

LIVES EIGHT HOURS AFTER HE SHOTS HIMSELF

PROMINENT MINING MAN OF SOUTHERN NEVADA SUICIDES IN GOLDFIELD.

Edward Myers, a brother of Al D. Myers of Goldfield, and once a well known mining man of southern Nevada, committed suicide Friday afternoon in a room in the Esmeralda hotel by shooting himself in the head with a 38-calibre Colts six-shooter. The only possible reason known which could have forced him to commit the act was financial troubles. He had arrived Tuesday from Gold Crater, where he was managing mining properties for his brother and associates, but his stopping place up to the time he engaged a room in the Esmeralda hotel, is unknown.

Myer's skull was almost completely shattered and brains were scattered all over the room. In spite of this he lived for eight hours after firing the shot.

His wife lives in Gold Crater and an automobile was sent after her.

ROUND MOUNTAIN CIVIL CASE IN THE DISTRICT COURT

CASE IS OVER OWNERSHIP OF A HOIST WHICH BOTH PARTIES CLAIM.

The case of W. T. Mattly vs. John F. Davidson was heard yesterday in the district court. Both parties are from Round Mountain. The case is a civil one and is over the ownership of a hoist which the plaintiff claims he is entitled to use until the term of his lease on a Round Mountain property expires.

RECEIVES NEWS OF THE DEATH OF HIS MOTHER

Henry Annawaldt yesterday received information of the death of his mother, who passed away last Saturday in Latrobe, Pennsylvania. The letter was delayed in transit, which accounted for the lateness in receiving the sad news. The lady was aged about 55 years and her death was entirely unexpected as she was in the best of health. She is survived by her husband and seven children.

PERSONAL MENTION

E. E. Burdick left yesterday morning for Carson.

P. A. McCarran was a Goldfield visitor yesterday.

Frank Orr, who has been in Goldfield for several weeks, has returned to this city.

Mrs. J. W. Skelton, who visited Pioneer last week, returned yesterday afternoon.

Harry E. Epstine left yesterday for Carson, where he will visit relatives for a few days.

Cy E. Johnson departed yesterday afternoon on the Nugget flyer for Round Mountain.

Mrs. Dr. H. C. Gore returned yesterday afternoon from Los Angeles, where she has spent the past three months.

A. H. May, district superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company, left yesterday for his home in San Francisco.

F. G. Schmidt leaves Monday morning for San Francisco, where he will spend several weeks combining business with pleasure.

Lester Bell returned yesterday afternoon from the northern part of the county, where he has been attending to business for the sheriff's office.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

MIZZPAH HOTEL.

J. F. Henry, Goldfield; J. A. Blink, Millers; J. E. Kendall, National; John F. Davidson, Round Mountain; G. W. Anderson, Seattle; Thomas S. Carnahan, Liberty; Charles R. Reapath, Boston, Mass.; F. J. Koff, Goldfield; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Lee, Goldfield; Mrs. Minnie Wilson, city.

PALACE HOTEL.

E. Stack, S. J. Rigles, Oroville, California; Bill Hart, Richard Ross, city.

NYE COUNTY MINES INCREASE ONE-THIRD IN QUARTERLY OUTPUT

The statement of the amount of ores extracted, shipped, milled or treated and their values and the amount of bullion tax due Nye county for the quarter ending December 31, 1908, was completed yesterday in the auditor and recorder's office and will be mailed to the state bullion and tax collector at Carson.

The report shows that a sum of \$8237.31 has been turned into the treasury for bullion tax. This is a net gain of \$2163.16 over the preceding quarter, as only \$6074.15 was paid at that time.

Of the total sum for this quarter Round Mountain paid \$461.29; Manhattan is credited with \$819.96; Helena, \$479.96; Rhyolite, 169.05, and Tonopah, \$6307.05.

The increase reaches over 35 per cent more than the previous quarter, and is even better than the report of the quarter ending July 31, 1908.

This report clearly shows that the mines of Nye county are rapidly resuming the extraction and shipment of ore, and especially so with the mines of Tonopah.

BIG FIVE NOT IN IT WITH SMALLER FIVE

LIGHTER BASKETBALL TEAM PLAYS ALL AROUND HUSKY OPPONENTS.

The Tonopah Basketball club again won from the Big Five team last evening by a score of 32 to 13. The lighter team made the Big Five look like the five of spades. They played all around the big fellows, who never had a look in from the start, and in fact did not play the game they put up in the early part of the week.

The Goldfield high school team which won the championship several weeks ago has evinced no desire to play a return game, as they wish to retain the honors. A game may possibly be arranged, however, sometime this week, and if so the Goldfield boys stand a good chance of seeing the honors come home to Tonopah.

Fallon Man In Town With New Lighting Device

E. J. Maupin, of Fallon, is in this city introducing a new process for lighting. He represents and has the state agency for the F-B gas lighting machine, and has installed one of these plants in the H. J. Hall Liquor company building. The machine generates its own gas from gasoline and the brilliancy produced far surpasses any other lighting device. They are of a 500-candle power and throw a steady, clear light without the slightest flickering and are entirely free from heat or odor.

