

The Trial of Major Egan Closed This Afternoon.

ACCUSED MAN TESTIFIES.

Makes Plausible Story of His Ap parent Neglect-Judge Advocate Will Review the Case.

The trial of Major Egan at Fort Douglas, for alleged inattention to sick soldiers, was completed today with the estimony of the accused man himself. The only witnesses heard were Dr. A. C. Belle of this city and the accused man. The only value of the former's tostimony lies in the fact that it generally sustains Major Egan in his method of treating and diagnosing the eculiar diseases that have come under his care as post surgeon. The major is an experienced witness and bore clear testimony. He evinced thorough knowledge of the various diseases and their peculiarities that the soldiers are fflicted with, and made a plausible story out of his apparent neglect.

Judge-Advocate Skerret as the prosecutor, was keen and comprehensive, and it is safe to say that he has per-mitted nothing to be passed over that was his duty as an officer of the govent to investigate.

The afternoon was taken up in the arguments of the counsel for the defense nd the reviewing of the case by the source advocate. The session was held chind closed doors. Dr. A. C. Behle was the first witness

and in defense testified that he was familiar with such diseases as afflicted the sick soldiers at the post. A sup-rosed case was presented to him, based upon the condition of Private Holland, aidier who was operated upon, an the solider who was operated apon, and he could see no reason for pain in such a case. He further tostified that he had performed a similar operation up-ch a patient who was afflicted with same disease, but performed a sub-nent operation on the same patient. Another case was presented to the witness, of a supposed case based up-on the condition of Private Glover, wherein the patient complained of va-rious diseases at different times. Witress thought such a patient would be suffering from hypochondria or hys-

Dr. Behle bore testimony tending to dorse the method of Major Egan in sing certain cases, and was then ied by the judge advocate Witness stated that in a case, such as Private Holland's he knew of no rea-con why a further operation should not have been made, but there may have been conditions requiring a different course. He stated further that an in-spection, such as Major Egan gave, was sufficient to determine the pres-ence of inflammation, but added that

the ordinary layman could not deter-mine the presence of inflammation in such a case as Private Hollands. INCORPORATED. At a late hour this afternoon the Arizona-Utah Power and Canal company of Prescott, Arizona, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of

not wish to go on sick report as h claimed it did not serious interfere with his duty. On Nov. 6th, the date on which witness is charged with neglec of duty in Raiston's case, former testi-fied that Raiston was not on sick report. He came up the following day ind witness examined him, and gave him treatment. The case of Corporal Gallagher was then taken up. Witness examined him on Nov, 8 and found only one or two ulcers on his body and a few crusts. A few days later, however, Gallagher leveloped an acute case of dhobic itch,

t was at Gallagher's own request. On being crogs-examined witness was questioned sharply in regard to his trip to Ogden, and explained that he was directed to go there by the department "Did your going leave the post with-

out a surgeon? "Yes; sir Witness said he had been in the habi of going to Ogden for some time in pur mance to the order of the post and epartment commander. Witness testiled that the post commander had not potified the department commander

hat the work required at the post way that the work required at the post was too much for one surgeon, and asked for an assistant for Major Egan. In relation to the case of Sergt. Swinford, witness stated that the bolls that developed on Swinford did not in-the the state of the service of the second seco dieate anything of an unhealthy icter, as healthy men often have bolis On being asked by the court as t when the complaints began to be mad when the compliants began to be made against the accused, the latter replied that he had been told by Capt, Schley, his former commanding officer, that complaints had been brought in by drunken men; the only complaints than had ever been made to Cap', schlag according to the witness. The latte repuied that he treated the boys alike

repied that he treated the toys and but a constant stream of complaints had been brought in. Asked as to why he did not take Le Mesuriar into the hospital on Nov , witness replied that the former did not require hospital treatment at that He admitted, however, that owime. ing to lack of time he did not examin Le Mesuriar on that day, but expected

to see him in two days. At this juncture the court adjourned ur.tll 2:30 o'clock. **REARNS' COMMITTEES.**

Utah Senator on Pacific Islands, Porto Rico, Mines and Mining.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., Dec. 17 .-- The following is the assignements of Republican senators in the senate committees for Utah and Wyoming: Kearns-Naional banks, Pacific islands, and Porto Rico, mines and mining, Indian depre-dations, irrigations and reclamation of arid lands, forest reservations and the protection of game, public lands. Clark (Wyoming)-Foreign relations, judiciary, forest reservation and prote of game, public lands, railroads, trans-portation routes to the seaboard, mines end mining, military affairs, public

buildings and grounds, irrigation and reclamation of arid lands, appropriations, agriculture and forestry claims. PATENTS FOR UTAHANS.

