

THE DAILY HERALD Salt Lake City, - - Utah

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LOCAL BRIEFS

OGDEN is suffering from footpads. SCARLET FEVER is creating considerable of a scare in Ogden. T. R. JONES & Co. received July 3d: Germania bullion, \$1,340.02.

THE REAL estate sign of Caine & Robinson has vanished from public gaze. MCGORRICK & Co. received yesterday: Hannover bullion, \$1,880; silver and lead ores, \$2,300 Total, \$5,080.

WELLS, FARRO & Co.'s shipments yesterday were: Base bullion, \$10,000; ore, \$10,310; fine bars, \$21,381. Total, \$41,691.

MEMBERS of the City Council and Territorial officers are requested to be at the City Hall at 9.30 this morning, where carriages will be in waiting.

A LARGE number of complaints in regard to assessments were filed with the Board of Equalization yesterday. No action on these complaints has yet been taken.

LAST EVENING as Mr. H. P. Mason and wife were driving past the City Hall in a buggy, one of the wheels was caught in the street car track and torn off. The only damage done was to the buggy.

ON MAIN STREET this morning, a young man with more nerve than brains, held a cannon firecracker in his hand until it exploded. He will not participate in the celebration to-day.

THE CITY COUNCIL special committee on water supply yesterday visited Fort Douglas and obtained the right of way across the military reservation to bring the water from Parley's Canyon to this city.

THE OLD folk's excursion to Lehi, which was to have occurred on the 11th, has been postponed until the 12th, owing to the fact that sufficient cars cannot be had on the first named date.

PRIVATE ADVISERS from Park City are to the effect that work on the Ontario drain tunnel will probably be commenced within a very few days, and, if so, it will be completed by the time snow flies.

A CROWD of young bloods with horns and a bass drum paraded the streets last night. They ventured on lower Main Street and were greeted with such a shower of bombs and firecrackers that they had to beat a hasty retreat.

THE COMMITTEE lately appointed by the Secretary of the Interior to examine the new building at the Pen., did not visit the institution yesterday, as it was expected they would. The visit will probably be made towards the end of the week.

HUNDREDS of dollars worth of fireworks, comets, firecrackers, etc., were exploded in various parts of the city last night. On lower Main Street the racket commenced early in the evening, and at midnight the noise in that vicinity was deafening.

IN ACCORDANCE with a request made by citizens of Payson, through His Excellency, Governor West, Colonel Blunt yesterday sent to that place one cannon and three soldiers to work it. The piece will be a feature of the celebration at Payson to-day.

IN THE Police Court yesterday, George Williams and Hugh Riley, for stealing rides on the D. & R. G. from Ogden, were fined \$10 each. They will ornament the streets for the next ten days. John Nervine and John Matthews, two plain drunks, were assessed \$5 each.

IN CONSEQUENCE of the indisposition of Mr. Heber M. Wells, who is suffering from a severe cold, Mr. O. F. Whitney will read the Declaration of Independence at Liberty Park to-day, and Mr. Arthur Stayer will offer the invocation, instead of Mr. Whitney, as was originally planned.

C. M. DONALDSON, JR., has returned from his fishing excursion and reopened his real estate office, which he had closed since the occasion. His new office is located just a block east of the room he formerly occupied. The fish stories he has to tell are rather large, but not so large as they might be.

THE IOWA Press Association is expected to arrive here on the 11th, and the Iowans residing in this city propose to make their brief stay here as pleasant as possible. A committee consisting of Messrs. Bowman, Baldwin, Benson, Col. Murray and Hoyt Sherman, has been appointed to confer with the Chamber of Commerce to-morrow night, to make arrangements for entertaining the visitors, who will spend three or four days in Salt Lake.

SINCE the discovery of the unknown suicide on the hills near this city, several letters have been received asking the whereabouts of several persons, the writers evidently being fearful that the dead man might be the one they were enquiring for. The body, it will be remembered, was in such an advanced stage of decomposition as to render recognition utterly impossible, and as the deceased destroyed every scrap of paper that might serve to identify him, who he was, or where he came from, remains a mystery, and probably ever will.

