

LOTS FOR AIR

Wife Wanted Door Open; Husband Wanted It Shut; He Slapped Her, and She Fired.

ER, March 14.—An argument between a husband and wife regarding the ventilation of their bedchamber culminated in a shooting affray last evening which the husband was wounded. **Evans MacLennan**, and, who is employed in a department store, is in St. Joseph hospital. Mrs. MacLennan refused to remain with him and is arrested.

MacLennans live at 2343 Marion street, spending the evening when the topic of ventilation. The woman insisted that the door into their sleeping chamber be opened, while MacLennan insisted that it should be closed.

MacLennans were exchanged. MacLennan, according to the report, was struck by his wife, struck her in the face and, according to the report, taking a revolver from a pillow, fired upon him. MacLennan is considered dangerous.

AD CHOOSES TICKETS

DAD, March 14.—Conventions of the city tickets for the coming year are being held today by the Republicans and Democrats. Whether the Democrats will put their ticket in the field is still a matter of speculation.

A member of the Democratic party appeared to make the race for Mayor. The Democrats probably will elect Sal H. Jaffa for city

AWARDED \$7,182,507.

TON, March 14.—The sum of \$7,182,507 was held by the supreme court of the United States to be the amount of the \$33,000,000 old Virginia debt which West Virginia is obligated to pay. The question is left to the states.

Special Notice

st received a assignment of **march** **OUR** ice on 500 lb. lots starters for SHELL COAL and all CHICKEN

WEIGHT TAKEN FROM MURDER BY COBURN'S SIDE

DENVER, March 14.—A jury yesterday returned a verdict finding that Philip Schuch, a German, was guilty of the murder of **Dr. W. Wright** in Graham, Neb.

As the close of the inquiry, the verdict of the district attorney's office announced that Wright would be turned over to Nebraska authorities to be tried on a charge of murder. Leo Neuhar, held with Dr. Wright, was released. His connection with the affair dated only from the arrival of Dr. Wright and Schuch in Denver.

According to the analyses made by State Chemist Hill at Schuch's stomach and liver, and the whisky found in his apartments in the Shirley hotel, enough arsenic was present to have caused the death of 20 persons. Although no traces of arsenic were found in the stomach, the liver contained several grains, it is said.

Julesburg Reservoir Filled.

JULESBURG, Colo., March 13.—Irrigation prospects in Sedgwick county are good. The Jumbo reservoir is filled and the land under ditches will be watered sufficiently. A good crop of beets and potatoes is insured in the Platte valley.

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Work hard and play hard, stir up the sluggish circulation, have the springy step and the alert movements associated with perfect health—know that the system is in perfect trim.

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CAPT. HOTCHKISS IS LAID TO REST

A VETERAN'S BERTHOOD DEAR TO COUSINS IN RIVERSIDE AND SCORES PAY HOMAGE

Funeral Procession to Cemetery—Floral Offerings from Organizations—Friends and Relatives

Exported by members of E. A. Cameron post, G. A. R., the body of the late Captain Arthur Hotchkiss, who died yesterday, was borne tenderly to its final rest in Riverside cemetery on Friday, while scores of friends paid last homage to a man well loved.

The services, conducted by the Reverend W. H. DuBose of the Presbyterian church, were simple, both at the home and at Riverside.

The body of the deceased pioneer rested in its casket at the home in the morning, draped with an American flag, upon which lay a sword, a cap and captain's sash worn by the veteran during the Civil War.

There were no church services and friends were given an opportunity to view the features of the pioneer for the last time. In addition to all pioneers of Fort Morgan, there were friends from Brush, and the upper valley towns who came to do their final mark of respect.

The service was opened with a vocal duet, after which the Rev. DuBose spoke briefly on the splendid life of the dead builder, paying a high tribute to the ideals as exemplified in the life of the man. To the veterans he referred with simple praise for lives well lived, and urged the mourning friends to follow in the footsteps of those men who fought the good fight and are now passing away after lives of usefulness.

Immediately upon his conclusion, the cortege formed, and the casket was borne by the pall-bearers, chosen from the ranks of the Civil war veterans of Cameron Post.

Automobiles conveyed many friends and relatives, while buggies lengthened the procession into blocks. At the grave there was a simple benediction, and the casket was lowered to its rest.

