcuffed and chained together, and started for Millington. As they reached the big cross two miles west of Millington, somebody in the woods by the roadside called out:

"Don't try to cross there, the bridge is down. Come this way."

Richardson got down and taking the horses by the head led them into a path that opened in the direction whence the warning came. It was dark in the woods, but suddenly Richardson saw a gun presented at his stomach, and a stern voice said:

"Throw up your hands!"

"What does this mean?" demanded the officer.

"None of your business," was the reply "throw them up."

The officer obeyed. Then Atchison was ordered to get down and was placed under guard. The negro prisoners attempted to leap from the wagon. A volley rang out from forty or fifty guns and they fell back wounded and dying. A dozen of the men leaped into the wagon and threw them out. Volley after volley was poured into the struggling mass and in a few minutes all was still. Hawkins's head was almost shot from his shoulders and the others were terribly mangled. The men, after making sure that all six were dead, mounted and rode away. Atchison then mounted one of the mules and hastened to Justice Mills's to report, some distance away, and notified him of the slaughter. At daybreak the justice was at the scene of lynching with a jury composed of five white men and two negroes, who rendered the verdict as above stated.

BITTER TO THE END.

A Secret Marriage and a Sensational Funeral.

QUINCY, Ill., Sept. 1.—With the death of Terrence Dealey, an employe of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy freight depot, comes to light a sad romance. At the funeral not a little interest was caused by the presence of a tall, black robed figure that walked behind the casket. Two years ago Terrence Dealey was privately married to Mary Scandler. There were obstacles to the marriage on the part of the mother of the deceased, who threatened to disinherit him in case of marriage, and the couple went to Vincennes, Indiana, and were married. Dealey continued to live at home, and the girl lived out in families. Then Dealey at last fell ill, and it was thought his sickness was unhealthy, the wife made known their marriage and pleaded with him, but was repulsed. Then she got friends interested for her and a number of priests talked to the mother in behalf of the wife, but to no avail. At last she appealed to an officer of the Knights of Honor, of which her husband was a member. He also interceded but without avail until he threatened to withdraw his aids from the house of the sick man. The mother then told him to speak with her son and whatever he said would be all right. The young man consented to an interview with his wife, and when the news that she was to be allowed to see him was carried to her the poor girl dropped down in a swoon, carrying her face to her husband and sobbed aloud for joy. She was accompanied on her first visit by the chief of police and the interview lasted for an hour. After that she begged frequently to see her husband but was forbidden to come to the house. It is said, however, that it was her daily custom to walk past the house and sometimes her husband who lay dying at home heard her voice as she passed by. Finally he died. The wife again appealed for permission to see her dear husband and was told that her request would be granted. The mother objected, but her objections were overruled. At the house after the members of the association had relieved the remains, the relatives ordered some him a last farewell and the pallbearers lifted the casket to carry it to the hearse. At this moment, the wife, robed in black and carrying flowers, came in and the casket was ordered opened that she might see him once more. The mother opened up and wanted the wife put out. The president of the association ordered the casket opened, however, and the wife was allowed to imprint a last kiss on the beloved face. Then she fell across the coffin in a fit of grief. She was lifted up and given a seat and her flowers placed on the casket.

The mother again interfered and wanted the flowers thrown out but was told to "keep quiet."

At the church, however, the wife walked in her proper place behind the casket, but in the procession for the village was out to the rear. When they were out of the church the mother rescued river and struck the wife upon the arm and afterward had her flowers laid off of the grave.

OPINIONS DIFFER.

A Question Concerning Elections, to be Settled in Court.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 1.—A. L. Maxwell, chairman of the People's party state central committee, in answer to questions propounded by him by Attorney General Hamlin, as to whether the People's party candidates must under the statute, nominate by petition, and asking what is his opinion constituted a judicial election, has received a lengthy opinion from the attorney general. The attorney general holds that as legislative and county candidates, there has been no general election since 1892 and any special election in localities places since November, 1894, do not constitute general elections within the meaning of the statutes. Chairman Maxwell in an interview said:

The opinion of the attorney general is in direct opposition to that of the secretary of state, who held that under the laws composing the fourth judicial district, where an election to judge of the supreme court was held last night, parties not polling a two per cent vote, must nominate all candidates by petition this year, while the attorney general holds that as far as nominations for county, legislative and congressional candidates are concerned, the judicial election is not a general election. However, we shall perhaps take steps to bring this matter into the courts and get a ruling on the point within the next ten days. The secretary of state decides that the law is no way obstruct the proceedings but allow the matter to come quickly to trial. About thirty counties are affected by this decision. "As far as Cook county is concerned we must nominate by petition."