AFTER a lingering illness of over nine months, Margaret Evans Bourne, mother of George E. Bourne, Esq., died at her residence on South Temple Street at 4:45 p. m. yesterday. "Grandma Bourne" as she was generally called by all who knew her, was born March 24th, 1807, at Bristol, England, and was consequently at the time of her death, 81 years, 3 months and 9 days old. She, in company with her husband, Thomas Bourne, who died several years ago, was one of the early settlers in Utah, having pulled a hand cart across the plains at the time that dreary journey was made. Upright, conscientious, generous, charitable and just, she was one of nature's noblest works, and many a heart will ache, many a tear will flow when those who knew her and loved her learn that she is no more. Funeral services will be had to-morrow at 5 o'clock p. m. at her late residence, 256 W. South Temple Street.

THE DAY We Celebrate can be made more glorious by remembering that of all places in Utah where good jewelry can be purchased for the least amount of money, is at E. J. Swann & Co.'s. A new line of the choicest goods has just been received.

DELICIOUS Warm Beverages. Those deceptions served to the thirsty and cold at the Occidental are delicious, pure and superior. First-class wines, liquors, beers, ales and cigars. Family supplies a specialty.

ALEX & MURPHY, Proprietors.

THE CITY COUNCIL

Business Transacted at Last Night's Session.

THE PETITIONS AND REPORTS.

Cost of Proposed Extension of water Mains—No Report by the Committee on Streets.

The City Council met promptly at 7 o'clock last evening, with Alderman Sharp in the chair.

PETITIONS.

The Salt Lake Sampling Works and the Conkling Sampling Works called attention to the advantages which would result to the business men of the city and the traveling from the extension of the Salt Lake & Fort Douglas Railroad along Fourth West Street, and asked that the petition asking right of way along the street be granted. Committee on streets.

The Salt Lake & Fort Douglas Railway represented that many business men and residents of the western part of the city were strongly in favor of the proposed extension of their road along Fourth West Street. Committee on streets.

Henry Dinwoody and C. M. Donelson asked that they be given the exclusive right to use the well, machinery, etc., at the cemetery, for five years. Committee on cemetery.

M. L. Keats, John Hepworth and others asked for an extension of the water mains along East Temple Street. Committee on water works.

Robert Patrick, Jr., and others residing on Second Street, asked for an extension of the mains. Committee on water works.

W. H. Rowe and other residents of the Eighteenth Ward, asked for an extension of the mains along First Street. Committee on water works.

D. Davidson and others asked for an extension of the mains along Second South Street. Committee on water works.

NATURAL GAS.

C. B. St. George and B. S. Young asked for a franchise to lay pipes through the streets of this city to supply gas for fuel only, the petitioners obligating themselves to produce within two years sufficient gas to supply the city with gas. Committee on streets.

Mrs. J. A. Burton and Mrs. Fargues represented that owing to the change made by the city in the grade on Second and South Street, they had been put to considerable expense to bring their sidewalk to the required grade, and asked that the city bear a portion of the expense. Committee on claims.

Benson Bardley asked that the Mayor be authorized to issue to him a corrected deed to the west half of lot 5, block 15, Salt Lake City survey. Referred to the Mayor.

S. G. Reed was granted free merchant's license for one year. H. Kendall asked that the amount paid by him for a merchant's license be refunded. Committee on license.

Four retail and one wholesale liquor licenses were granted.

REPORTS.