Utah patents granted: John Browning, Ogden, automatic fire arm, Maroni D. Ferrin, Ogden, win wir stretch. William Orr, Salt Lake, regenerating waste cyanide solutions, also recovering cynnides.





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This-? That's right, I want-. I want a can of Three Crown Bak-ing Powder and want it bad. Last time I bought, the grocer made a mis-take and gave me another, brand. Wouldn't answer at all. Couldn't it so well. Family didn't like in cause the food didn't taste right, and they all became indigestive. want Three Crown for you can depend upon it being right. We have better health from using it and greater satis faction in our food. Your grocer sells Three Crown Bak-ing Powder at the following prices: ounce can 12 ounce can

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PEOPLE WHO ARE PASSING

Lady Adelaide Taylour of Otta wife of a prominent government ficial there, was a guest today at Kenyon on a transcontinental trip, Sh was very seclusive when reporters sought to call on her, and declined to

Colonel George French of the Sulva-tion army arrived this morning from ban Francisco and is stopping at t Kenyon. He is the provincial officer the Pacific coast province and comes to this city to meet Mrs. Booth-Tucke and her secretary, Col. Ed J. Higgin Mrs. Tucker appears tomorrow nigh in the Salt Lake theater.

Colonel Shaugnessy was astonished last evening to meet in I. R. Barton Mississippi at the Knutsford hotel, a old friend whom he had not seen f thirty years, and who is remaining or a couple of days in his trip across th continent to visit with his old friend The two are recalling the lively construction times of 1863 when the were in "Ole Missip" together.

A job was put up on the unsusp ing public yesterday evening, at the Kenyon hotel, when C. E. Christensen a San Francisco drummer who ch resembles Jeffries, was persuaded by bis friends to personate the champion pugilist, and word was circulated around the hotel that Jeffries was in hi room ready to receive admirers. It is catimated that over 100 persons wer

thus imposed upon before it was as-certained that the original article was in the rotunda down stairs. There was

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technical charge of having permitted a prisoner voluntarily to escape. He entered a plea of not guilty and as no time was set for trial the case will probably go over until the next term of court.

The Banmelster case in which the defendant was indicted by the grand jury for having sent obnoxious and evil pictures through the mails will come up for hearing on next Monday,

WATER RIGHTS CASE.

Little Cottonwood Creek Case Again Before Judge Hall.

Judge Hall again yesterday took up the case of H. B. Cole and J.M. Thomas es the Richards Irrigation company and a number of other appropriators of the water rights of Little Cottonwood creek. Plaintiffs are represented by Pierce Critchlow and Barrette, and J. M. Thomas, and defendants by Bennett, Howat, Sutherland and Van Cott. The aintiffs want \$325 damages and quiet ed title to the reservoirs and quet-ed title to the reservoirs and stored waters and all the surplus waters of Little Cottonwood creek, also a re-straining order to enjoin the defendants from interfering with any of the reser-voirs, head gates, dams, ditches, fumes or other intercomments of the plain or other improvements of the plain tiffs or from appropriating any of the stored waters. The defendants de-nurred to the plaintiffs' complaint filed on September 10, 1901, and the court sustained the demurrer, giving plain-tiffs thirty days to amend their com-

An agreement was reached late in the afternoon by which plaintiffs' title to the reservoirs was quieted, and their right to store water above high-water mark recognized. This will give plain-tiffs 90 per cent of the water they were suing for, and it is now up to the "ditchers" to sue Cole and Thomas for the surplus waters.

On Ground of Desertion.

Andrew Petersen is suing his wife Ellen G. Peterson, for a divorce on the ground of descrition. The Petersons married in this city in October, 1893. and Mrs. Peterson ran away in March

over \$786.25, said to be due on a mining

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ly wounded, by Gen. French. Kritzin-ger was trying to break the block house cordon at Hanover road.

P. M. Gen. Smith Resigns.

Washington, Dec. 17 .- Announcement was made today that Postmaster-Gen. Smith has tendered his resignation and that it has been accepted. Henry C. Payne, national committeeman of Wis-consin, haz been offered the position and has accepted it.