The Price of a Tombstone.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 1.—Mrs. F. W. Horsley, wife of an employe of the telephone company, has been arrested charged with the theft of a diamond ring valued at $60, from Isaac Bennett, an ex-mail carrier. Mrs. Horsley had pawned the diamond to a monument dealer for a tombstone for her brother's grave. She was admitted to bail in the sum of $500.

A TROLLY CAR ACCIDENT.

The Parting of a Wire Causes Panic Among the Passengers.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 1.—While a trolly car was speeding through south Baltimore last night the trolly wire parted, causing a panic among the passengers. The car was traveling ahead at full speed when the heavily charged wire came down upon it. The momentum of the car carried it ahead without the slightest reduction in speed and a moment later the car and wire were separated.

As if by magic the electric fluid was transferred to the vehicle and brilliant sparks and flame flashed from every point of contact. The entire car became heavily charged with electricity. The men seemed alive with spitting brilliant sparks. The motorman and conductor were, for the time being, powerless. The former as soon as he recovered from the shock, swung on to the brake handle with all his might, but the car was going at such a speed that it could not be really brought to a standstill. Meanwhile inside the car women and children were fighting their way out. They pulled and hauled each other with maniacal strength and family fear. There seemed not to be a cool head among the crowd. Without the slightest hesitation they trampled each other down in their wild efforts to escape from the electrified vehicle. Before the car could be stopped several people had been injured. Women in attempting to jump off were thrown violently from the car, and that some one was not killed outright seems marvelous. There were over thirty people aboard and the damaged vehicle not to mention clothes or an injury of some kind.

When the car was finally brought to a standstill it was found to be ablaze in several places, while the motorman position was more or less charged with electricity.

Poisoned by Green Tights.

ANDERSON, Ind., Sept. 1.—Raymond West, a contortionist, is lying in a precarious condition, caused by wearing green tights. He was to have appeared in performances in this city last Friday, and in preparing, the tights fadeo. This was especially the case on his right leg below the knee. He thought nothing of it and was surprised to find the member highly inflamed the next morning.

It had become discolored and swollen to twice the usual size and it is now feared that amputation will be necessary, if not there serious results are expected by blood poisoning, extending over the entire system.

A Washington Statesman Now Dead.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—William J. Stevens, president of the Metropolitan City railway and one of the best known business men in Washington, is dead. He was 53 years of age. During the civil war he served as chief quartermaster to General Rucker.

FLOODS IN TEXAS.

Terrible Scenes of Destruction and Desolation.

TOWNS AND VILLAGES SWEPT AWAY

Thousands of Acres of Farm Land Under Water and Many Lives Reported Lost.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 1.—The scenes of destruction and desolation in the flooded district one hundred miles east and west of here, and extending south from the Southern Pacific railway to the Rio Grande, two hundred miles away, is simply terrible. Thousands upon thousands of acres of pasture and farm land are under water. It is estimated that the damage to the crops in the valley of the Leona river alone will reach half a million dollars. In the valleys Sans and Salinas the losses will be fully as much. Many thousand cattle, horses and sheep were swept away. It is still a matter of uncertainty as to the number of lives lost, but additions to the list of drowned are constantly being made. Half of the houses in Uvalde, a town with 2,800 inhabitants were carried away, and there is much suffering there among the homeless families. Nothing has yet been heard from a settlement of seventy-five families several miles below Uvalde, but there are still grave fears that many, if not all of them, were swept down by the torrent. Dennville was inundated and there was heavy loss of property. There are several other towns in the flooded district whose names could not be learned, is ridiculous.

ENGULFED IN FIRE.

TORONTO, Sept. 1.—Destructive fires are burning the western peninsula of Ontario where the drought has parched the entire country. The village Hensall, Huron county, is surrounded by fire and the whole population is defending it.

THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC'S LOSS.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 1.—Dispatches from the general manager of the Southern Pacific railroad in Texas show that the principal damage sustained by the recent flood was the washing away of the iron spans of the bridges over the Leona, Hondo and Seco rivers. This was caused by flood waters in the mountains. The officials say the report that forty miles of track were washed away and that a million and a quarter loss is incurred, is ridiculous.

Nathaniel Hanks Dead.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Gen. Nathaniel P. Hanks died at his home here this morning.

For nearly two years the general had been ill, but he was not seriously ill until two weeks ago. Early this summer he was taken to the home of his daughter, the wife of Rev. Paul Sterling, Mount Deer Isle. Three weeks ago his condition became more serious and he was brought to his home here. He grew worse and was taken to the Michigan asylum at Somerville. He succumbed rapidly. When he could not recognize the members of his family it was decided by the physicians that nothing could improve his health and yesterday he was conveyed home once more. He began to sink rapidly and at 6 o'clock last evening it was evident the end was fast approaching. Mrs. Hanks, with the general's daughter Mona and a niece, Miss Sylvie Banks, were at the bedside constantly until death. At midnight the general became unconscious and slowly lost strength until death. The end came very quietly. On the announcement of Hanks's death the flags on public buildings were displayed at half-mast. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon. On Monday afternoon the body will be escorted to Asbury Temple by a detail of the G. A. R., where it will lie in state on Monday evening.

ADVICES FROM CHINA.

A Rumor Contradicted—Foreigners Not Safe in the Country.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 1.—A dispatch from Che Foo says the British gunboat Red Pine has returned and reports that there is no truth in the announcement that the Japanese made another attack upon Port Arthur.

Foreigners are uneasy on account of the outrages against missionaries in spite of the imperial edict ordering the natives to respect the missionaries and foreigners.

Gov. Kirkwood Dead.

IOWA CITY, Sept. 1.—Samuel R. Kirkwood, Iowa's governor, died this afternoon. He was born December 20, 1813.

FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.

A Roman Catholic Bishop Arrested at Omaha.

OMAHA, Sept. 1.—Judge C. S. Scott of the district court, has issued an attachment for the person of Richard Scannell, bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Omaha, for contempt of court. The action grows out of the removal of a priest from St. Paul's church by the bishop. Judge Scott had granted an injunction preventing the bishop from interfering with the conduct of the church, pending the hearing by the court. Judge Scott is a strong member of the A. P. A. and recently gained notoriety for causing the arrest of Editor Rosewater of the *Bee*, on a charge of contempt of court.

IN SIAM'S CAPITAL.

The Question is Whether the King is Dead or Not.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* today publishes a long letter from Bangkok, Siam, saying the city is in fever excitement on account of the repeated announcements that the king was sick. Many people believe the news was sent out to test the public opinion, and that the real facts have been withheld for state reasons. Members of the diplomatic corps, it is added, share the general ignorance on the subject.

The British minister has requested that another gunboat be sent from Hong Kong in view of growing unrest.

In high Siamese circles it is asserted the king is suffering from fever, the real cause of his illness being indulgence in cholera. There is small hope of his recovery. The royal palace is crowded with notables, and for some reason unexplained the crown prince is not allowed to see the king.

The palace ladies, the other says, are burning their wealth into diamonds and the king having elevated his relatives to important posts in the kingdom, the duration of the dynasty is regarded as improbable.

The Vigilant and Satanita.

DARTMOUTH, Sept. 1.—The Vigilant and Satanita started this morning in the race for 15 guineas around a triangular course, the Satanita three times around, being 33 miles. The Vigilant got off six seconds ahead and drew slowly away. There was a dense fog which obscured the movements of the yachts. The Satanita got the better of the Vigilant by hugging the shore closely and at the end of the first round the Satanita had a lead of 40 seconds.

The Satanita was timed in at 5.22 p. m., having given up the race. It is presumed the Vigilant also was withdrawn, as both yachts have been towing a long time.

The prize was awarded the Vigilant.

DEATH IN NEW YORK.

Much Loss to the Farmers Will Be the Result.