The Superintendent of Water Works, to whom was referred petitions for extension of the water mains, reported that the expense of the extensions asked for would be as follows:

- E. T. Browning and others, B Street, four and one-half blocks, \$1,250. R. C. Terrence and others, Second South Street, two and one-half blocks, \$2,200. L. C. Sneider and others, Fourth South Street, two and one-half blocks, \$2,200. John Axton and others, G Street, four and one-half blocks, \$1,250. Wm. Fuller and others, Seventh East Street, two and one-half blocks, \$1,250. W. Cardwell and others, L Street, ten blocks, \$2,500. J. H. Miller and others, M Street, three and one-half blocks, \$2,500. M. Spencer and others, West Temple Street, five blocks, \$4,313. H. A. Tucker and others, First South Street, seven blocks, \$6,028. J. M. Hockett and others, Fifth South Street, two and one-half blocks, \$2,583. W. N. Dent and others, I Street, three and one-half blocks, \$575. J. M. Shannon and others, F Street, four and one-half blocks, \$1,125. A. M. D. Johnson and others, H Street, four and one-half blocks, \$1,125.

The report was adopted and the Recorder authorized to publish the usual notice.

The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department presented his report for the quarter ending May 31st. The report shows the following:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes: Number of fires, Loss of property, Insurance, Miles traveled by the department, Feet of hose used, Hours in service.

The report also shows the expense in this department during the quarter to have been \$1,371.59, leaving balance unexpended of \$230.83. The report was referred to the committee on fire department.

The quarterly report of the Salt Lake and Jordan Canal was presented, showing the expenditure to have been \$993.52, was received and referred to the committee on canal.

The water-master's report for the quarter ending February 29th, was presented. It shows the expenditures to have been \$1,506.91.

The quarterly report on Liberty Park was also received. It shows the expenditures during the quarter have been \$956.75.

The committee on claims, to whom was referred the petition of J. R. Haslam, asking to be reimbursed for certain land belonging to him, which had been deeded to the Utah Central Railway by the city, recommended that the petition be granted.

The committee on public grounds, to whom was referred the petition of G. Bond, asking that the money paid by him for certain land included in the military reservation be refunded to him, recommended that the petition be granted. Adopted.

THE PETITIONS FOR FRANCHISES.

Alderman Ritter, in behalf of the committee on streets, made a verbal report, in which he stated that there were already five petitions for right of way along certain streets

and they were unwilling to be forced into any hasty action upon them. He stated that it would be impossible at this time to make any report which could be just to all parties, and asked that they be given further time in which to fully consider the petitions.

On motion of Alderman Webber, the report was accepted, and the committee granted further time.

The bill of the Salt Lake City Gas Company for \$892.75 was received and the amount appropriated.

Messrs. Sheeks & Rawlins presented a bill for \$1,000 for legal services in the cases of J. H. Link vs. Salt Lake City. After considerable discussion the bill was allowed and the amount appropriated.

Alderman Webber called attention to the bad condition of the sidewalk from the Deseret Bank corner east, and moved that it be ordered repaired with asphaltum. Carried.

On motion of Councilor Roberts, the marshal was instructed to drive cattle from City Creek Canyon.

The Council then met as a board of equalization to consider the protests made against certain proposed extensions of the water mains. The protests were referred to the recorder for comparison with the petition asking the extensions, after which the Council then adjourned for one week.

COMPROMISED!

The Great Suit of Eureka vs. Bullion-Beck Settled.

The celebrated mining case of Eureka Hill Mining Company vs. Bullion-Beck Mining Company, with the details of which the readers of THE HERALD are already more or less familiar, involving millions of dollars' worth of some of the richest mining property in the world, has been completely settled by the parties.

The decision of the Territorial courts was adverse to the Bullion-Beck company, and pending an appeal to the United States Supreme Court, the entire property of the latter company was transferred to a San Francisco syndicate, composed of wealthy and prominent men, headed by Governor Perkins, as president. Hon. Alex. Badlam and Col. Isaac Trumbo, representing the Bullion-Beck company, with their attorneys, have been negotiating with Judge R. Barkness, of the Eureka Company, for about two weeks past, and yesterday the settlement was finally made and papers passed.