See the New Promiums

UNIQUE CALENDAR.

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useful citizens.

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GEN. KILPATRICK'S HORSE.

The "News" is in receipt of a unique Old Spot was the general's favorite calendar from the children of the Free war horse. Subsequent to the war the general was sent to South America. He left the old horse at the farm, with orders that he should be kindly cared Kindergarten in the old Thirteenth school house, illusrating what can be accomplished by little what can be accomplished by little hands when their owners are inter-ested in the insks set before them. The calendar is a creditable piece of work, and the little ones who prepared it deserve encouragement. Miss Rebec-ca Morris, who is in charge of these lit-ile ones, gathered in from the streets, is conducting a most valuable work in that she is directing the minds of these otherwise poorly cared for children in-Returning after an absence of several years, the general reached home near night, and was for some time oc-cupied in exchanging greetings with his family and friends. He did not, how-ever, long neglect to inquire after the id old horse. Learning that Spot was at pasture in a distant field, the general sent for him, and a little later was told that his favorite stood field to a otherwise poorly cared for children in-to channels that make it easier for post at the entrance of the grounds some distance away. The general hastened out on to the piazza, from whence, peering through the evening, he saw the form of the old veteran, who hein to start right in life and become The beverage made from Figurune stood demurely gnawing at the post. Just the one word, "Spot!" rang out over the lawn. Like an echo came back the answering neigh. With a snort and a bound the old charger snapped the Cercal is smooth, palatable and natritious. Because of the large percentage of natural saccharine mata bound the oil charger shapped the haiter, cleared the fence at a leap, and, with arched neck and ears proudly erect, he stood by the plazza, where with joyful whinny he laid his head on his master's breast. Added the gen-eral: "We hugged and caressed each other like lowers and is not not ter in figs and prunes, Figprune requires less sugar than any other cereal coffee. ner All Grocers Sell It. **TODAY'S REALTY TRANSFERS** other like lovers, and I am not ashamed to say that no welcome I re-ceived that day warmed my heart more than that of old Spot."--Our Dumb Following is today's record of real estate transfers, made in the office of the county recorder up to 3 o'clock this Animals.

THOUGHT HIS LEGS WERE GONE

Ann M. Cannon to William T While in conversation with a rather distinguished Southerner who had been a colonel in the Confederate army during the war, he told me a number of incidents which he had noticed during 1.00 Annie H. Free et al, to Jacob those days of terror. One, which he vouched for as true, was of a Capt. Smith, who with his men, was among N. Rock, warranty deed part of block 41 Ten Acre plat "A" R. S. Hamilton to H. C. Hamil-1.00 the Confederate forces fighting the bulecoats from the side of South Mountain. When there was a full in ton, warranty deed, lots 11 to 14 block 2 A. J. White's South Salt Lake the firing from both sides, a detail, ac-companied by physicians, went out to 1.00 Corporation of members of Church of Jesus Christ of Lat-ter-day Saints residing in First companied of physicians, went out to pick up the wounded. Capt. Smith was found lying broad of his back, and when asked what was the matter with him, replied that they "must be foois not to see that both his legs had been shot off." An examination revealed Ecclesiastical ward to Joseph Warburton as Bishop of said ward, east half of lot 8, block 12, plat "B"..... C. Thompson et al to Bessie that the captain was intact from head to foot, and his only injury was a slight shock to his constitution. Then it was Hayes, warranty deed, lot 49 block 2, Waterloo addition 200.00 S. Hays to Aetna Real Estate found that while Smith was directing the firing of his men a cannon ball struck the hill just below his feet, and

ploughing through left a hollow place just under where he was standing. The weight of the captain caused his feet 1.00



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Cole Sues Kerr. H. B. Cole & Co. have filed an at-tachment suit against A. T. Kerr to releal, and for which Kerr gave checks Bolse Statesman, and now an oil pro motor, is at the Knutsford. He ex which the bank on which they were made would not recognize. As a first bunt Cole has attached Kerr's seat on presses himself as enthusiastic over th prospects of the oll companies operat-ing in southwestern Wyoming, and thinks that the Fossil field is about to the mining exchange.

see them.

The judge advocate then asked a peries of very incisive questions as to why a layman could not determine the presence of inflammation. Witness conanded that the average man of aver-ge intelligence could distinguish the extreme and not the milder form of the emotions unless he had made special udy of the matter.