BUFFALO, Sept. 1.—Western New York is almost literally burning up. The drought is without precedent. The farmers mourn the loss of their crops and they fear great havoc by fire and the starvation of the stock. Counties like Chautauqua and Erie that have dairy interests of great magnitude are the chief sufferers and unless rain comes speedily will be ruined. They will suffer a loss which they can ill afford. The bordering provinces, Ontario, is similarly parched.

New York Stocks.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Sugar monopolizes speculation at the opening and on one side of 14 100 shares the price dropped 14 to 105.

Sugar contributed the lead to point of activity. After an additional loss of 1 it rallied 3 and at 10:15 sold off 1 but at 11 o'clock had regained the loss. Before the close there came a brisk rally in the market, Northern Pacific selling up 2 per cent. Sugar and Rock Island rallied 1; but the market generally closed strong.

Valuable Horses.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Clifford, King of Longwood Ross during were sold at Sheepshead Bay today for $3,000. The purchaser is R. L. Ross. The stable is said to wind up the partnership.

Prizes for Pythians.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Prizes for the competing drill uniform of the rank of the Knights of Pythias were awarded today as follows:

First—Hastings, Hastings, Mich.

Second—Parkersburg, No. 12, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Third—John Burr, Green division, Eau Claire, Wis.

Fourth—Mystic, No. 32, Girard, Kans.

Fifth—New Albany, No. 5, New Albany, Ind.

Sixth—Yellow Cross, No. 85, Allisonia, Ohio.

Seventh—Forest, No. 1, Kansas City, Mo.

Eighth—Terre Haute, No. 8, Terre Haute, Ind.

Ninth—City, No. 18, Radcliffe, Tenth—Indianapolis, No. 56.

In the cavalry drill the prize was won by D. D. Burns's Hussars, of St. Joseph, Missouri, and the infantry drill by the First battalion, First regiment, Indiana, who were without competitors.

The handsome stand colors, offered by the *Evening Star* of Washington to the regiment making the best appearance at the parade was awarded the First regiment of West Virginia.

Brooklyn Clockmakers Strike.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Over 1,000 clockmakers struck in Brooklyn today against the piece work system.

TO LOWER THE RECORD.

Letter Carrier Smith Starts for New York on His Wheel.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Charles E. Smith, the letter carrier, who will attempt to lower the bicycle record from Chicago to New York, left the post-office at 10 o'clock today. Smith carries a letter from Postmaster Hesing to the postmaster of New York.

Towed in Today.

ASTORIA, Sept. 1.—The British bark Glenmaira, which strranded last night near Point Adams spit buoy, was towed off today.

THE WORK OF VILLAINS.

Two Masked Men Kill the Cashier and Rob the Bank.

SALINA, Kansas, Sept. 1.—The bank at Tescott, fifteen miles north of here, was robbed this morning by two masked men who killed the cashier. Sheriff Anderson is organizing a posse to head them off. The robbers started south.

About 8:15 o'clock two masked men entered the bank and shot several times at the cashier and then drawing a knife compelled him to hand over $2,000. They then backed out the front door. Citizens fired at them with revolvers and it is thought one was hit.

John Swartz, a young man, stepped out in the street with a gun. The robbers ran him through the groin. The robbers mounted horses and hurried away. Posses from Tescott, Salina and other points are in pursuit and word has been received that the robbers were seen near Brookville at 1 o'clock.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Reserves, decrease, $937,825; loans, increase, $1,116,200; specie, increase, $849,000; legal tenders, decrease, $1,289,900; deposits, increase, 188,100; circulation, increase, 28,100. The banks had $65,290,825 in excess of requirements.

Wilson Going Abroad.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Representative Wilson, of West Virginia, was in the city getting ready for his trip abroad. He will sail from New York on Wednesday.

A LEGAL BUDGET.

Col. J. R. Winder's Appointment as Receiver for the Property.

LAW AND MOTION SETTINGS

Orders Made Today by Judges Merritt and Hartch—some Additional Naturalizations.

Following is an exact copy of the order handed down by the Supreme court of the Territory yesterday afternoon appointing Colonel John R. Winder receiver of the property of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, in succession to Mr. Henry W. Lawrence:

In the Supreme Court, Territory of Utah. The United States of America, plaintiff, vs. The Late Corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, et al., defendants.