The parties refuse to divulge the particulars of the compromise, but it is learned that it is an agreement on vertical lines between the claims in dispute. Both parties express themselves as well satisfied with the settlement, and the best of feeling prevails between them.

THE HERALD congratulates the parties in interest, on making the settlement, as well as the Territory at large, as it permits the uninterrupted working of these great mining properties, and insures the continued payment of the present large dividends by both companies.

In the Tolls Again.

On Thursday a couple was arrested at the People's Hotel on the charge of fornication. Deputy Eggleston made the arrest. It was learned that the young man's name was George Shurtliff and the girl was Alvira Cook. They came down from the north on Thursday morning and registered at the hotel as Mr. Clifton and wife. One of the employees of the hotel knew the girl and suspicion was aroused which led to the arrest. They were taken before Mr. Goodwin and required to give \$500 each for appearance. The last report concerning the case was that the young man was trying to get the girl married to him.—Journal.

Syrup of Figs

Is Nature's own true laxative. It is the most easily taken, and the most effective remedy known to cleanse the System when bilious or costive; to dispel Headaches, Colds and Fevers; to Cure Habitual Constipation, Indigestion, Piles, etc. Manufactured only by California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, Cal. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. A. C. Smith & Co., agents, Salt Lake. 13

Good and Cheap.

Pure, separated milk, recommended by reliable physicians as the best summer drink for children and adults; 2 quarts for 5c. at Arbogast & Trumbo's, 48 First South.

Fireworks.

Celebrate the Fourth of July. Hyde & Griffin Co. has just received an immense assortment of fireworks, comprising all the latest novelties in that line. Send in orders early to insure the best selection.

THE D. & R. W. COAL AGENCY

have removed their Coal Office to 165 S. Main Street, in office Midland Investment Company and Real Estate office. Orders for the genuine Pleasant Valley Anthracite, Blacksmith Charcoal, Coke, Wood, Pig Iron, Slack, Etc., solicited and promptly filled. Telephone No. 179. A. L. WILLIAMS, Agent and Manager, 165 S. Main Street.

The Display

Goldsmith & Co. are now showing in new four-in-hand and Teck Scarfs excels anything ever shown here. Prices lower than ever.

SPECIAL NOTICE!!

My Virginias, Bachelors, La Commercial and Henry Clay Perfectos imported brands of Cigars can be had at Garfield Beach.

GREENWALD'S HEADQUARTERS CIGAR STORE.

SYRACUSE.

Until further notice the Utah Central Railway Company will run special trains from Salt Lake to Syracuse and return on Sundays of each week leaving at 2:00 p. m. and 4:10 p. m.; returning will arrive at 7:20 p. m. and 9:20 p. m. Professor Navoni with his orchestra will furnish music during the afternoon and evening.

Auction Sale.

Goods damaged by fire. Barratt Bros will commence selling at auction, Saturday, June 30, at No. 149 S. Main Street, their large stock of furniture, etc., damaged by fire on June 17th. All goods must be sold.

China Meeting.

Fine assortment at Dinwoody's, 5

EVENT OF THE YEAR.

To-day's Display Promises to be a Great One.

THE EXERCISES AT THE PARK.

The Route of the Procession—The Different Divisions—Details That Should be Remembered.

To-day will be a red letter one in the history of Salt Lake City. Not content to await the approach of the midnight hour, hostilities commenced at about sundown and continued almost without cessation. The ordinance in regard to explosives within the fire limits was once more a dead letter, and young America reveled and rejoiced. Several business houses commenced decorating yesterday evening, and by this morning an excellent showing will doubtless be made. It is desirable, owing to the length of the route of the procession, and the extensive programme of exercises at Liberty Park, that each one participating should do all in his power looking to the moving of the column on time.

The aids to the Marshal of the day will assemble at the Utah Commission Rooms, at 9 sharp, dressed in dark clothes, white gloves and dark hats.

The first division, consisting of Colonel M. M. Blunt's command of six companies of the Sixteenth United States Infantry, B. Terry D., Fifth United States Artillery, and the regimental band will form on Main Street, opposite Walker House.

