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COUNTY AND STATE. EX-GOVERNOR STEVENSON was up in Boise this week making his final settlement.

NICELY painted plaques, panels, and Christmas cards, are always appropriate presents.

Rev. HENDRICK, who arrived here yesterday from the capital, informs that Mrs. George Dunningan, of the Halfway House, is very sick.

COUNTY AUDITOR Cunningham furnishes us the figures of the assessed valuation of property in this county for this year.

NATURE wore a wintry appearance yesterday morning, with about two inches of snow covering the ground.

PAT MORTIARY was down a few days ago from the Boulder mine. He says work is going ahead in the framing of timbers for the quartz mill.

MALAD ENTERPRISE: A special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners will be had next Tuesday.

In order to preserve Robt Gray's reputation for veracity it is necessary to state that the exaggeration of the depth of the snow in Banner last Monday, as given in Tuesday's World, with Bob as authority, did not originate with him.

Permission to Cut Timber.

The Commissioner has sent the following to the land offices, says the Democrat:

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. From the number of applicants for permit to cut timber on the non-mineral land received by the department of the interior, and referred to this office for investigation, it is apparent that an erroneous impression exists among those interested in the vocation of cutting timber and manufacturing the same into lumber or other product, as to where their applications should be filed.

These, like all other matters relating to the public domain, should be filed in your office, and transmitted in the usual way to this office for appropriate action.

The permit, if one is granted, will be issued under the direction of the Hon. Secretary of the Interior, but the preliminary investigation is made in this office. Should further inquiry in regard to this question arise in your district you will advise the parties and relieve the department of much unnecessary work, and to some extent expedite the examination of these applications.

F. H. CARTER, Commissioner.

Death of James P. Davis.

Julius Mautz received a dispatch yesterday afternoon between 2 and 3 o'clock. It read as follows:

RENO, Nev., Nov. 12, 1891.—Julius Mautz, Idaho City—James P. Davis died this morning. What shall I do with the body? G. K. PYMERS.

Davis has been in poor health since last Christmas, and his ailment had all the symptoms of dyspepsia. He grew worse, and on September 2d went down to Boise for medical treatment, but continuing to grow worse he left there about the 15th of September for San Francisco. From what has been learned in an indirect way it is more than probable that he had cancer of the stomach. He started for this place or for New York after realizing that he had but a short time to live. He has two sisters living in Cohoes, New York, and also a brother, a ship captain, who runs between New York and New Foundland and also on other routes. Where his home is, is not known. His father is also living in one of the Eastern States.

Mr. Mautz telegraphed Mr. Pymers to give deceased a Catholic burial and send bill to him.

Notice. All persons knowing themselves indebted to me will please come forward and settle either by cash or note, by the 1st of December, 1891, as all accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney at the expiration of that time. M. G. LUNEY. Oct. 30-1f.

LEN WHITE came in Tuesday from Banner and called on the World. He says his brother, Jim, has put in a car and tracking in the tunnel on their quartz claim on Archie creek, and also retimbered the tunnel in many places. This tunnel has been run 400 feet, and three hundred feet in a galena vein was crossed at the depth of about 200 feet. Len and Jim will resume work next spring, and will run on that vein. They have a good showing and next year will undoubtedly be able to show a fine mine. They have other claims there that show good ore.

JOHN CUNNINGHAM, a merchant of Bellevue, claimed that Jas. Toohil, a miner, owed him \$70. Toohil tried to settle the bill by striking Cunningham over the head, on the 11th. Afterwards Thos. Cunningham, brother of John, took a shot at Toohil, missing his mark.

THE MINING CONGRESS.

Outline of Its Labors.

The following letter was received by S. C. Bowen, delegate from this county:

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 31, 1891.—DEAR SIR:—The Executive Committee of the Mining Congress has been notified of your appointment as a delegate to the meeting which will be held in this city on November 18, 19 and 20, 1891.

Questions regarding the baser metals will be considered, but more particularly those pertaining to the precious metals.

The annual product of gold and silver in the United States is about one hundred million dollars, yet there is no organized plan for producing or handling the product after it is extracted from the mines.

The United States owns large areas of mineral lands and requires vast returns from them for its treasury expenditures. The laws disposing of these valuable lands; the raising of capital for their development; the dealing in mines and stocks; the investment of home and foreign capital; the demand and supply of the money metals; the adjustment of their relative values and the policy of coining them free of charge, are questions which should receive careful attention from our statesmen and financiers.

This Congress is not called in the interest of the city of Denver, nor of the State of Colorado, nor in the interest of any one mineral production, but for such discussion and deliberation on the subject of mining as shall be of greatest value to the whole country. In fact, the principal object of the Congress is to gain and impart information about mining, and to elevate the business of mining from a disgraceful speculation to a respectable industry.

