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FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY MARCH 20, 1888.

Called to Plead.

This afternoon District Attorney Peters obtained an order in the Third District Court for John W. Hess and Dan Jones, indicted for unlawful cohabitation, to appear in court on Monday, March 20, at 10 a.m., to plead to the charge against them.

Cut His Eye.

A three-year old son of Levi Phillips, of the Ninth Ward, met with an accident yesterday that will probably result in the loss of the sight of one eye. The little fellow was playing with a pair of scissors when he tripped and fell, the points entering the pupil of the eye. Surgical assistance was immediately called in.

Third District Court.

Proceedings before Judge Zaue today:

Arthur Brown vs. Crescent Mining Company; application to amend complaint allowed.

J. K. Gillespie et al. vs. — Taylor et al.; leave granted to amend complaint by adding name of minor child.

Matilda Openshaw et al. vs. Utah & Nevada Railway; on trial before a jury.

Coal Miners and Laborers.

There are wanted at the U. P. coal mines at Rock Springs, about 40 good, steady miners, and the same number of laborers to load up cars in the mines. Any of the latter who are tired while in a mine should not undertake the work. In course of time, however, any feeling of that kind wears off. Both classes of workmen—miners and laborers—can make good wages. Those who wish to take advantage of this offer of employment can obtain, on application to W. W. Cluff, Coalville, Summit County, Utah, an order entitling the holder to transportation to Rock Springs at the rate of one cent a mile.

Certificate of Marriage Wanted.

Mrs. Elsie Walker, whose address is Sandago P. O., Stafford County, Kansas, is very anxious to get a certificate of her marriage to enable her to obtain a pension, her husband having served in the Mexican war. The proof of the marriage is necessary for this purpose. Her husband's name was Hinga Walker. He died at Council Bluffs, in the year 1860. She states that they were married in Nauvoo by Elder Mecham, in 1842 or 1843. It would be a great advantage to this lady if anyone could furnish her with any particulars concerning this Elder Mecham, or how she can obtain the proofs that she needs.

He Has Skipped.

Joseph Mullett is gone, and his bondsmen are figuring to meet the \$10000 bail which he gave to appear for examination this afternoon, and which was declared forfeit. Mullett will be no loss to this community, but the people among whom he takes up his abode had better look out for him, and teach their little boys to beat shy of him. The charge which he has departed to escape punishment for is the crime against nature. It is understood that he has sufficient property to cover his bonds, and that before he obtained sureties, arrangements were made for their reimbursement in case

he did not again make his appearance in court.

Jailbirds Recaptured.

In the spring of 1883, Charles Miller and his wife, a couple bearing an unsavory reputation, were arrested by the police, the man for larceny and the woman for prostitution. Both were convicted and sentenced to imprisonment in the city jail. He made his escape in May, 1886, at the time that several prisoners got out through the roof of the jail, and was not heard of again until a day or two ago. His wife served her term, and in May, 1887, received another sentence for a similar offense to the one of which she had formerly been convicted. In June she made her escape, having at the time, 60 days still to serve. She also managed to elude the officers till last night, when two of the police searched a house just north of the Warm Springs, where they came upon both of the fugitives, and arrested them. Miller is a desperate character, but the officers had the clear advantage, so he gave no trouble. He has 44 days of his old term yet to serve.

Mrs. Crismon the Heiress.

The following is a clipping from the Isle of Man Times of Feb. 25th.

His Honor Deemster Drinkwater had the suit of Leigh Goldie-Taubman against the next of kin of the late Ellinor Cain, of the North-quay, opened before him on Tuesday, in Douglas. Mr. Ring, on behalf of Mrs. Crismon, of Salt Lake City, Utah, read her affidavit to the effect that she was the daughter of Jos. Cain, a brother of the deceased, but his honor pointed out that nothing was stated in the affidavit as to the lawful marriage of Mrs. Crismon's parents, and remarked that he would require reliable proof of that, adding that these people were living in a suspicious neighborhood. The further hearing of the case was adjourned in order to allow Mr. Ring to obtain further affidavits as to the point raised, and also as to state of the American law at the time of the marriage of Joseph Cain. Mr. Kneen appeared for Mr. Taubman, and Mr. Browne for Mrs. Lyons, legatees under the will.

Mrs. Crismon is the lawful heiress to the property involved in the dispute.