The second division, headed by Kent Lake Park Band, and composed of the President of the day, Speakers, Guests, United States, Territorial, County and City Officers, marshal, the Walker House, where carriages will be provided for their accommodation. Assignments to carriages and location of same in their division will be under the direction of Major Edmund Wilkes, Colonel T. P. Murray, Heber M. Wells, J. D. Spencer and Colonel Elijah Sells.

The third division, headed by F. M. Bishop, Marshal, and held's band, and consisting of the Salt Lake City Firemen and other organizations, will assemble on Third South Street East right resting at corner Main Street, at St. Elmo Hotel.

The fourth division, under command of Frank W. Jennings, marshal, and the Sixth Ward Band will be composed of merchants, manufacturers, mechanics and trade representatives, and will assemble on Fourth South Street East, Advance on Main Street north.

The fifth division, B. F. Whittemore, marshal, and Pedersen's Garfield Beach Band, at the head, will consist of the Antiques and Horribles—characters in costumes and irregular horsemen. These will assemble on South Temple Street near the Utah Central depot under the direction of Marshal Whittemore, and move east to West Temple Street, thence south, passing the Executive Office in Rowley, proceeding to residence on Third South Street, right resting on the corner of Main Street at the Clift House.

PROGRAMME.

The column will move promptly at 10 o'clock a. m. as follows: Marshal of the Day. Staff.

FIRST DIVISION. Colonel M. M. Blunt Commanding. Staff. Sixteenth United States Infantry Band. Sixteenth United States Artillery. Battery D, Fifth United States Artillery.

SECOND DIVISION. Major Edmund Wilkes, Marshal. Staff. Kent's Lake Park Band. Carriages of the President of the Day, Guests, United States, Territorial and other public officials.

THIRD DIVISION. Captain F. M. Bishop, Marshal. Staff. Held's Band. Salt Lake City Firemen. Civic Societies. Other Organizations.

FOURTH DIVISION. Frank W. Jennings, Marshal. Staff. Sixth Ward Band. Merchants, Manufacturers, Mechanics, Trade Representatives.

FIFTH DIVISION. Benjamin F. Whittemore, Marshal. Staff. Pedersen's Garfield Beach Band. Antiques and Horribles. Characters in Costume. Irregular Horsemen.

Line of March

From Walker House north to Main and Second South, thence west to West Temple, thence north to First South Street, thence east to Fifth East Street. Counter-march to Main Street, thence south on Main Street to Fourth South Street, thence east to Sixth East Street, thence south to Liberty Park.

Order of Exercises at Liberty Park:

- 1—Call to order by the president of the day, Governor Caleb W. West. 2—Invocation by Arthur Stayer. 3—Music by the band. 4—Reading the Declaration of Independence by O. F. Whitney. 5—Vocal and instrumental music. 6—Sword of Bunker Hill, in character, by anti-army veterans. 7—Oration by Judge H. H. Benson. 8—Music by the band. 9—Address by Hon. Charles S. Zane. 10—Vocal and instrumental music. 11—Address by Judge C. C. Goodwin. 12—Music by the band. 13—Address by James E. Talmage. 14—Music by the band. 15—A dissertation on the American flag by Commissioner Albert J. Norrell. 16—Song, "America," all joining in the chorus. 17—Benediction by Chaplain Hammond, U. S. A.

During the evening there will be a grand pyrotechnical display on Capitol Hill commencing at 9 o'clock, during which the Sixteenth United States Infantry Band will furnish music.

HURRAH!

Boys in Blue at Lake Park on the Fourth of July.

The Denver & Rio Grande Railway Company, together with the Lake Park Resort Company, have arranged with the G. A. R. to issue a limited number of tickets for the J. E. McKee Women's Relief Corps and the friends of both. These tickets will be good to the round trip to Lake Park and return, and will have a coupon attached good for one meal, and will be sold at 75c. a piece, and furnished by the committee of arrangements to members of the Post, members of Woman's Relief Corps, and the friends of both.