Please make every possible effort to attend, as we are confident that you will consider the Congress of lasting value to the population you represent. Yours truly, ONEY CARSTARPHEN, Secretary.

KETCHUM KEYSTONE: The New York World last week enumerated 104 trusts, and among them we noticed a "smelter trust." This trust, the World says, controls all of the important smelting plants in the country, a fact which possibly furnishes an explanation of the anomaly of our smelter standing idle in the midst of ores and advantages enjoyed by no other plant in the country. We are certain that the prices our miners pay for the treatment of their ores are more than enough to coin double the necessary cost of smelting ores in this place, with the many advantages we possess for doing the work cheaply, and we feel quite certain that men having \$50,000 invested in an enterprise that could as well as not be made remunerative would not let their machinery lie idle and their investments remain unprofitable from year to year for purely perverse reasons. It is evident, therefore, that the Ketchum smelters are not idle at the cost of the proprietors. They are deriving a profit from some source for refusing to operate them, and what other source so profitable as the trust which has general control of the entire smelting business of the country. There is big money in treating the vast output of ores of the west, and vast capital in the trust which controls the business, taking from the miner more than 50 percent in excess of what would be a reasonable compensation for the services rendered. The railroads are beneficiaries of the monopoly, and unless the law can be so amended as to destroy the nefarious combination, the miner must continue to work without profit, and the Ketchum smelters to stand a monumental libel on the mines of the locality, for men will not work when it pays them just as well to fold their hands and take their ease.

The case of Frank Church, Public Administrator, vs. Jas. McClarren, tried during the last term of the District Court for this county, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff. After the death of Voguelin his ranch was taken possession of by McClarren, who claimed that the deceased had not acquired any right or title to the land.

DUTCH JOHN'S DEATH.

It is thought he could have told a story of a startling character.

Special to the Statesman.

POCATELLO, Nov. 10.—The killing of John Andrews, better known as "Dutch John," near Market Lake, about eighty miles north of this place, has been the principal theme of conversation on the streets here since the news was brought in. The remains were found by a Sheriff's posse, who went out on information furnished by a drunken cowboy named Williams. One of the party who made the find tells your correspondent the sight was most sickening. The body had lain on the ground at least two weeks and the magpies had picked the eyes out and otherwise terribly mutilated the remains. "Dutch John" was a man well known and frequently seen on the streets here. Last spring he was arrested, together with a number of others, on a charge of cattle stealing, the trial at the last term of the district court constituting what was known as the celebrated "Frye cattle stealing case." On being arrested "Dutch John" was furious, and in choice Celtic profanity rained numerous maledictions on the heads of his prosecutors. John was no fool, however, and going to one of the parties who had caused his arrest said that if he did not have his trial first and be acquitted he would "told all I know about dot business." Suffice it to say John was turned loose, and the fear that perhaps he would tell "all I know about dot business" has no doubt caused his untimely and sudden demise. Detectives and county officers have been working on the case ever since John's remains were discovered, but it is feared the demons who committed the deed have meditated on it a sufficient time before hand to do a systematic job and effectually cover up all clues, making their apprehension a difficult task to accomplish. If the unfortunate man's lips could have told to listening ears the story that was probably on them as the last ray of life light died out, a tale would, it is thought, would have been told whose slightest word would have stirred some of the leading stock men of Bingham county out of their boots, and put them behind iron bars ultimately. It would, no doubt, furthermore have solved the mysterious disappearance of numbers of cattle that have been shipped from Bingham county to eastern markets.

A WAGON load of salmon trout yesterday morning drew a crowd, and such a jam you never did see—men pushing each other aside and trampling over each other in the mud in the mad rush to get one before they were all gone. They went at 10 cents a pound and went quick.

Rev. R. KEYSER, who arrived recently from Belgium, was last Wednesday appointed pastor of Shoshone and Kootenai counties, by Bishop Glorieux. His residence will be in Wallace. He and the Bishop left Boise yesterday for that place.

YESTERDAY morning the snow was about the same depth in Banner, on the More Creek summit, here and in Boise—two inches, or thereabouts.

TWO MORE bars of silver bullion arrived from Banner yesterday. Weight, 280 pounds avordupois, or 4,060 ounces troy.

CHAS. NELSON, formerly of Boise, died in Hailey on the 6th of ulcer of the stomach; age, 22.

Mrs. H. JONES and Miss Amelia Jones returned yesterday from their visit in Banner.

ED BERRY came in from Graham yesterday.

Of Interest to Miners. J. C. Doyle, of Aspen, Colorado, has patented an ore hoist so simple and inexpensive that it is a wonder the principle was never applied before. At the mouth of the shaft there are two little railways running down the hill to the place where it may be desirable to dump the ore. The bucket of ore is pulled up out of the shaft by the weight of the car going down the track. By the same weight an empty car is pulled back on another track. Aside from the rope or cable the expense of wheels is not large. Of course this hoist can only be used on a hillside where there is sufficient descent for the ore car to pull the bucket.