The New General Manager.

Thomas L. Kimball was today appointed general manager of the Union Pacific Railway and will take the place vacated by the late T. J. Potter. The news of Mr. Kimball's appointment will be received with satisfaction all over the line, as his ability, his familiarity with its affairs and the fact that he has been in the line of promotion have made it apparent that unless the company were ambitious for an experiment with some new and untried man, he would be promoted. He is what might be called an all around railroad man. In the passenger service of the Pennsylvania road with which he began service, he was a writer of descriptive matter, and rose to be its southwestern passenger agent, then general western agent. He was made general passenger and ticket agent of the Union Pacific in 1871 and was assistant general manager, the general traffic manager, and the assistant to the first vice president. His executive ability is remarkably great and he has guided the Union Pacific through many a crisis, having been practically its general manager at various times in the last six years. He is 56 years of age and in his prime.

J. S. Cameron, who was brought from the Burlington by Mr. Potter as assistant to the first vice president, has been appointed assistant general manager. He is a quiet man rather under middle age, and was Mr. Potter's confidential agent in many important affairs.—Omaha World, March 15.

COAL AND COKE.

A Company Organized to Operate in These Industries.

Today the articles of incorporation of the Price River Coal and Coking Company were filed with the Secretary of the Territory. The principal office of the company is at Salt Lake City, and the incorporators are Cyrus H. Gold, Alfred Solomon, James Solomon, S. R. Marks, George M. Cannon and John M. Cannon, of Salt Lake, and David O. Rideout, Sen., David O. Rideout, Jr., Christian Sorenson, J. Nathan C. Crapo, Charles C. Crapo and James A. Crapo, of Draper, Salt Lake County. The board of trustees are—C. H. Gold, president, D. O. Rideout, Jr., vice-president, C. C. Crapo, secretary and treasurer, C. Crapo and C. Sorenson.

The capital stock of the company is placed at \$300,000, divided into shares of \$5 each, and the object of the corporation is "to carry on and conduct the business of mining, dealing in and selling coal, owning, acquiring, developing and operating coal lands, and manufacturing coke." The meeting of stockholders for the election of trans-

tees is fixed for the first Monday in July of each year.

The lands owned by the company are located on the line of the D. & R. G. W., 107 miles from this city, and close to Castle Gate. The coal is an excellent article of fuel, but its chief value at present is in the fine quality of coke which can be manufactured from it. Some of it has already been worked up, and from the samples exhibited it appears to be fully equal to the imported article, while it can be made and placed on the market at a lower rate than that now paid.

The Provo Boom-Hoister.

The "boom" publication lately issued by the Provo Chamber of Commerce, is a very neat and creditable work, very beautifully illustrated. It exhibits all the principal buildings of the "Garden City of Utah" and the portraits of a large number of leading citizens, among them being the Hon. A. O. Smoot, Hon. W. H. Dusenberry, Hon. H. H. Cluff, Judge W. N. Dusenberry, Hon. S. R. Thurman, Dr. W. R. Pike, David John, S. S. Jones, A. A. Noon, James E. Daniels and Hon. John R. Miller. The matter of the work is historical, descriptive and biographical. The beauties and advantages of Provo are clearly and concisely set forth. The imprint announces that the mechanical work of the publication was done by D. C. Dunbar & Co., of Omaha.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 21, 1888

Arrested in the South.

David Spilsbury was arrested at Toquerville, Washington County, this morning on a charge of unlawful cohabitation.

A. K. Thurber Dead.

A private telegram received in this city this afternoon announced the death at Ephraim, this morning, of Hon. A. K. Thurber, President of the Sevier Stake. The disease from which he died was cancer of the bowels.

\$5000 Damages.

The suit of Mrs. Matilda Openshaw against the Utah & Nevada Railway Company, for \$10,000 damages for the killing of her husband, came to a close in the Third District Court, this morning, the jury finding a verdict in favor of Mrs. Openshaw for \$5000.

Sick and in Prison.

Brother John Cottam, of the Sixteenth Ward, is serving a term in the penitentiary for living with more than one wife. We are pained to learn that he is in a precarious condition of health. He is advanced in years, and his sickness tells severely on him. He was to be released today.

Witness Arrested.