IN RAILWAY CIRCLES.

Heavy Local Traffic—The Resorts—Personal and General.

The Salt Lake & Fort Douglas, announces a 25 cent rate for the round trip. The Utah Central will run special trains to Syracuse to-day, leaving at 2:10 and 4:10 p. m.

The Utah Central people report a heavy traffic yesterday, and expect their special trains will be crowded this morning.

MR AND MRS. GEORGE E. HEDGES, Sr. of Terre Haute, Ind., arrived in Salt Lake on a visit to their son, George E., of the Union ticket office.

Work on the grade of the Salt Lake Valley & Eastern in Ogden Canyon is progressing as rapidly, as the character of the obstructions to be removed, will permit.

GRANT BROS. run busses from both depots to the Calien, Continental, White House, Clift House, Valley House and St. Elmo. Fine turnouts for tourists. Telephone 211.

WYOMING people are planning an excursion from various points in that Territory—the idea being to stop one day in Ogden, two in Salt Lake and one day at Garfield Beach.

GEORGE HEDGES, assistant joint ticket agent, and who hails from Indiana, says he has been endeavoring for a week to place a wazer of \$100 that Harrison will carry Indiana, and can find no takers.

The new Rio Grande and Missouri Pacific ticket office in Denver is said to be the handsomest in the United States. It is on the ground floor of the Cheesman Block, corner Laramie and Seventeenth Streets.

There are wild rumors afloat again regarding the rival bathing resorts. One report hints that the Lake Park people have been considering the advisability of cutting their round trip rate to 10 cents, to go into effect in a few days. The rumor, however, lacks confirmation.

Each day gives indications that President Adams, of the Union Pacific, when he made the statement that his road had no extensions in view, was merely paying the old game bluff. The Union Pacific Company has filed a charter in Kansas under the name of the Union Pacific, Lincoln & Colorado, for the purpose of building a number of extensions as follows: One of the Lincoln & Colorado branch, from Salina to the west boundary of Kansas, in Sherman County, 200 miles; another from Oakley to some point in the northwest corner of Cheyenne County, 100 miles; the third from Clay Center to a junction with the first, in Graham County; the fourth from Belleville, westward 250 miles; the fifth, from some point on the Nebraska border in Phillips County, to intersect No. 4 in Cheyenne or Sherman Counties, 129 miles away; the sixth, from Ellsworth and runs to the Colorado boundary, 200 miles; the seventh from a point on the sixth in Ellis County, for the southwest some 250 miles.

The nation's birthday celebration at Lake Park will be carried out in a finer manner than has ever before been attempted, and it is a safe conclusion to say that no programme prepared for that day's pleasure will equal, far less surpass, the brilliant features of the bill of this favorite place of resort. There will be Swimming Matches, Boat Races, Tub Races, Foot Races, Grand Target Shooting Match, and other exhibitions of skill for which valuable prizes will be given.

Professor Hagal, the justly named "King of the Air," will exhibit on the high bluff wire, forty feet from the ground, a number of his astonishing feats, concluding with his thrilling "Slide for Life."

There will also be a special select minstrel performance and champion roller skating by distinguished artists.

The amusements of the day will conclude with a grand ball in the Pavilion. Excursionists for Lake Park will be taken on board cars at the northern corner of Liberty Park at the conclusion of the exercises there. Tickets can be had from conductor on board train.

REGULAR LAKE PARK BATHING TRAINS.

Making the Trip in 30 Minutes.

Leave Salt Lake for Lake Park at 8:25, 10:45 a. m., 2:40, 5:45, 6:30 p. m. Leave Lake Park for Salt Lake at 10:05 a. m., 12:20, 5:00, 8:00, 9:20 a. m., 2:00, 6:20, 8:40 p. m. Leave Ogden for Lake Park at 9:20 a. m., 3:40, 6:35, 8:15 p. m.

