

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

The Great Country Paper of the West.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Redman Day at Lake.—The employees of B. F. Redman entertained 500 of their friends at Saltair last evening.

Ladies' Democratic Club.—The Ladies' Democratic club are preparing an interesting program for their annual meeting at Saltair on Thursday, Aug. 20.

Work for the Plumber.—A broken water pipe in the residence of E. S. Perry, 474 east South Temple street, last night, caused damage to the amount of \$150.

May Abandon Station.—It is reported in local army circles that the recruiting station in this city is to be discontinued, on the ground that Fort Douglas will answer all the requirements.

Fractures His Skull.—Mike Georges, an Athenian, is at the Groves L. D. S. hospital with a fractured skull, the result of a fall from a second story car before it stopped, with the usual result. Georges is in a critical condition.

Death of Edward W. Gilman.—Edward W. Gilman died at the Holy Cross hospital at 1 o'clock last night, in his seventy-fourth year. Funeral services will be held at the late residence, 637 south Ninth East, tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Nursing a Broken Leg.—Henry J. Green of the Associated Press has returned from a vacation in Colorado, and with a plaster cast on his leg, which was crushed in a fall from his horse. He was for several days in the hospital at Saltair.

Another Apartment House.—The transfer is recorded of the sale of 10 lots at Saltair, South and Sixth East streets to Dr. J. T. Keith, for \$8,000. The doctor represents the California Bungalow company, which is proposing to erect an apartment house there to cost \$50,000, for street car employees.

Concrete Man Here.—F. H. Ives, an eastern concrete machinery manufacturer, is at the Knutsford from Chicago. He expresses surprise at so little concrete being used in this city, whereas, in the east, its use is widespread. Mr. Ives believes Salt Lake is a good place for business opportunities.

Salvation Army Services.—Prig-Gen. Ashley Pebbles of the Salvation Army will speak tonight in the local army hall. He was the first Salvation Army officer in Utah, and opened the hall in this city 21 years ago. Gen. Pebbles was stationed in Chicago, but was in command of the Rocky Mountain division.

Woodmen's Annual Picnic.—The Woodmen of the World of Murray and Bingham Junction, are making extended preparations for next Tuesday's outing. The women of Woodcraft are participating. The program will include a baseball game, tug-of-war, and sawing contest. Special street cars will be run from Murray to accommodate the Woodmen.

Chills at Yellowstone.—Auditor of Passports Accounts John Cruckshank of the Short Line, and Mrs. Cruckshank, left last night for a week in the Yellowstone. They took their first chills there, and are now recovering their ears of freezing weather in the park. It is said there is good skating up there, and the bears are proposing to move into the hotels to keep warm.

Health's Little Walk.—Public Officer Horace Heath has been a busy man for the past three months serving subpoenas in the suit of the city to quiet title to the waters of Parley's canyon. In serving the subpoenas Heath has tramped about 50 miles, and the end is not yet, as the city has made defendant about 4,000 persons.

Ladies Select Officers.—The Jewish Ladies' Protective Aid society of the Congregation of Montefiore has chosen the following officers: Mrs. H. Eckstein, president; Mrs. H. A. Baron, vice president; Mrs. L. Smith, secretary; Mrs. J. Franklin, treasurer; Mrs. A. Shaffer and Mrs. L. Rosenberg, trustees. A committee of two gentlemen was also elected to look after certain relief work, consisting of G. M. Lewis and I. Levitt.

Strike at Brewery.—At last night's meeting of the Salt Lake Labor Union, a committee including R. E. Currie, Joseph Lane and John Osborne was appointed to confer with the Fuller Brewery company, whose employees are on strike. The union offers \$50 to the men out of employment because of the Rio Grande strike. The general committee will meet Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Change in the Moon Company.—By a deal recently concluded, C. I. Moon, president, and Clara S. Moon, vice president, of the Moon Book & Stationery company, have retired and sold out their interests to new people. The company has been reorganized with the following officers: Joshua F. Grant, president; William M. Hunt, vice president; Drucilla S. Grant, secretary. In addition to the above, there is only one other stockholder, who is George T. O'Neil.

Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. Pays 4 per cent on deposits. JOSEPH F. SMITH, President. ANTHONY H. LUND, Vice-President. O. C. BEEBE, Cashier.

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THE DESERET BUILDING SOCIETY.

No. 18 East South Temple Street (Templeton Building), home of the first mortgages to home builders. Over 6,000 shares installment stock (payable fifty cents per month per share) already subscribed; nearly 4,000 shares yet to be had. The Society also offers 2,000 shares at \$100 per share. The paid-up stock on which 6 per cent per annum, payable quarterly, is guaranteed. Stock withdrawable in cash under the rules.