This morning deputy marshals arrested Jennie Haight, a lady residing in the Seventeenth Ward, as a witness. The case is said to be a charge of unlawful cohabitation against David Spilsbury, of Toquerville, Washington County. The lady was released on giving \$500 bail for her appearance at Beaver.

Out of Prison.

Today Joseph Clark, of Provo, and George Wilding, of this city, were brought down from the penitentiary, and, after an examination before Commissioner Norrell, were discharged from custody. Both have served six months in the penitentiary on the charge of unlawful cohabitation, and 30 days additional for the fines imposed.

Found Dead.

This morning Mrs. Jane Savage, of the Sixth Ward, was found dead in her bed. For a long time she has lived alone in her home at the corner of Fourth South and Fourth West Streets, her husband having died many years ago. She has one son, James Mason, who is now believed to be in Morgan City. She is quite aged, and her death was due to natural causes. She was seen about her house on Saturday, but no one seemed to know that she was ill, though the Ward authorities and neighbors have sent in every few days to inquire whether she needed anything. She always bore a good character, the only thing unusual about her being her desire to exclude herself from all society.

Honoring a Veteran.

J. L. Townsend writes as follows from Payson, on the 19th inst.:

Joseph Hancock was 30 years of age on the 17th, and a party of his relatives and friends gathered at the residence of G. W. Hancock, with whom he resides, to commemorate the event. Among a number of presents he received was a large, easy rocking chair. A bountiful dinner was partaken of by the members of the party; many sto-

ries were related of the early days of "Mormonism;" and the Payson brass band furnished some excellent music.

Joseph Hancock was a hunter for Zion's Camp, and one of the hunters for the Pioneers, having been named "Nimrod" by the Prophet Joseph Smith. He estimated that he furnished over 25,000 lbs. of game for the Pioneers, being often miraculously aided in securing game when none could usually be found. Although so aged he can yet read his Bible and newspaper, and walk all over town with no other aid than his staff.

Probate Court.

Proceedings in the Salt Lake County Probate Court yesterday:

In the matter of the estate of Lavina W. Johnson, deceased; proof of posting and publication of notices of time and place of hearing made; order made allowing and approving the final account of the executors, and making distribution of the estate.

Estate of Thomas Sadler, deceased; proof of posting notices of time and place of hearing made; order made allowing and approving the final account of the administrator, and continuing the matter of the distribution of the estate.

Estate of John Halvorsen, deceased; proof of posting notices of time and place of hearing made; order made appointing Charlotte Halvorsen administratrix of said estate upon filing a bond in the sum of \$1,800; order made appointing appraisers.

Estate of William Ashman, deceased; proof of posting notice of time and place of hearing made; order made confirming sales of real estate to Henry and Alfred Olsen, William Fuller and Francis Bailey.

Estate of Mary E. Tate, deceased; hearing on petition for letters of administration postponed until April 3rd.

Estate and guardianship of Mary Lavina Naylor, a minor; order made continuing the hearing for letters of guardianship until April 3rd.

Estate of Rudolph Krause, deceased; order made of publication of notice to creditors and appointing C. S. Burton, O. H. Hardy and J. W. Fox, Jr., appraisers of said estate.

Estate of John Livesey, deceased; order made appointing Ellen Livesey administratrix of said estate, upon filing a bond in the sum of \$1000. Proof of posting notices of time and place of hearing made.

In the matter of the adoption of Charles B. Anderson; order made of adoption of said Charles B. Anderson by Mrs. C. A. De Graft, widow.

Estate of Solomon Leebse, deceased; order made appointing time and place to hear petition, and for administrator to render exhibit.

SHOT IN THE MOUTH.

Financial Troubles Drive D. B. Sohl to Commit Suicide.

About 11 o'clock this morning a little boy, Henry Campe, was fishing on the east side of Jordan River, about 250 yards south of the "Black Bridge," on Third South Street, when he came upon the body of a man. He gave information which was conveyed a few minutes later to the police and an officer was sent to investigate.

The deceased lay on his back, and in his mouth was the muzzle of a revolver, the handle being gripped firmly in the right hand. It was evident that with this weapon the man had committed suicide, the shot being fired into the mouth, and the ball tearing a hole through the back of the head. He had evidently been dead a couple of days, and from subsequent information gleaned it is probable that the deed was committed on Sunday last, probably in the evening.