Concerts by Kent's Military Band daily at 4 p. m.

"SHERIDAN'S RIDE."

A masterpiece of music.—At 4 p. m. to-day, on the Pavilion at Garfield Beach, Pedersen's beach band will perform a battle piece, in which the composer portrays the famous cavalry officer's rescue of the Federal force from defeat at Winchester, and turns the affair into a glorious victory. The piece opens with drum calls, and an advance movement entitled, "Just Before the Battle"; then comes the "Commencement of firing." After this is heard the "Battle Proper," in which the rattle of the small arms and the heavier boom of the artillery is vividly portrayed. The battle is lost—but now comes a lively gallop, entitled, "The Ride," and on Sheridan's appearance on the field there is cheering and rallying of the troops, which turns the battle to the Federal side, then a majestic march, "Honor to Sheridan"; after this comes the rejoicing of the troops, closing the piece with salvo of artillery. People visiting the beach to-day are earnestly requested to refrain from all noise and bustle during the rendition of this selection. The orchestra has given a good deal of time to the piece and are just entitled to the attention of the audience.

NOTICE TO WATER TAKERS.

The attention of all persons using water from the Salt Lake City waterworks is specially called to the following provisions of city ordinance, viz: Sprinklers for lawns, sidewalks, streets, windows and fronts, must be used only between the hours of 6 p. m. and 8 p. m. during the months of July and August. No nozzle for sprinkling shall be larger than one fourth of an inch in diameter.

The present extreme scarcity of water renders imperative the strict enforcement of these provisions. GEORGE M. OTTINGER, Superintendent of Waterworks.

The Protection

Of the age in the medical line is the liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal. It is agreeable to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, harmless in its nature, and less, yet prompt and thorough in its action. For sale by A. C. Smith & Co.

A ROW AMONG BLACKSMITHS.

Jack Rees Fells Sam Newton with a Pick Handle.

There has been a feud of some years' standing between Jack Rees and Sam Newton, both of whom are well-known to the public and particularly to the habitués of the court room. Rees, at one time, was a hard drinker, but some months reformed and for a while ran a shop on Commercial Street, where he appeared to do a thriving business.

Lately, however, it seems, he has fallen back into his old ways, and for several days has been drinking. Yesterday, at about noon he walked into Malquist's blacksmith shop, where Newton was at work, when, as nearly as could be learned from the evidence adduced, Newton said: "Jack, I want to hire a horse shoe." To this Rees answered: "Well, I don't want to hire," at the same time going towards the rear of the shop. Here he picked up a pick handle, and going up behind Newton remarked: "I've had it in for you for a long time, and you might as well have it now," at the same time striking Newton a heavy blow with the pick handle. Newton appeared dazed for a second and then dropped to the floor, but at last accounts did not appear to be seriously injured. These facts being brought out before Commissioner Norrell, the defendant was fined \$50 and costs, and sentenced to eight days imprisonment in the county jail.

Escape of City Prisoners.

Shortly before noon yesterday James Hays, John Fairbank, William Clark and William Smith, four tramps who were recently sent up for twenty days each for vagrancy, while working with the chain gang on the gravel beds, made a preconcerted attempt to escape. The men all started at once on a run, and scattered. Two guards immediately gave chase, and after a hard run Archie Clayton succeeded in overhauling Hays and Fairbank in the vicinity of the Penitentiary. They were tied together with rope and brought down to the City Hall. Officers Seldon and Bateman caught Clark at about four o'clock in the afternoon in a brush patch some distance from the Penitentiary. Smith has not yet been captured.

The Coming Teachers.

An informal meeting of district and mission school teachers was held at Rivers Bro.'s store last night to decide on some course of action in regard to giving the Colorado teachers a reception on Saturday evening. The Colorado school-masters and masters are expected in the city Saturday morning. Strong and steps were taken last night to tender them a reception on Saturday evening, July 7th. Appropriate committees were appointed who will name the place