In this cause it is ordered, adjudged and decreed that John R. Winder, of the city of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, be and he is hereby appointed receiver of the defendant, the late corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, as successor to Henry W. Lawrence, the present receiver, heretofore appointed by this court, and of all the real property and debts pertaining to said real property, and the money in the hands of H. W. Lawrence, the present receiver, arising from the rents, issues and profits of such real estate.

It is further ordered and adjudged that the said receiver shall proceed forthwith to collect and get in all of the outstanding debts due to the said late corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints pertaining to the real property now in the possession of the said Henry W. Lawrence as receiver, and to take possession of, manage and control the same, and collect the rents, issues and profits from the said real estate, and to receive from the said receiver, all and singular, the real property and monies lately and now held by him as such receiver.

And it is further ordered, that for the purpose of managing and conducting said business, the said receiver is hereby authorized and empowered to employ counsel and such other and assistance as he may deem proper and necessary for that purpose. He is also authorized and empowered to institute and maintain in his own name, as such receiver, such suit or suits and take such proceedings from time to time in the courts of this Territory or elsewhere as may be necessary to fully and effectually carry out the objects and purposes of this decree, under the direction of this court.

It is further ordered and adjudged that said receiver, at the end of each quarter, file with the clerk of this court an account, under oath, with proper vouchers attached, of his doings and proceedings under this decree.

It is further ordered and adjudged that the said John R. Winder, before entering upon the discharge of his duties as such receiver, shall be sworn to faithfully perform the duties thereof, and enter into an undertaking in the form of law, to the clerk of this court, and to his successors in office, in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, with good and sufficient sureties to the clerk of this court, for the faithful and honest administration of this trust, to be approved by the chief justice of this court.

It is further ordered and adjudged that the said receiver may apply from time to time to this court for further directions and orders herein as occasion may require.

And Henry W. Lawrence, the present receiver herein, is hereby directed to pay and deliver over to the said John R. Winder, as receiver aforesaid, all money, real estate, and other property now in his possession or under his control as receiver, together with all vouchers, books, accounts and furniture of every description, belonging and appertaining to the land and property in his hands. And said Henry W. Lawrence, receiver, is hereby ordered and directed to immediately file a complete report of his acts and doings as receiver, with the clerk of this court, and said clerk is hereby directed to audit said account and submit the same to this court at the next meeting thereof.

LAW AND MOTION SETTINGS.

The following settings were made by Judge Merritt this morning from the law and motion calendar for the September term of the United district court:

SEPTEMBER 3TH.

William Perego vs W. H. Dodge et al, motion for injunction, Orsand O. P. Jostens; W. H. Dickson, Arthur Brown.

William Roberts vs Caroline E. Lewis et al, motion strike out part am. comp., demurrer to am. comp., Bowman & Rich; Lodbourne & Kahn.

C. C. Whittemore vs Thos. H. Cope et al, motion to dis costs, Whittemore & Waite, J. W. Judd; Williams & Van Cott, S. P. Armstrong, Bennett, Marshall & Bradley.

Rebecca B. Carter vs S. L. Bldg. & Loan Ass'n, demurrer to complaint, C. S. Varian, E. W. Talbott; C. S. Kinney.

SEPTEMBER 7TH.

Charles E. Taylor vs E. E. Ritchie, demurrer to complaint, Bennett, Marshall & Bradley; Hamble & Richie.

John C. Davis et al vs L. Bldg. & L. Ass'n, motion to receive, E. W. Talbott, Jno. M. Zane; C. S. Kinney, Rawlins & Critchlow.

Orson K. Holmes et al vs L. S. Sheppard, demurrer to comp. and am. comp., Booth, Lee & Gray; Rawlins & Critchlow, J. H. Hoge.

GENERAL SETTINGS.

Chief Justice Merritt sat in the Third district court for about an hour this morning, and after making the above settings of cases listened to the adjournal motions.

Charles Selby vs N. C. Christiansen et al: Default and decree of foreclosure; attorney's fee of $100 allowed.

John J. Robinson vs J. J. Roberts and Arthur Pratt: On application of Attorney Tanner, leave was given to amend complaint.