The dead man was about five feet five inches in height, heavy build and of medium complexion. He was apparently 45 years of age, and from papers on his person it was concluded that his name was D. B. Sohl, that he hailed from Nevada, and had probably been in business in Reno and Virginia City. In his pockets were found a pocket knife, some tobacco, \$14 in coin and some other articles, including several letters. One of these was addressed to "Mrs. D. B. Sohl, Virginia City, Nevada, March 18, 1888." The date had been written "20," and changed to "18." In it he refers to Mrs. Sohl as "the dearest of wives," and writes to her of his contemplated suicide. The following is an extract from this letter:

"I cannot bear the idea of seeing you and the children suffer, as I know you are at present. I have tried to get work of any kind to do, but have failed. I hope you and the babies will be better off than you would be with me. I know at this present moment that you are worrying about me, but I cannot help it. I can only tell you this, that I am crazy from grief on account of my failure in Reno, and there is no happiness in this world for me. I hope Rufus will help you along, as I cannot possibly do any more. I cannot eat, rest or sleep any more. I have lost all

ambition, all hope. You cannot imagine how I feel. Everybody may think I am foolish, and I have no doubt they are right, but I cannot help it. I have always done the best I knew how and thought for the best, but when it is too late I see my mistake, and being of the age I am I have not courage to stand life again, notwithstanding the love and sympathy of the best of wives. Let no one blame you; you have stood by me like a good, true and faithful woman. I have no doubt but you will raise the children far better than I could. Had I millions of money I would give all not to be compelled to do as I am. I owe too much to ever recover from the remorse I have to endure. My will and intention is and always has been good to everyone. All I can say is I am crazy and much prefer suicide to the insane asylum. I am satisfied you and the children will be better-off in a few years than you would be with me."

An inquest will be held this afternoon by Coroner Taylor.

COAL OIL EXPLOSION.

A Three-Year Old Child Severely Burned.

At three o'clock this afternoon a severe accident occurred at the home of Mr. H. Luce, 270 e., First South Street, resulting in serious injury to Freddy Luce, a three year old boy. It appears that a five-gallon can of coal oil had been purchased for the family, and had been placed on the back porch. The children were playing about, and the first warning that Mrs. Luce had of any danger was hearing a loud report like the crack of a rifle. Some one called that a child had been shot and Mrs. Luce ran out to discover her little one in

A MASS OF FLAME.

She seized him and quickly extinguished the fire in his hair and clothes, and sent for her husband and Dr. J. S. Richards. It was ascertained that the little fellow had obtained a match by some unknown means, and had been playing on the coal oil can, where he succeeded in striking the match and igniting the fluid, which exploded and scattered about in all directions. The flames shot upward, and after the little fellow had been drawn out, those who gathered extinguished the flames and saved the premises.

The little boy was horribly burned. His forehead and the right side of his face were

LITERALLY FLAYED,

the flesh hanging in a roll at the side of his head. His hair was burned off of one side of the head, the skin fairly cooked, and his nose and the lower part of the face, as well as his hands, burned somewhat. Fortunately his eyes did not appear to be injured. Soda cloths were applied and relieved the pain somewhat, though his sufferings were awful. He did not lose consciousness, and his screams could be heard a considerable distance. Dr. Richards is giving him all needful attention, and it is not likely the injuries will prove fatal, though they may leave permanent scars.

Another Charge.

A few days ago we gave notice of the poor management at the depot during the arrival of trains, in leaving freight trains standing in front of the depot between it and the track upon which the Utah Central train comes in. Last night the same disgraceful occurrence took place, the passengers having to risk life and limb in crawling under or climbing over the freight cars intervening between them and the ticket office. The cars were left standing for some time, while the passengers suffered much discomfort and annoyance in crossing backward and forward in buying their tickets and finding their respective trains. Much comment upon the carelessness of the companies was indulged in by the passengers, couched in no complimentary terms. There is something wrong, and those responsible should see that such things do not occur again. There was no excuse for this occurrence, as plenty of track room was found south of the depot unused during the time the trains arrived and departed.—Ogden Standard.

Tannery at Richfield.

Wm. Faces writes from Richfield, Sevier County, to the effect that a tanner, lately from the east, is about to engage in the tanning business at that place, with excellent prospects of success. It is to be hoped that those anticipations will be realized.

A French remedy for burns is to allow the contents of a syphon of seltzer water to flow slowly over the affected parts. It quiets the pain speedily and expedites the final cure.