

## LOGAN LETTER.

LOGAN, Jan. 9.—Edwards & Smart, the saloon keepers, cashed a check for a man named Thompson, for \$45. The check was on an Ogden bank, and was signed A. C. Armstrong. Thompson had left town when the fraud was discovered. Mr. Smart was deputized to follow and bring him back. He found that Thompson had victimized several gamblers and saloon men in Ogden and Salt Lake, and had then taken his departure for the east. He has not yet been caught.

The new rifles to be used by the A. C. cadets have arrived. There are now more than four hundred pupils at the college. Two hundred and twenty-five of them, male and female, are taking advantage of the fine training offered to those who join the cadet corps, under Lieut. Styer.

The county court was busy during the greater part of last week approving official bonds and auditing accounts.

Clara Morris will appear at the Thatcher Opera House on Wednesday evening, and Kate Putnam is billed for Monday evening next. Logan patronizes the drama.

Mr. W. H. Cassidy of Salt Lake is paying Logan a visit.

Thomas Cook has entered suit in Commissioner Fletcher's court against the Pacific Express company, for \$250. Cook is a sleight of hand performer, and had some of his apparatus forwarded by express. It did not arrive on time, and Cook could not give a performance he was billed for, hence his claim for damages.

The Logan house is now firmly established. Sometime ago the former proprietors, Lawson and Power, failed in business, leaving the bondsmen who stood good for the payment of the rent with a white elephant, or what was just as useful to them, a hotel on the hand. The Toombs Bros. have now leased the hotel from the bondsmen, and as they are men of substance, will be able to perform their parts of the contract.

On Sunday, the first of the month, the Rich Bros. received a telegram announcing the death of their brother Lorenzo, at Paris, Idaho. On Thursday evening last they received another telegram telling of the death of another brother named Henry.

Mr. P. A. Nielsen's mine in Blacksmith Fork canyon promises to become a heavy producer in the near future. He has had four men working all winter, and they have driven a new tunnel in 110 feet, and have uncovered an eleven foot vein of galena mixed with copper. The prospective Utah & Wyoming railway will pass right by the property.

The wooden pipe portion of the new waterworks system has been laid. It is a continuous pipe, is made of redwood, and, bound with good strong iron bands, is capable of resisting an immense pressure.

The wife of Mayor Quayle died last Thursday evening, after an illness of about three weeks. She first had sore throat; afterward some lung trouble developed, and finally typhoid fever completed the work the others had

begun. The funeral services were conducted in the Tabernacle, on Sunday, at noon. It was the most extensively attended funeral that has been seen here for many years. Sister Quayle was one of the early settlers of Logan, and her character was of that kind that wins the confidence, respect and love of associates.

The president and members of the city council acted as pall bearers. The coffin was of highly polished redwood, with silver handles, and was nearly concealed by floral emblems. Elder Moses Thatcher, State President Orson Smith, Elder Morgan and Sister Lucy Kimball were the speakers. They spoke of the many excellent traits in the character of the deceased, to which they all bore witness, and spoke words of sympathy to the bereaved relatives. The funeral procession was a very long one, and all seemed to be drawn thither more from sympathy and respect than from curiosity, as is often the case.

The course of lectures now being given at the Agricultural college on agriculture, horticulture, entomology, botany, chemistry and veterinary science cover a wide range, and will prove a great benefit to those who attend. They will afford information of the greatest value to the farmer, and are designed for the benefit of those who are unable to take the regular course.

## SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The judges of the Territorial Supreme Court, three in number, namely, Chief Justice Zane and Associate Justices Blackburn and Miner, took their seats on the bench a few minutes after 10 o'clock this morning. The attendance of attorneys was not nearly so large as at the opening of the term yesterday.

Clerk J. P. Bache read the minutes of Monday's session, which were approved and signed.

## A FOURTH JUDGE WANTED.

Chief Justice Zane said—I will here state for the information of members of the bar that if the appointment of Judge Barch is confirmed any time this week the court will set the cases upon the calendar for hearing. If it is not, then the court will adjourn until a later day, which will be named.

At subsequent stage of the session, in reply to a member of the bar, Judge Zane said that public notice would be given of the next setting.

The only cases set yesterday afternoon were appeals from Judge Anderson's decisions, upon which the present three judges can adjudicate.

## U. S. COMMISSIONERS.

The court appointed W. E. Thurber a U. S. commissioner for Sevier county, W. S. Camp of Vernal, and W. E. Patterson of Bluff City, San Juan county.

## MOTION TO DISMISS ALLOWED.

In the case of Ercanbrack & Son vs. John H. Miller, et al., appellants, (from Judge Blackburn's court) the motion to dismiss was allowed.

## TO FILE AN ABSTRACT.

In the case of H. M. Hawley vs. Carey Bros. & Co., appellants (also

from Judge Blackburn's court), ten days' time was granted in which to file an abstract.

## TO FILE A TRANSCRIPT.

Tousey vs. Etzel. In this appeal thirty days' time was granted in which to file a transcript.

SPRAGUE, THE ASSISTANT COUNTERFEITER.

The first appeal on call this morning was that of the United States of America vs. P. D. Sprague, appellant.

Sprague was a member of the Gagnon counterfeiting gang whose coining operations in a little room over the Singer sewing machine office, on State street, about twelve months ago, created such a stir at the time. Gagnon, it will be remembered, was the king-pin of the troupe, and Sprague with three or four others were his confederates at the "mill," and assisted in the circulation of the spurious. He is now undergoing sentence in the penitentiary.

Judge Powers, the appellant's attorney, said he had no printed brief to submit. In fact, the only point which he desired to raise on the appeal was whether or not the U. S. attorney must state the case for the Government, for the information of the prisoner and his counsel. In this instance the prosecuting attorney declined to make any opening statement, as was required by the statute, the accused having demanded it.

This point was then submitted and taken under advisement.

## THE RUSH WARNER MATTER.

Upon application of Attorney Tatlock, five days' time was granted in which to file a brief in the case of M. Rush Warner, administrator, vs. the United States Mutual Accident Association, appellant. (It is an appeal from Judge Anderson's court.)

This was the case in which young Warner came to his death some twelve or fifteen months ago under rather mysterious circumstances. He was found dead in his bedroom late one afternoon, and it was claimed that he had been shot by a burglar in the absence of the other members of the family. The house was discovered in a state of disorder. On the other hand, it was contended by the defendant company that the young man committed suicide and therefore declined to recognize the demand for payment upon his life policy in their office.

The jury, after a long trial, found in favor of the deceased's family, and hence the appeal.

## ABOUT A TAX SETTLEMENT.

The case of A. M. Musser vs. George A. Meears, appellant, was argued by Barlow Ferguson on behalf of the respondent, having been submitted on brief by the other side (Marshall and Royle, attorneys).

The case arose upon a suit brought by Musser against Meears in regard to the settlement of taxes on certain property in Social Hall avenue, and involving a sum of \$500. A demurrer to the complaint was overruled, and judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$374 and \$25.50 costs. From this overruling an appeal was taken.

Taken under advisement.

## OVER FOR THE PRESENT.

The settings made yesterday having