The machine is a marvel and leading business houses in the east, after years of use, give it the highest recommendations. The cost of lighting is decreased over 50 per cent, while the brilliancy is increased 100 per cent. The interior of the Hall Liquor company is illuminated with eight lights and it is estimated that the cost will not be over \$12 a month.

Mr. Maupin has installed these lights in Goldfield, Pioneer and Rawhide, the last place he not only supplied the business houses but the mines as well as are now equipped with huge lights which resemble in a way the arc lights. He leaves this morning for the south where he will install a number of the machines which have been ordered since his last trip, and will return to this city in about ten days, having secured orders from a number of business houses here.

ROOSEVELT GIVES CANES TO CABINET

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Canes made from woods of historic significance were presented by President Roosevelt yesterday to several members of his cabinet.

A handsome maple stick with a gold band bearing the inscription, "Made from Alexander Hamilton's Tree—Theodore Roosevelt," was presented to Secretary of the Navy Newberry.

A similar gift was made to Secretary of War Wright. The cane presented to him was inscribed, "From the Home of Andrew Jackson—The Hermitage."

WINTERS WILL CASE SETTLED IN RENO COURT

JURY AFTER SHORT DELIBERATION DECLARES AGAINST CONTESTANTS.

The jury in the Winters will contest case, which has been occupying the courts of Reno for some time, returned a verdict Friday after a deliberation of forty minutes in favor of the proponents of the will. The verdict was directly opposite to the testimony given by an expert witness who testified that Winters had no control over his mind at the time the will was made and was subject to the influence of his children. The will was contested by a daughter, Nellie McCormack, and a son, George Winters, who the jury declared had no standing in the settlement of the will.

IS OUSTED FROM CONTROL OF THE DALY-WEST

(By Associated Press.)

DENVER, Feb. 20.—At the adjourned meeting of the Daly-West Mining company the old board of directors was re-elected after a hard fight by the eastern men with whom J. J. Daly, the discoverer of the mine, was allied.

The eastern and Daly faction contended that the mine was not being operated for the best interests of the stockholders which was denied by the McCormick-Bamberger people who claim that only the low price of silver has caused the amount of work and production to be less than the development of the property justified. The mine is one of the big ones of Utah, but the Daly faction think it is being manipulated for the purpose of forcing a merger with other companies.

MURDERS GIRL HE WAS TO WED

(By Associated Press.)

BOSCAREL (Wis.), Feb. 20.—John McDonald, a farmer living near Gayes Mills last evening shot and killed his sweetheart, Nonie Lenox, and her mother, Mrs. Oscar Lenox, at their home. The murder followed a quarrel. Both women were killed instantly.

The murder of the Lenox women was the result of a girl's refusal to marry McDonald. There is evidence of a terrible struggle in the house where the crimes were committed.

Mrs. Lenox was a widow and the girl was a telephone operator. McDonald was taken to Prairie Duchenne to avoid lynching.

MINE IN BACK YARD.

With a primitive grasta stationed in the backyard of his ranch home in the Blackhorse district, near Ely, Thomas Watkins, father of the district, is treating 800 and 900 pounds of ore a day, from which he takes \$40 to \$50 in gold, according to A. G. Barrett, who has just returned from the camp. The ore is taken from the Blackhorse mine, the original discovery in the district, and Mrs. Barrett says that thousands of tons of that kind of material are in sight.

FATHER'S SEARCH FOR MISSING SON IS FRUITLESS

MOTHER ANXIOUSLY AWAITS RETURN OF WANDERING LAD.

After having traveled through nearly every state in the union, Charles R. Reapath, a prominent man of Boston, Massachusetts, arrived in Tonopah yesterday and spent the afternoon here interviewing different people and looking for information concerning his son, Charles R. Reapath, Jr., who left his eastern home three years ago. The young man mysteriously disappeared on the evening of his twenty-first birthday, and since that date no word has been heard from him.

Mr. Reapath has advertised extensively and has even had detectives take up the search for the missing boy and several times when success seemed to be in sight, the result would invariably be defeat. Several weeks ago he received information that the young man had been seen in Goldfield by a former acquaintance, and hurrying to the southern city he made a thorough search of that place with no results.

That is only one of the many visits he has made to places where it has been reported that the boy had been seen.

"The boy's mother is worrying herself to the grave," said Mr. Reapath yesterday, "and each night she prays that he will return home. There is no accountable reason why he should have left, for he was always satisfied and his home life was more than happy. He had just finished a course in one of the preparatory schools at home and would have entered one of the large universities in the fall."

"About eight months ago I received word that he was living in Phoenix, Arizona, and both my wife and I went there to look for him, and it was there that we received definite proof that he was still living, for several people recognized the photos we had of him. But we were too late. On the date of our arrival he left the city, stating to a friend that he was bound for Nevada, and when I received word that he had been seen in Goldfield I was in hopes that my quest would at last meet with success. Mrs. Reapath was also hopeful and now it will be a hard task to return with the report that the trip was a fruitless one."

