

votes to be cast in both townships in the neighborhood of 2,250.

It is understood in this community says the Laramie, Wyoming, *Boomerang*, that several London and German capitalists are to take hold of the placer mines on Fox creek and lead mines in and about Cummings City. A large ditch, it is said, is to be constructed taking water from the Big Laramie river at the canyon above Cummings City and throw it out around the hill and conduct it around the north end of Sheep mountain. It is estimated that the fluming will require at least 1,500,000 feet of lumber.

John B. Moore, an old man and a stranger, committed suicide at Stockton, Cal., on Thursday afternoon, by taking strychnine, in his room in a lodging house. He was without money, and told the keeper of the house that he came to Stockton four days ago with a daughter and her lover and was to leave with them last Sunday. He said they missed him at the depot, and he did not know where they went. He pawned his watch for a drink and \$1, and with the money bought poison.

The Moscow (Idaho) *Star* says that Christopher Frederick, a four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Alfs, has met with a shocking death. The little fellow, in attempting to climb upon the brake of a wagon loaded with wheat lost his footing and fell in front of the hind wheel. The driver was unaware of his presence and the four-horse wagon, loaded with a hundred bushels of wheat, moved on and the wheel passed diagonally across from the shoulder to the lower part of the child's chest, crushing the life out of him in an instant.

On Monday morning about 1 o'clock J. A. Little, who, with his hired man, Moore, was watching his granary for an oat thief, at Loveland, Colo., shot and seriously wounded Delos Tripp, who was about to carry away a load of grain. Tripp is a young man of good parentage, but was pressed for money and took this means to obtain it. Little has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of the wounded man as soon as he is able to endure arrest. Before Tripp was shot he drew a revolver and fired at the men and the bullet struck Moore just above the right eye, but glanced so as to leave merely a flesh wound.

Frank Deacon, an employe of the Edison Light and Power company at Oakland, Cal., had a remarkable escape from death on Wednesday. He fell two stories in the new building on Market street and escaped with a scratch and a bruise. He was wiring the new building, accidentally stepped on a loose board and fell down a shaft. Some wires broke his fall. He was somewhat stunned and taken to the Receiving hospital, where he was carefully examined. The surgeon could find only a bruise on the left arm and a slight laceration of the scalp. Deacon may have received internal injuries.

The Denver *News* says that Chief of Police Armstrong has issued an order that all bunco steerers be arrested and thrown into jail every time they are found attempting to work their game upon the streets. The good work has begun, and on Wednesday "big five" of the bunco men were taken upon

charges of vagrancy. One of the prisoners was tried and convicted. He was sentenced to serve sixty days in the county jail. It was the first case on record where a well known steerer has been locked up in the county jail upon a vagrancy charge, and, adds the *News*, it was a clear victory for the police officials as far as it went.

On Sunday night an Indian policeman, Jim Cash, while going from the Pendleton to the Umatilla reservation, near Pendleton, Oregon, overtook two drunken Indians, who spurred their horses to escape arrest. Jim pursued and overtook them. Drawing his revolver, he struck the horse of one of the fleeing Indians on the head. The pistol was accidentally discharged and the ball crushed the thigh bone of the Indian, inflicting a serious wound. The other drunken Indian drew his knife and made a lunge, severing the muscle of Jim's right arm. He was finally overcome by Jim and taken to the reservation.

Thomas Short and James Cannon, Bull Hill miners, arrested by Deputy Sheriff Kerney at Sterling, Colorado, on a charge of having robbed the Victoria gambling house, attempted to escape at the divide on Monday night. Kerney shot both, killing Cannon and wounding Short, who may die from the loss of blood. It is believed the men were innocent of the crime with which they are charged, as many miners declare both were at a ball in Victor at the time the robbery was committed. The coroner's jury exonerated Kerney, who said his reason for removing the prisoners so hastily from Cripple Creek was that he feared an attempt at rescue would be made.