FLINT.

Atwalooch.

The mill at this place is running steadily and turning out a very nice class of concentrates. The new machinery is arriving fast, twelve teams having arrived this week, and eight or ten more are en route from the railroad. The total amount of freight yet to arrive is 100,000 pounds. The mine has been put in first-class shape for producing ore, to keep the new mill running. We look for a prosperous camp at Flint unless the action of certain parties in building saloons on ground needed by the company brings on a fight between them and the manager, we have been told by Mr. Leech that he will close down the entire plant until such time as he can operate the mines without having his wood yard full of saloons.

KETCHUM KEYSTONE: Kossuth, the packer, brought in a load of ore from Chris Mohler's mine at Seafoam this week. Mr. Kossuth says Mr. Mohler has no less than five hundred tons of concentrating ore on his dump, which will be concentrated this winter and shipped out as soon as spring opens. For this purpose he has already put up concentrating works and made every preparation for operating it during the coming winter. During the past summer but little ore was taken out, as a new tunnel had to be run to drain the water out of the mine. This tunnel is now in about 300 feet, and when completed will tap the vein at a depth of 270 feet below the present working level, and in our informant's judgment the ore yield of the mine next year will not be less than 1,000 tons. From twenty to twenty-five men have gotten in supplies and will remain at Seafoam for the winter, and most of them will be engaged in taking out ore. Mohler's mine is looking fine and has \$100,000 in sight, including the amount on the dump.

Sheriff's Sale. Hanson Bigelow vs. J. C. Jordan and S. C. Bowen, partners, doing business in Idaho as Jordan & Bowen.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Third Judicial district, county of Boise, of the State of Idaho, wherein Hanson Bigelow, plaintiff, and J. C. Jordan and S. C. Bowen, defendants, upon a judgment rendered the 10th day of September, A. D. 1891, for the sum of \$1,142.15, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, J. C. Jordan and S. C. Bowen, partners doing business in Idaho as Jordan & Bowen, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: A certain quartz vein, lead or lode situated in the Elkhorn mining district, Boise county, Idaho, and known as the "Madstone," commencing at a notice stake at the discovery hole and extending seven hundred and fifty (750) feet in a northerly direction to a notice stake on the Thompson claim near the Thompson mine, on Elk creek, one-half mile above Turner's saw mill, and seven hundred and fifty (750) feet from said discovery hole in a southerly direction to a notice stake on Turner's road about six hundred (600) feet, more or less, north of the old site of Turner's quartz mill and extending three hundred (300) feet on each side of the center of the ledge.

Also a certain quartz vein, lead or lode known as the Revenue, situated in Elkhorn mining district, Boise county, State of Idaho, being on the east side of Elk creek, about one-half mile south of the old Ross arastra, being fifteen hundred (1500) feet in length and extending three hundred (300) feet on each side of the middle line of said ledge; also, all the tunnel rights connected with said Revenue mine; also the mill site located by Wm. Sweet on the 24th day of December, 1888, and containing five acres; also, a certain placer claim known as the Elk creek placer claim, being fifteen hundred (1500) feet in length and six hundred (600) feet in width, and containing twenty acres, commencing near the junction of Ross' Fork with Elk creek, and extending down Elk creek fifteen hundred (1500) feet, being the mining claim located by Wm. Sweet on the 28th day of April, 1888, and recorded in Book 1, at page 194, records of Boise county, placer mining claims, with all the ditches and their water rights connected with said mining claim.

Also, another certain quartz vein, lead or lode situated in Elkhorn mining district, in Boise county, State of Idaho, commencing at the mouth of Ross' Fork and running west or westerly fifteen hundred (1500) feet to a notice stake and extending three hundred (300) feet on each side of the center of the vein or ledge, and known as the California lode or ledge. The said ledge is about one mile below the old Elkhorn mill site, on Elk creek, and on the same side of the creek.

Also, the following described mining claim, situated in the Elkhorn mining district, Boise county, Idaho, to-wit: That certain quartz vein, lead or lode known as the "Go Devil," being fifteen hundred (1500) feet in length and three hundred (300) feet in width on each side of said vein or ledge, together with all the ditches, spurs and angles, and also all the metals, ores, gold and silver, being quartz rock and earth therein and all the rights, privileges and franchises thereto incident, appurtenant and appurtenant, and also all and singular the tenement, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Friday, the 4th Day of December, A. D. 1891, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, in front of the court house of the county of Boise, sell at public auction all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendants, J. C. Jordan and S. C. Bowen, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder. C. C. HAVEN, Sheriff. Dated Nov. 12, 1891.

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