

this point in originality, though not being so well known; hence, probably, the reason why the versitious individuals alluded to are excited. familiar thicks of calling them by their right hames; but these Bear Lakers are the genune article, of original texture, the great disinguishing characteristics between them and the others atluded to, being, we think, their massive size and lack of speech. We sustain he tangibuity and reality of those mysterious denizens of Bear Lake. SUICIDE AT BUISS .- The Democrat of the 1st

inst. gives an account of the suicide of a man named David Martin who, for some time, had beu slightly deranged. His friends had been making arrangements to send him to his retalives in the east, and had watched him closely for some weeks. On the morning of July 30th the people in the house where he lived were aroused by the report of a gun. They discovered Martin lying within a few feet of the house. He had shot himself in the abdomen. He deciared that he had killed himself to be free from his misery. He was a native of Virginia.

COMING WEST .- An exchange says that Schuyler Colfax will arrive in Denver within a few days,

HAY .- The'Cheyenne Leader of a late date expresses the hope that the rains failing in that region would improve the hay crop, which was likely to be a light one. The hay crop in the best hay producing lands in some parts of this Territory, is likely to be a very light one, not from the absence of rains, but from the destruction caused by the locusts. In some places in Morgan, Summit and Wasatch countles, the hills which usually afford excellent pasture are all but bare, and in spots altogether so; while the hay crop is seriously injured, unless there should come rains to wash the virus of the insects off it, and give it a fresh start. Will our brethren be careful of their hay, and knowing its increased value under the circumstances, not sell it for less than it is worth?

THE INMIGRATION .- By telegram to President B. Young from General H. S. Eldredge, daled to day at Omaha, we learn that six hundred immigrants left that point last night for Benton. Bro. Eldredge will leave to-night. All weil.

SALT.-The Winnemucca Argent speaks of a sait marsh in Humboldt county, Nevada, that covers a tract of five thousand acres, and says,

SETTLING A TITLE .- The Reese River Reveille of the 1st inst., has the account of a "slight contention," which occurred near Cortez, with regard to the title to a hay ranch, in which one man was killed and another wounded. This amiable mode of settling a difficulty resulted from two men named Walker and McCluer claiming the ranch in question, from which McCluer had cut hay last year and Walker attempted to cut hay this year. McCluer threatened Walker, and the latter on going to the place on the 29th ult., to cut hay, saw some object A. G. BURLET. moving in the grass, when remembering what he had heard of the other's threats, he retarned for his pistol. McCluer got behind a haycock, armed with a Henry rifle, and on Walker remrning, fired at him. Both fired several times, resulting in Walker being shot three times, once in the forehead, which caused instant death; and McCluer being shot twice, once in the leg and once in the thigh. McCluer was arrested and held for trial. Such a speedy and effective mode of settling difficulties entirely dispenses with the slow and tedious process of courts of justice; and is probably an adjunct of that "higher civilization" which we are so often told to expect. We would rather get along without it.

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