Quite a sensation was created on Second street to either afternoon says the Laramie *Republican*, by the passage through that thoroughfare of the Davis traction engine. The machine traveled at the rate of about ten miles an hour while making its trial trip, and the easy manner in which it appeared to get over the road made it apparent that in fulfilling the purpose for which it is designed—that of hauling coal from the mines—it will prove an unqualified success. The traction engine will be put to work in a few days hauling coal from the Sunshine mine on Mill creek. Five miles an hour is the time that it is guaranteed to make over an ordinary road with a thirty-ton load.

Romance and crime are strangely blended in the life of John Wilson (says the Idaho daily *Statesman*), who yesterday morning was liberated from the penitentiary, and two hours later married in the parlors of the Capitol hotel to Miss Rosa Morgan. Wilson became acquainted with Miss Morgan through correspondence. She lived in Salt Lake and wrote to some one at the Idaho prison concerning a certain party who was, or was supposed to be, confined in that place. For some reason Wilson wrote the Salt Lake girl, who was not slow in responding. Friendship ripened into love, and when Wilson's sentence was commuted the unknown idol of his heart came to Boise to remain until the prison doors swung outward to her lover.

Mrs. Edwin C. Jones was terribly burned at Leadville, Colo., on Satur-

day night by an explosion of stove polish. She had just placed a coat of gasoline on the stove and then covered it with a coat of non-explosive benzine polish. She then began a vigorous brushing and in a short while there came a terrific explosion and a mass of flame enveloped her, igniting her clothing and knocking her to the floor. She jumped up and ran into the yard, intending to throw herself into a barrel of water, but the pain became unbearable and she began to tear her clothes from her body. A neighbor saw her and rushed to her assistance. He extinguished the flames with a broom and saved her face from being burned. The skin was burned entirely from her right hand and forearm, and she also suffered severe burns on the right hip. It is believed she will recover.

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ARRIVALS—The following missionaries arrived in Liverpool from Utah, via Glasgow, per Anchor steamship Ethiopia, Wednesday, September 26, 1894: For Scandinavia—Peter Jensen, of Mantua, Box Elder county; H. S. Rasmussen, of Salt Lake City; Christopher Iversen, of Ephraim, Sanpete county; C. E. Cederstrom, of Salt Lake City. For Great Britain—Daniel Stevens, of Fillmore, Millard county; Reuben Gardner, of Pine Valley, Washington county; Samuel H. Parker, of Taylorville, Salt Lake county; Edwin J. Winder, of Mill Creek, Salt Lake county.

RELEASES AND APPOINTMENTS.—Elder William T. Jones has been honorably released from his labors as traveling Elder in the Welsh conference owing to ill health; and is permitted to return home, October 11th.

Elder Andrew Wallwork has been honorably released from his labors as traveling Elder in the Manchester conference, to return home, October 11th.

Elder Daniel Stevens and Reuben Gardner have been appointed to labor as traveling Elders in the Scottish conference.

Elder Samuel H. Parker has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the Manchester conference.

Elder Edwin J. Winder has been appointed to labor as traveling Elder in the London conference.

While a Mr. Bowlby, Mr. Neice and several others were up Ogden canyon hunting, one of the front wheels of the wagon came off throwing Mr. Bowlby violently to the ground bruising him badly but breaking no bones. The fall rendered him unconscious for over one hour. He was brought to Ogden and is recovering.

Another but more serious accident occurred in Ogden canyon. While Wm. Lamoreaux and his sister-in-law were driving a spirited horse it made a sudden bolt and went over the bank with the buggy and its occupants into the river. Mr. Lamoreaux escaped with some bruises. The lady was less fortunate, her skull being fractured and a finger nearly torn off. She was rendered unconscious and remained so all night. The lady was taken to Wilson's resort and Dr. J. Condon telephoned for, who gave his attention to the woman till after midnight when she was removed to Ogden.