Nephew L. Morris, president; Hugh J. Cannon, vice president; Quayle Cannon, secretary; O. C. Beebe, treasurer.

Democratic Day at Saltair, Aug. 20.

FOUND AT THE ROYAL CAFE. Dainty food and a cool place to eat.

Pure Drugs and Prescriptions our specialty. Halliday Drug Company.

TO OGDEN CANYON.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL IS LICENSE ACT

So Declares the Supreme Court In Case of Itinerant Peddlers.

DAVIS COUNTY TEST CASE

Under the Constitution Are Entitled to One State to Privileges Enjoyed in Another.

The supreme court has declared the peddlers to pay license of \$500 for last legislature and requiring itinerant peddlers to pay license of \$500 for having articles from house to house in this state to be unconstitutional. The bill was introduced by Senator Hollingsworth and provided that the \$500 should apply to all who peddle, or after shipment to the state canvass, sell or offer to sell, by sample to users or consumers, clocks, agricultural implements, tools or machinery, stoves or ranges, wagons, buggies, carriages, washing machines, churns, pictures, lighting rods, spectacles, jewelry, sewing machines, books or musical instruments.

The law was brought to a test in the courts by the conviction in Davis county of J. E. Buyer, George T. Bacon, George Stagner and John Eckhart for selling carriages around Farmington without a license. The men were merely agents and resellers of a firm of articles from Iowa. They were fined by Judge Howell and appealed the case on the ground that the Utah act contravenes the federal constitution, which provides that Congress alone has power to regulate the commerce between states. It was also claimed by appellants that under the constitution they were entitled to one state to privileges enjoyed in another. The supreme court takes this view of the case and the decision is made in favor of appellants, and the lower court reversed.

THE DECISION.

Justice Straup, in declaring the law unconstitutional, says: "The business of peddling and hawking we think no fault could be found with the enactment, but this is not what the legislature did. It singled out a few articles from the mass of goods and articles which are sold from house to house, and required an annual fee or tax of \$500 to peddle any of them while the business of peddling all other goods and articles including those which are sold from house to house, could be carried on with perfect freedom and without a license. Under the act one may peddle shotguns and bowie knives, dynamite and gunpowder, colored compounds and cocaine, tobacco and opium without license with impunity; but to peddle the Holy Bible or any other book, wagons, buggies, stoves, sewing machines and other articles, a license of \$500 is exacted. "It is apparent that under the pretense of exercising a police power or of adopting a revenue measure the legislature has passed an act for the benefit of the domestic dealers. We are fully satisfied that the act has no such relation to the public health, or to the public morals as will sustain it as a police law measure. Nor can it, because of its illegal discrimination on property, and persons and lack of uniformity in operation, be upheld as a revenue measure."

NO COMMISSION FOR LITTLE.

Another opinion was handed down yesterday, written by Justice Frick, reversing the decision of the third district court in the case of F. W. Little and J. C. Little respondents against Aenes G. Herzinger et al., appellants. Little Bros., by the decision of the lower court, received a commission for the sale of property at Third South and Second East streets. The supreme court held that according to the evidence presented they were not entitled to the commission.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Niels Fugal and Viola Young of Pleasant Grove. Joseph H. Jensen of Monroe and Ellen Anderson of Salt Lake. Howard O. Young, Jr., and Elva E. Hart of Salt Lake. Joseph Lee Anderson and Laura E. Tolbert of Wilkinson and Desser Pitcher of Salt Lake. Clarence Clement and Hallie De Fries of Fairview. A. L. Russell of El Paso, Tex., and Pauline Sengler of Chicago, Ill. Lawrence B. Smith of Pleasant Grove, and La Von Griffiths of Clarkston. Samuel Paschal and Ellen Mason of Salt Lake. Albert Shaw and Leona De Vell of Ogden.

John E. Bone and Emily May Campbell of Lehi. Russell Bridges of Helper and Emily Fennell of Noc, Ky. Hyrum H. Richards and Clara L. Clark of Salt Lake. Nicholas F. Fennell and Julia Clarice Gentry of Salt Lake. Angus Stocking of Herriman and Nellie Morgan of Malad, Ida. T. A. Atterbury of Herriman and Ella Brown of Riverton. Oscar J. Johnson of South Jordan and Ruth E. Lloyd of Crescent.

Leonard C. Nielson of Holliday and Annah M. Bray of Murray. E. J. Grossbeck and Idabel Duncan of Salt Lake. Thomas A. Talbot and Gotschen E. Hovens of Salt Lake. Reuben J. Fennell of Union and Millie Mower of Fairview. Don Pitt Smith and Clara Gretton of Salt Lake. Charles U. Anderson and Jessie P. Trotter of Salt Lake. Alfred W. Macdonald and Mary Youngberg of Ouray, Colo. James E. Jackson of Los Angeles and Sarah Belle Barnett of Zanesville, O.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. Robert Hampton and Miss Jane Howat entertained at a bridge party this afternoon in honor of Miss Dame of Boston, the decorations being in garden flowers and about 49 present.

