

Charge Dismissed With a Story.

Down at DeLamar, last Saturday, a complaint was made out before a justice of the peace, charging a miner named Wiley with having taken a shot at a miner named Shovel. Wiley was arrested and the prosecuting attorney telephoned for to go down and conduct a hearing before the J. P. Mr. Hays went down, but the hour being late, the hearing was postponed until Monday, and Mr. Wiley locked up. When Monday morning came, it was found that the complaining witness and also "the woman in the case" had skipped the bailiwick. Mr. Hays, on being informed of this, ordered the J. P. to release the defendant. Defendant was called into court and the J. P. addressed him as follows:

"I want to tell you a story. Once upon a time a colored man died. He went to heaven and knocked at the gate and St. Peter opened it and asked him where he came from. The man replied: 'From DeLamar.' St. Peter took him in and, with a lot of the other morning arrivals, began to show him around. First he pointed out a bunch of Baptists, then Methodists, Catholics, Episcopalians, Christian Scientists, and so on, through a long list of religious beliefs, telling his followers to drop out and mix in with any company that suited them, until he found only the negro left, when St. Peter asked him if he didn't belong to any of these, and the coon replied: 'No, boss, Peter.' Then St. Peter said: 'Go wherever you blame please.' That's what I tell you to do. You are discharged."

This, we have been assured, is what actually took place in that justice court.

Founder of Ten Thousand Homes

F. H. Buhl, president of the Twin Falls North Side Land & Investment company, is in the city from Sharon, Pa., in company with a number of directors and officers and others, prominent among whom are G. A. Baird of Chicago, vice president; A. C. Milner of Salt Lake; F. A. Voigt of Twin Falls, secretary, and R. H. McCullum of Twin Falls. D. C. MacWatters, the engineer in charge of the work on the canal, is expected in the city to join the party and go over the project. Mr. Buhl, the eastern capitalist who is interested in the Twin Falls project, has the honor of being the donor of the first building for public education in the state, he having made provisions for the construction of a \$20,000 school house at Buhl. Besides making a gift of this building, which is in course of construction, he also furnished the site and has arrangements made for laying walks about the building. Mr. Buhl made his first substantial investment in Carey act lands in Idaho four years ago and he has been largely responsible for the revival of interest in the west. Through the active work of Mr. Buhl and other stockholders 10,000 homes have been built on the Twin Falls Tract, where four years ago there was nothing but oceans of sage brush.

The town of Buhl is growing rapidly and today, for the first time, boasts of two trains on the branch line from Minidoka.—Capital News.

Minnesota Has A Governor.

Governor Johnson of Minnesota is Col. Watterson's dark horse for President. But Governor Johnson will never suit Mr. Bryan. See what he did the other day. A great strike was ordered in the Minnesota iron region, whereupon this governor issued a proclamation, warning all concerned that the peace and order of Minnesota must not be disturbed; he told the strikers that it was their right to meet in peaceable assemblages; that in this he would protect them, but they must avoid marching in large bodies near the mines; and renounce every form of physical intimidation and force. Such a man as that will not do for a candidate on the Dem-

ocratic ticket. Where would be the appeals to have the wrongs of poor working men redressed?

It seems the outside people in Minnesota are just as bad as the Governor. They gathered together in the mining region in the town of Ely, in mass meeting, denounced the strike, condemned the violence of the labor bodies and guaranteed protection to every man who wanted to work. Then the business men went to one Lundstrom, a strike organizer, and escorted him to an out going train and sent him away. In several other towns similar proceedings were carried out and the impression it all gives is that the sentiment of the men of Minnesota is, the laws must be sustained and the rights of every man to do the best he can for himself within the law is a cardinal principle up there. And this must be the rule everywhere and if the unions would accept this they would have the sympathy and good will of every man and woman in America.—Goodwin's Weekly.

A Symbol of Peace.

Away down almost to the northern boundary of Potagonia, in the Uspallata Pass in the Great Andes Range, 13,000 feet above the sea, the Governments of Chili and Argentina have erected a colossal statue of the Christ, to stand as a symbol of everlasting peace between the two Republics. To most men that spot is practically out of the world; most men know little of either country, the great majority of men hold neither as representing a very high order of enlightenment; but we have a suspicion that in the roll of the years that statue will count more for peace than all the work of the present Peace Congress, at least more than all its work unless it frames and passes the arbitration code now under its consideration. In a few months more daily trains between Santiago and Buenos Ayres will be passing that statue. Passengers looking from the coach windows will see it and be reminded of what it signifies and, going either way will have kindlier thoughts of the country they are entering. It will grow more sacred as time goes on. In a few years they will be saying to each other: "Our fathers lifted up that statue. The two countries had long been antagonistic; there was no end of bad blood between them, but they finally got together and settled their differences, and great relief came to both and they agreed to symbol the new good will, and approved this statue as a sign to us that the ways of peace are better than those of war, and that there must be no more heart-burnings between these two nations." And the effect will continue to grow until without a paper ever being signed the two nations will be in firm alliance.