The floral offerings were numerous, among them being a bouquet of day-break carnations and ferns from Oasis lodge, of Masons, a beautiful wreath from the Women's Relief Corps, a bouquet of carnations and ferns from the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church, several pillows of flowers and ferns from friends and relatives and numerous other floral designs.

William A. Hotchkiss and George Hotchkiss, sons of the dead pioneer, were in attendance from out of the city. Mrs. J. T. Boss, a daughter of Salem, Ore., could not reach Fort Morgan for the funeral.

NEW BOOKS HERE

EDITED TROWELL RANCH DENVERITE FOR \$1.

Famous Property Now Comes Out of Original

Information received concerning the sale of the no ranch to F. E. Dunleavy, of \$100,000. The deal was made by Freeman of Brush, after negotiations which have extended over several months.

The ranch, which originally of 3,000 acres, has been reduced until only 380 acres remain. It was sold for \$150 an acre. It was originally owned by F. Cooper and was managed by his son as a cattle ranch. The ranch was the building of the settler and the building of the ditch soon made the open range a thing of the past. That part of the valley and was finally sold and has been out until only 320 acres remain.

The Trowell is considered the best piece of land in the valley. It is very valuable. The building is a model in this valley. There is considerable earth connected with the Trowell, when the range was free and the property is one of the best in eastern Colorado.

The new owner will take over the place at an early date.

TELLS OF D.

MRS. A. M. JOHNSON WRITES SOCIETY'S WORK IN S.

Patriotic Women Mark History and Promote Philanthropic Among Deserving.

Upon the request of The T. A. M. Johnson has written the report of the work of the D. Colorado. Mrs. Johnson is the Fort Morgan chapter.

(By Mrs. A. M. Johnson) The Eighth Annual Convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Pueblo, brings the society to the public eye.

The work accomplished in this organization of patriotic women is worthy of more than passing mention. The society in Colorado has a membership of between 1,000 and 2,000 chapters, with three others in organization. These chapters are located at the following named places: Denver has two, the Colorado River; Zebulon Pike chapter at Springs, the oldest chapter in the Arkansas Valley and Pueblo at Pueblo; Centennial State, at Pueblo; Curay, at Curay; General the title of Canon City's Cache la Poudre, Fort Collins, Morgan, at Fort Morgan.

HOTCHKISS LEFT \$20,000 FORTUNE

WILL FILED IN COUNTY COURT BEQUEATHS MAIN PORTION TO CAPTAIN'S WIDOW

Estate Consists of Notes and Mortgages Children Receive Money Bequests from Late Pioneer

The will of the late Captain Arthur Hotchkiss, which was filed for probate in the county court on Monday, discloses that the noted pioneer left an estate of \$20,000, a less amount than he was popularly supposed to have possessed.

To the widow goes the majority of the estate, while each of the children is remembered with money bequests.

After the ordinary introduction of testaments, the will provides that Mrs. Matilda Hotchkiss shall receive the major portion of the funds derived from the estate. Then the following bequests are made: Arthur Hotchkiss, Jr., \$1,500; George Hotchkiss, of Weldona, \$1,400; Mrs. John T. Ross, of Salem, Ore., \$500; William A. Hotchkiss, of Greeley, \$100; Mrs. Jessie E. Bingle, of Overton, Nebraska, \$200. Mrs. Bingle is a niece of the late Captain and was raised at the Hotchkiss home.

The little children of Mrs. Ross are remembered in the document, which provides that each of them shall receive an annual Christmas gift from the interest on the bequest to their mother, Captain Hotchkiss. It is said, was exceptionally fond of these children.

The will was made April 15, 1909, R. M. Work and Stotan K. Stephenson being witnesses to the document. It comprises four typewritten sheets of foolscap paper and is precise in its wording and bequests.

The estate of Captain Hotchkiss consists, in the main, of notes and mortgages, only four pieces of land being set out. These include two residence lots at Weldona and two small lots in Fort Morgan. The investments were made carefully by the former banker, and the estate is in excellent condition.

No inheritance tax will probably fall on the estate, as it will come within the \$20,000 minimum fixed by the Colorado statute, which provides that the net receipts from an estate over that amount shall be taxed at the rate of two per cent.

PUEBLO STUDENTS WIN STRIKE; PRINCIPAL QUILTS JOB

Boys Will Now Be Permitted to Return to Classes

PUEBLO, March 14.—As a result of the strike of 65 boys at the Centennial High school last Friday, Professor H. D. Chamberlain, principal of the school, has tendered his resignation and it was accepted by Superintendent M. C. Potter and the board at a meeting last night.