Mrs. C. H. Blanchard entertains at cards this afternoon for her sister, Miss Blumhagen, the affair being a very informal one.

Miss Frances Cowan will give a luncheon on Wednesday followed by an Orpheum party.

Miss Helen Boes has issued invitations for a military euchre party for August 20, to be given in honor of Cadet Charles Hines of West Point.

Yesterday morning Miss Ethel Cameron entertained at bridge for her guest, Miss Jennie Earle, four tables being

GOOD THINGS TODAY FOR SOMEBODY

played, and prizes won by Miss Lucille Clark and Miss Mary McDonald.

Mrs. C. H. Jensen, president of the Relief society of the Twenty-sixth ward, was the recipient of a pleasant surprise given by the members of the society, about 40 friends assembling at her home in the afternoon, and spending a most delightful time. A large number of flowers, and the president was presented with many beautiful flowers, mingled with compliments and good wishes. Songs were rendered by Mrs. Ed. Sandberg and Mrs. K. Hoverson, and a most enjoyable time spent.

The ninth of August was the eighty-fourth birthday anniversary of Patrick Samuel W. Richards, and was remembered by many of his family and friends who met at his home in the Twentieth ward in this city and partook of a bounteous feast prepared for the occasion.

Mrs. Albert Buxton is visiting with relatives in Payson for a few days.

Miss Madge Harvey who has been spending the six weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Harvey left yesterday for her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weir have returned from their trip to the Yellowstone.

Mrs. Milanda Pratt leaves tomorrow to join her daughter, Mrs. Viola Pratt Gillette, at Providence, R. I., and will spend the winter with her, incidentally taking part in missionary work for the L. D. S. Church.

WASATCH NOTES.

Mrs. R. Kletting left Tuesday for the city, after an enjoyable stay at camp Idle Sun.

Mrs. Sam Williamson and family left Thursday, after a long stay at the Preston.

Miss Alice Purefoy and Mr. John Moser and Allen Moser were the guests of Miss Olive Bensen at a card party Thursday at Camp Dewey.

Mrs. W. G. Grimsdale and family are entertaining their visiting friends at Camp Ozone.

J. W. Withers and party of young men visited the ladies of the Yeates cottage Thursday.

Mrs. G. H. Garrett and L. R. Wardrop and families are resting at camp Cheer.

The Misses Ida and Mayne Morris and friends Lenora M. and Flora Tanner, are spending a few weeks at No. 31 Central avenue, Mrs. M. C. Morris acting as chaperone.

Probably the greatest events of the week were the dress ball and candy pull given by the ladies of the hotel and camp. At the dress ball all the guests were dressed in black, but few had to pay a fine. Mr. Victor Thurman and Mrs. Frank Anderson won prizes, having the most unique and best sustained characters. In candy pull, Mrs. E. L. Bensen won a card party was given, 500 being the game and prizes were won by Mrs. Benson, Mrs. V. S. Snow and Mrs. E. L. Bensen.

A committee of young ladies from the camps worked hard for a dance, which was given Thursday evening, and the proceeds of which went for the benefit of non-fire party to be given Friday on Saturday. The highest bid for the dance was \$1,000 by young man, family broke, family survey horse, 120 lb. family survey horse, All of these are guaranteed; 1. Maxwell runaway, in running order. This is a straight sale. Any horse that is unsatisfied can be returned within 48 hours. Sam, Englishman, auctioneer. Sale starts at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 30 South Street, opposite the Knutsford Hotel. We will have another sale at the same time, place, at the same time, 10:30 a. m. Aug. 22, 1908.

A STOCK OF RANGES, IRON BEDS, carpets, chairs, books, tools and everything. Must go at the highest price. See our advertisement Monday, 1908, 125 W. 1st South, S. Engelman, Auctioneer.

LOST.

ONE BROWN MARE, ABOUT 13 years old, curly mane, left hind foot spotted white, weight 1000 lbs., one bay horse, star on forehead, weight about 800 lbs., branded M O A combined, on left hip, Western Co-op, 50 W. 2nd South, at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 30 South Street, opposite the Knutsford Hotel. We will have another sale at the same time, place, at the same time, 10:30 a. m. Aug. 22, 1908.

CHILD'S DRESS AND UNDERSKIRT, near Schram's Drug Store. Finder will turn to News, or telephone Ind. 226. Reward.

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