Charles W. Vincent vs the same defendants: This latter is the alleged unlawful arrest case, the complaint in which was filed a week or ten days ago.

State Bank of Utah et al vs Pat Ryan et al: On the motion for a receiver, hereinafore argued and submitted, a further hearing was now had and submitted. This is the big "cattle case," the compact in which was recently given to Rose columns.

John Beck vs J. E. Hyde: Motion for the appointment of a referee continued temporarily.

William J. Chalmers vs L. C. Trent et al: Order made for issuance of summons on cross-complaint.

BEFORE JUDGE HARTCH.

John W. Stafford, an Englishman, now of Salt Lake county; Hans Christian Nielson, a Dane, now of Salt Lake county; Lawrence Quinn, a native of the Emerald Isle, now of Summit county; Christian W. Cook, a Dane, now of Salt Lake; Charles O. Lundstrom, a Swede, now of Salt Lake county; John W. Arnup, an Englishman, now of Salt Lake county; Thomas M. Pritchard, same; George Barker, same; Niels Peterson, a Dane, now of Salt Lake county, were all admitted to citizenship.

In the case of J. F. Walker et al vs John F. Colson, the demurrer was sustained and overruled and ten days allowed to answer.

A Quick Proceeding.

A certain testator made his will on August 27th, he died yesterday morning, and before noon of the same date an application was filed in the probate court for the admission of the will to probate. Judge Hart thinks this a case where not much time has been lost.

PARDON FOR DAVIS.

Governor West Appealed to in a Petition

IN BEHALF OF THE MURDERER.

An Application to Have Sentence of Death Commuted to Imprisonment for Life.

Those who have been acting in behalf of Enoch Davis, the Uintah county wife murderer, appealed to Governor West this afternoon to have his Excellency interfere to save the life of the condemned man, who is under sentence to be shot at Provo on September 14.

The petition is signed entirely by ladies, twenty-six in number. All are of Salt Lake City. Among them are Mrs. J. L. Rawlins, Mrs. Priscilla Jennings, Mrs. W. S. McCornick, Mrs. O. J. Salisbury, Mrs. H. P. Henderson, Mrs. P. L. Williams, Mrs. N. W. Clayton, Mrs. Thos. Marshall and Mrs. J. C. Boyle.

The petition is brief, and sets forth "that there are circumstances connected with the case which, if known to your Excellency, would warrant you in commuting the sentence to life imprisonment."

A letter of introduction for the lady who has been making the canvas for signatures is signed by C. W. Bennett, John T. Caine, C. C. Goodwin, Dr. Fowler, Arthur Brown, Bishop Maughan (Catholic), J. C. Conklin, F. G. Horn, and C. W. Burkholz. In the letter it is said: "We believe this object is a worthy one, and should receive the sympathy and support of the citizens of Salt Lake City."

Delegates Chosen.

At a meeting of the Lincoln club of the Second precinct held last night, the following were chosen as delegates to attend the convention of Republican Leagues—clubs at Provo on the 11th: S. H. Hill, W. G. Van Horn, H. H. Burton, Wiley Brown and I. A. Wood.

LIKE THE OLD COUNTRY.

An Animated Scene on "Market Row" This Morning.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning First South street, between East Temple and West Temple, presented a scene which is a pleasant by was altogether reminiscent of "market day" in one of the older towns of England.

At that time the road on both sides was fairly lined with market wagons just from the rural districts, laden with fresh vegetables and fruits of the finest quality, such as only Utah can produce. There was such variety and abundance as to amuse the onlooker to wonder where it was all raised, and called forth many expressions of delight. The quality could not be excelled in any part of the country. The price at which the produces were sold, caused much wonderment as to where the profits of the farmer and orchardist came in. The prosperities, however, is a matter of congratulation for all hailed means, as they can by these circumstances produce the necessities of life at a very reasonable cost.

Police Court Cases.

Justice Smith's docket in the police court today contained fifteen cases, all of a petty character.

Lafayette, the tow and arrow artist, still lingers about police headquarters. He is pleading a crime that may result in his being "let off" as easy as was conspiracy Weiss.

Improving in Health.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Brulaire, of Park City, will be pleased to learn that the condition of their little girl is improved and hopes are entertained for her recovery.