6 SLAVE GIRLS CAPTURED.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—

spectacular raid in Chinatown resulted in the capture of six Chinese slave girls said to have been illegally imported and purchased for the sum of \$25,000. Before the hiding place of the girls was discovered the officers chopped through seven blind doors.

Strauss Opera Rights Sold.

LONDON, March 14.—Frederick

Whitney of New York is reported to have bought the American and British rights of the Strauss opera "Rose Cavalier" for a single year for \$62,500.

TO BUILD COPING

JACKSON LAKE DIRECTORS GIVE CONSTRUCTION TO C. M. WORK.

Board Re-organizes With Same Officials as Last Year—Expect Successful Season in 1911.

Construction of a five-foot coping on the Jackson Lake reservoir has been awarded to C. M. Work by the board of directors of the company and work on the improvement at the big container will be started at an early date. The Warren Lumber company will furnish the cement to be used on the job.

The improvement contemplates a coping five feet high to be constructed along the dike from the second bend east of the outlet, continuing for half a mile east. It will be eight inches at the bottom and six inches on top, reinforced by three horizontal steel supports and vertical steel posts every three feet apart. Every 12 feet the coping will be backed by a supporting wall of concrete with reinforcement.

The coping will not increase the reservoir capacity, but will prevent the waves from the container splashing over the present dike, as has been usual during storms.

The directors of the Jackson Lake have re-organized for the coming year with no change in officials. The board is as follows: W. S. Simpson, president; R. A. Chace, vice president; A. H. Cutler, secretary; Bon H. Pelton, treasurer.

The re-organization was effected at a meeting Saturday. Following the election of officers, the bids for the reservoir coping were opened and awarded, after which the board allowed the regular list of bills which are presented monthly.

The affairs of the company are in excellent condition, and the board expects a successful year. Water has been run into the reservoir and the volume on hand is said to be fully up to the average.

BEATEN, IS NEAR DEATH AFTER BRASS-KNUCKLE EXPERIENCE.

GEORGETOWN, Colo., March 14.—

Howard Champion of Silver Plume, who, it is alleged, was assaulted last Wednesday by Fred Pomeroy, was taken to Denver, where he will submit to an operation for a fracture of the skull.

Correct this sentence. "That's the pitcher coming up," said the manager. "Better walk him."

Last Words



THANKS ON TOP
I'LL PAY YOU
BACK NEXT
WEEK

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Pending receipt of word from relatives who have been notified, funeral arrangements have not been made. The body is being cared for at the Parker Funeral Home. Services when held, probably will be at the funeral home.

Matilda Jane Barron was born in Warsaw, N. Y., November 31, 1834. When she was still a small child she moved with her parents to Rochester, N. Y. and later to Allegheny, N. Y. From this place she went to Olean, N. Y. where she was married to Arthur Hotchkiss in September, 1857, 1858.

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Two children survive her, Arthur Hotchkiss and George B. Hotchkiss, both of 521 Lincoln street, Fort Morgan. A son, Charles, died in infancy. Mrs. Lella Matilda Ross, a daughter, died at Salem, Ore., Dec. 10, 1898. Mrs. Hotchkiss is also survived by one grandson and five granddaughters.

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Alternates: A. E. Boston, O. P. Smith, Mr. Rufus A. Johnston, W. K. Patterson, L. T. Lee, H. J. Williams, and Sam Ripley.

Precinct No. 2
Delegates: Gretchen Stewart, C. W. Ballard, W. H. Edwards, M. N. Wagner, C. S. Brooks, E. E. Evans and Fred Lewis.

Precinct No. 3
Delegates: D. J. VanBradt, Harry L. Brown, Harry Guiremand, Ed. Hellstern, J. H. Parker, W. J. Peyton, and Carl E. Wagner.

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E. Anderson Of Brush, Keynoter At Assembly, Flays Hooded Order

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ducted in the open. We are opposed to the Ku Klux Klan, or any other secret organization seeking to gain control of the Republican party of this state and we condemn the activities (Continued on Page 4)

FALLS FROM MOUNTAIN; DIES
Fort Morgan, Colo., Aug. 6.—(AP)—

Buried Alive Eight Hours, Man Digs Way To Freedom Uninjured

Reading, Calif., Aug. 5.—(AP) Buried