MAJOR EGAN TESTIFIES.

The last witness before the court was the accused man himself, and his ex-amination was close and sharp. But he stood up well under the pointed questions of the keen judge-advocate sented his case as well as possi he. He stated that he graduated from the medical department of the Columbia university of New York in 1880. He then went into the Charlty dtal in New York, where he had a

In the case of Private LeMesurior, itness swore that the former was not a sick report on the date charged. On morning of Nov. 8 witness was unorders to go to Ogden. He had fined 62 men that morning and had bout fifteen minutes to catch his car-then he got through. He was not sat-sfied with the examinations he had fiven the men and two days later called them up again and examined them thoroughly. Since the arrival of the battalion of the 18th infantry there were 700 men at the post, while before the Snatch mer there where Spanish war, when there were only 190 men at the post there was one sur-

atter's clothes adhering to his scres. The cruptions were in a crusted state and the witness marked that the pa-tient waiked away from the hospital without difficulty. He testified that he ponly say one one screen LaW mly saw one open sore on LeMesurion Major Egan explained the symptoms dhobic itch, saying that when in the usted stage there was no inflammation or soreness and the cases of the itch that he refused to take in the hos-

ped boils and was placed in the hos ital. Witness stated that he kept winford in the hospital a day or two ter the latter wanted to go back on

state The company incorporated with a capitalization of \$1,500,000, with shares at \$1 each. Following are the officers of the company: J. F. Wilson, presi-dent; H. J. Allen, vice president: Ho-mer K. Wood, secretary and treasurer; E. M. Gage, J. J. Fisher, J. A. C. Freund and Thomas B. Davis, directors.

STOCKS STILL GOING.

Market With bire Results.

California escaped the hammerins this afternoon with sales of over 8,000 shares, the stock sold down from 76 to

Dr. King dressed his wounds this morn-



become the greatest oil center in the world. He said there are three Bolse companies operating there, owning some 2,000 acres of land. Mr. Dinsmore expects a big rush to Thunder Mo tain in the spring from Boise, the num ber being set at 20,000. There is now good wagon road to within thirty miles of Thunder Mountain with a good trail the remainder of the distance.

Col. Matt Dougherty returned this

ball Organ company of Chicago, arrive this morning from the East, and peptones of his stomach something perform on in the way of a diate pared to attend to the more nesth



Reardon Convicted.

Last evening the jury in the criminal division of the district court found Pur-dy Reardon guilty of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to do bodily harm. The charge read "with intent to murder." In reaching this verdict the jury at the same time recommended the defendant to the mercy of the court.

Van Kuran Appeal.

On Monday next Judge Stewart will

Lucy Herron's suit for \$5,000 dam

and the railroad company appealed on account of the admission of certain testimony which the appellate court considers would tend to prejudice the jury.

Judge Hall today granted a restrain

IMPERSONATE JEFFRIES.

John W. Fowlks and wife to Mary A. F. Hanson, warranty deed, part of section 21, town-

deed, part of section 21, township 2 south, range 1 east....
Hyrum S. Young, quit claim deed part of lot 7 block 36, plat "A"
E. W. Taylor and wife to S. B. Milner, warranty deed, part of section 20 township 1 porth

cannon ball had thrown him on his back. And there he lay with his feet and lower part of his legs partly buried. 2,400.00 firmly convinced that he had been crippled for life.-Philadelphia Ledger,

SAVED BY ROOSEVELT.

Henry Hawtin, whose native place is Wroxton, England, has received a newspaper from that town in which 1.00 there appears the following reminis-cence of President Roosevelt:

"Mr. T. Roosevelt, President of the United States, and Mrs. Roosevelt were on a visit to Lord North at Wroxton, abbey, the seat of Lord North, in March. 1887. He hunted with the

family through the Selienstall family, formerly of Chipping Warden. It is pointed out as a curious coincidence that one of Washington's successors as President of the United States saved the life of a descendant of that Lord North whose policy lost England the American colonies."-Terre Haute Dispatch to New York Sun.

drowned

horse and all. Mr. Roosevelt threw his lariat or lasso over Mr. North and hauled him out, or he must have been

"Mr. Roosevetl is related to the North

Jeweler: "See here, you want to be more cantious. What was it you said about that cheap watch you sold to that customer?" New Salesman: "I told him