GUILTY AS CHARGED

Captains Grow and Lund Were Disobedient and Disrespectful.

BOTH OF THEM ARE SUSPENDED.

The Former for Three Months and the Latter for Six Months, With a Public Reprimand.

There is no longer speculation or doubt as to what the findings of the court martial of Captains Grow and Lund will be. They were made public at 3:00 o'clock this afternoon and are of such a character as to serve notice on officers of the National Guard of Utah for all time to come that the military laws of the Territory were not enacted for the purpose of trifling with.

News readers will remember that the court martialed captains were accused of taking their respective organizations to Calder's Park to participate in a competitive drill at the Tuscarora encampment and that, too, in disobedience to the orders of the commander-in-chief. The charge the findings fully sustain. They also contain the recommendation that Captain Grow of Company C be suspended for ninety days.

In the case of Captain Lund the punishment is much more severe. That official is suspended as captain from Company B for a period of six months and in addition thereto is to receive a public reprimand.

The findings in each case were "approved" by Governor West, as Commander-in-Chief of the National Guard of Utah. The papers in the two cases closely cover sixteen pages of typewritten manuscript and give full details of the court martial.

Irrigation Congress People.

The Union Pacific today reported the sale of tickets to the following gentlemen who expect to attend the Irrigation Congress which convenes at Denver on Monday next: T. R. Cutler, Lehi; Thomas Kearns, Park City; T. H. Halloway, Dr. Westall, Milford; C. S. Kinney, C. E. Wantland, and C. W. Allison, Salt Lake.

Sanitarium Slide.

The management of the Salt Lake Sanitarium have just made a decided improvement in the south swimming pool of that popular institution by erecting a "slide" down which the merry bathers descend singly, doubly or in parties with a speed fast enough for any one and in a manner most enjoyable to the "tobogganists" themselves. A similar improvement is to be made in the pool for "gentlemen only" within the next few days.

THE TERRITORIAL FAIR.

Exhibit of Grain Expected to Be Made by W. R. Rowe—A Visit to Weber County—Notes.

W. R. Rowe, the receiver of the Bear River Canal company, will probably make an exhibit at the Fair which will include specimens of this year's cereals raised under the great Bear River canal. He reports that potatoes are ranging up to 400 bushels to the acre and that fields of wheat of 640 acres show 32 magnificent stacks when the threshers. Irrigation has produced it all.

Mr. Rowe offers a special premium of $15 to the best seed on the best and most practical mode of irrigating for not 20 nor 40 acres, including the premium produced and practical methods to support a family of eight. An opportunity is here presented to secure an article much desired by those who have just begun experiments in irrigation.

Gen. M. Ottinger has been appointed assistant superintendent of the art department and preparations are already being made to receive the paintings by home artists. Many entries have already been made and everything looks well for this department.

A trip by the secretary through Ogden and parts of Weber county was made this week and the report shows that the people of that locality are interested in the Fair. Browning Brothers, of Ogden, are going to make a special display of their guns, which will be a new and interesting feature. Their inventions are known all over the United States and the people will have an opportunity right under of seeing what they have built so much about.

NOTES.

The bids for music at the Fair this year are now all in and next week will be passed upon by the music committee of the D. A. & M. society.

E. J. Yard, of Springville, will exhibit eight Chesapeake bay puppies at the dog show this year.

Applications for space have been made by five cheese factories and creameries, viz: Wellsville cheese factory, Cache Valley creamery, Meadowville creamery, Davis County creamery, and Henry Seamon of Rosiport. Utah seems to be all right for butter and cheese.

Gen. T. Odell, manager of Coop Wagon & Machine company, offers a double easy plow, as a special premium for some agricultural exhibit to be mutually agreed upon by the secretary and the company.

The Brigham City Woolen mills want to be represented at the Cotton Industrial Exposition. Mr. Jones the manager, is alive to the company's interests and will show the people what they are doing at the mills.

Vice Consul at London.

BOSTON, Sept. 1.—It has just become known in this city that John J. Collins, the legal associate of Colonel Grinnell Patrick Collins, has accepted the appointment of vice consul at London.

J. J. Collins sailed for England on July 13.