And those two countries far away in the southland; those countries where school-houses are not very plenty, where the great roar of higher civilization only falls in murmurs, have set the world an example which should be a minister of good to the world's end.—Goodwin's Weekly.

Figures from the Department of Commerce and Labor show a steady increase in the tide of immigration that is flowing into this country. There has been an annual immigration of over 1,000,000 for each year of the past three years, the high record being made in 1906 with 1,200,000 aliens. But the figures for July just past are 97,132, an increase of 15 per cent over the figures of the same month last year.

10 Big Bargains.

The house I represent has instructed me to sell 10 \$25 Melton or Kersey suits for \$15 each for the next 10 days. It is their way of advertising. Now is the time to get a big bargain. Come in and order before the number is sold out.
GEO. R. SWEENEY, THE TAILOR,
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Dr. Drake, the "Eye Man," will be in Silver City, Saturday, Sept. 14th.

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Legal Notices.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, George W. Jordan, convicted of Grand Larceny, at the October term 1904, in the District Court of the 3rd (now the 7th) Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for the county of Owyhee, and sentenced on or about November 1st, 1904, to the Idaho State Penitentiary, situated at Boise City, county of Ada, State of Idaho, for the term of five years, will make an application to the State Board of Pardons at its regular meeting, after the expiration of the legal publication of this notice, for a full and absolute pardon.

GEORGE W. JORDAN
Boise, Ida., Aug. 28, 1907.

Notice of Publication.

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a. m., on the 23rd day of October, 1907, at Castle Creek, county of Owyhee, state of Idaho, before John Hales, Justice of Peace, proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 8 of 1 cubic feet per second of the waters of Catherine Creek in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name of the person holding said permit is Tom Henderson.
2. The postoffice address of such person is Castle Creek, county of Owyhee, state of Idaho.
3. The number of such permit is 2368, and the date set for the completion of such work is November 3, 1907.
4. Said water to be used for irrigation and domestic purposes.
5. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 8 of 1 cubic feet per second.
6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 40 acres, particularly described as follows: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 26, Township 4 south, Range 1 East.

JAS. STEPHENSON, JR., State Engineer.

Notice of Loss of Certificates of Banner Mining Stock.

Notice is hereby given of the loss by fire of the following described certificates of stock issued by the Banner Mining & Milling company of Silver City, Idaho, namely, Certificate No. 241 for 2500 shares and Certificate No. 250 for 1000 shares issued to Carrie Doll; and Certificate No. 249 for 2500 shares issued to H. K. Ivoll. All of the foregoing certificates are reported to have been destroyed by fire. Also Certificate No. 400 for 2000 shares issued to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac J. Evans, reported lost or missing. Application for duplicates of all of the above described certificates having been received, they will be issued after 30 days, unless other notice is given. THE BANNER MINING & MILLING CO.
By F. S. HEER, Secretary.
Silver City, Idaho, July 10, 1907.

Notice of Publication.

Notice is hereby given that at 10 a. m., on the 2nd day of November, 1907, at Jordan Valley, county of Malheur, state of Oregon, before F. L. Palmer proof will be submitted of the completion of works for the diversion of 3.2 cubic feet per second of the waters of South Mountain Creek, Owyhee County, in accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the State Engineer of the State of Idaho.

1. The name of the person holding said permit is Kenneth Mackenzie.
2. The postoffice address of such person is Jordan Valley, County of Malheur, State of Oregon.
3. The number of such permit is 2349, and the date set for the completion of such work is November 3, 1907.
4. Said water to be used for irrigation and domestic purposes.
5. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is 3.2 cubic feet per second.
6. The amount of lands for which said water is available is 160 acres, particularly described as follows: When surveyed will be the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 19, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 30, T. 7 S., R. 4 W., B. M. 21.

JAS. STEPHENSON, JR., State Engineer.

Notice for Publication.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
United States Land Office, Boise, Idaho,
{ August 29, 1907. }

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Clarence R. Bernard, of Wilson, county of Owyhee, state of Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1878, for the purchase of the Lot 6 of Section No. 6, in Township No. 3 S., Range No. 2 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Boise, Idaho, on Wednesday, the 20th day of November, 1907.

He names as witnesses: John Hawkins of Gully, Idaho; O. F. Brunzell of Reynolds, Idaho; H. M. Pratt of Wilson, Idaho; A. I. Matherson of Murphy, Idaho.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of November, 1907.

ADDISON T. SMITH, Register.



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