The young man is described as being 24 years old, medium height, dark complexion, dark hair, good looking, and has a small triangle scar on his forehead.

Mr. Reapath will leave this morning for Reno and other cities in the northern part of the state, where he will continue the search before returning to his eastern home.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. Mark's Episcopal:

Services for Sunday, February 21: Holy communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Litany and sermon, 11 a. m. Sermon: "St Paul's Epistle of Love." 1st Cor. 13. Evening prayer, 8 o'clock. Sermon: "Jesus of Nazareth Passeth By." Services for Ash Wednesday: Litany and holy communion, 11 a. m. Penitential office and sermon, 8 p. m. All are invited to attend these services. They will help you, Lloyd B. Thomas, rector.

Baptist.

Rev. H. Warren Nice, pastor, Sunday school, 10 a. m. Sermon, 11 a. m.: "The Eagle's Nest." Young People's meeting (leader, the pastor), 6:45 p. m. Sermon, 7:45 p. m.: "Light at Eventide." Prayer and Bible study, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

SOMEBODY IS MAKING MONEY IN NEW YORK

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—New York city is flooded with counterfeit quarters and dimes. So much of the small spurious silver is said to be in circulation that many corporations, and especially the transportation companies, have issued warnings to cashiers and ticket sellers.

Location notices in triplicate—handiest affair for prospectors and miners—contains carbon—150 notices in book. For sale at the Bonanza office.

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SHAKESPERE CAN BE SEEN AT THE BUTLER THEATER

NEW FILMS SHOWN AT PLAYHOUSE ATTRACT LARGE CROWD.

The pictures at the Butler last night were the best that the managers, Morris and Terwilliger, have displayed since their opening. One film is a Shakespearean play, "Anthony and Cleopatra." This picture is not only interesting in regard to its story, but it also shows the costumes of that time, the armor and weapons used in warfare, the styles and the tablet. Another film, "The Lover's Guide," is a very funny one, showing the antics of a love-sick youth, who on making a love speech refers himself to the guide book. Too much cannot be said of this film in regard to its humor. Last but not least of the films is "Too Much Mother-in-law." This film illustrates how a man can easily rid himself of a mother-in-law and at the same time have her win the Vanderbilt cup in an auto race.

Will C. Murphy, "that sweet singer," contributed liberally to the evening's performance, rendering "Good Night, Beloved, Good Night," and "As Long as the World Rolls On." Both songs are beautifully illustrated.

Another attraction is "Happy." He will be seen every night at the Butler in evening dress clothes. This alone is worth the price of admission. There will be a matinee Sunday at 3 p. m.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following is the report of the Tonopah station of the department of agriculture-weather bureau for the week ending February 19: Highest barometer, Feb. 14...30.44 Lowest barometer, Feb. 19...30.02 Highest temperature, Feb. 18... 49 Lowest temperature, Feb. 19... 23 Mean temperature... 36 Average dew point... 21 Average humidity... 52 No. clear days... 1 No. partly cloudy days... 6 J. C. PIERCY, Official in charge.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

A marriage license was granted yesterday at the county clerk's office to Billie J. Lee and Elmore C. Spencer, both of Goldfield.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND—Pair of nose glasses, gold rims; owner may have same by calling at Bonanza office and paying for this advertisement. 2-21-1f

WANTED—Positives by experienced waitress in hotel or boarding house. Inquire at Palace hotel. 2-20-3t.

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FOR SALE—One new two-horse power Wagner 60-cycle, single phase, electric motor. Address 3 Bonanza office. tf

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TONOPAH AND GOLDFIELD RAILROAD

EFFECTIVE, JULY 19, 1908.

(Local) (or Pacific) Time.

7:45 a.m. Lv. Goldfield	Ar. 12:55 p.m.
9:05 a.m. Ar. Tonopah	Lv. 11:15 a.m.
9:20 a.m. Lv. Tonopah	Ar. 11:00 a.m.
9:52 a.m. Lv. Millers	Ar. 9:52 a.m.
10:29 a.m. Lv. Blair Junct.	Ar. 9:17 a.m.
1:12 p.m. Lv. Mina	Ar. 8:25 a.m.
6:55 p.m. Lv. Faren	Ar. 2:50 a.m.
7:45 p.m. Lv. Reno	Ar. 12:15 a.m.
7:08 a.m. Ar. San Fran.	Lv. 10:40 a.m.
1:30 p.m. Ar. Ogden	Lv. 5:10 p.m.
3:05 p.m. Ar. Salt Lake	Lv. 4:00 p.m.

SIX TRAINS DAILY BETWEEN GOLDFIELD AND TONOPAH.

Leave Tonopah	Arrive Goldfield
8:10 a.m.	9:15 a.m.
11:15 a.m.	1:25 p.m.
3:40 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
Leave Goldfield	Arrive Tonopah
7:45 a.m.	9:05 a.m.
1:10 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
6:00 p.m.	7:05 p.m.

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