NAMED BY THE MAYOR

F. B. Stephens Succeeds Salisbury as Fire and Police Commissioner.

FRANK JENNINGS REAPPOINTED.

A Summary of Chief Pratt's Annual Report Reaches the Board—Current Offices Approved.

The successor to M. O. J. Salisbury, member of the board of fire and police commission, was appointed this afternoon by Mayor Baskin. He is F. B. Stephens, the well known attorney, and he went before Recorder Barkham about two o'clock, and took the oath of office. He will enter upon his duties at once.

As mentioned in the News Mr. Frank Jennings has been reappointed, being also named today. Mr. Jennings did not qualify and may not have to do so as under the law he must act until his successor does that very thing. However, the chances are that Mr. Jennings will find nothing that will jeopardize his office or call any of his policies into question. It is reasonably certain that he will become the chairman of the new board. His tenure of office, like that of Mr. Stephens, is for two years. Twelve months hence the city council will name successors to Messrs. Empey and Noble.

Mr. Salisbury presided at a meeting of the commissioners this afternoon some time after Mr. Stephens had qualified and expatiated to a News reporter upon the work he had done loyally, the board not having been officially notified of the Mayor's action.

A summary of chief Pratt's report of the doings of the police department for the last twelve months was received and was being considered as the News went to press. The full report will not be ready before January 15th.

The appointments by Comm Devine and Pratt of the men to their departments were formally approved, the members of the board attaching their autographs to each patrolman's certificate.

Land Office.

The following filing was made in the local land office under date of Jan. 2, 1895:

George O. Chase, of Davis county, desert entry of lot 5, section 19, township 2 north, range 1 west.

Elizabeth A. Gallagher, of Sevier county, supplemental desert entry of lots 3 and 4, section 19, township 21 south, range 1 east.

John T. Beaumont, of Beaver, Beaver county, final proof of homestead entry of the west half of the northwest quarter and the west half of the southwest quarter of section 28, township 29 south, range 7 west.

Aaron W. H. Blomquist, of Tooele, Utah county, final proof of homestead entry of the west half of the southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of section 26, township 9 south, range 4 east.

Married.

The NEWS extends congratulations and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Houghton, who were married in this city yesterday. The groom was a former resident of Salt Lake, but for some years past has resided in Pocatello, Idaho. The bride, formerly Miss Mae L. Toward, is a well known member of society in that flourishing town; and the happy couple will be at home there after January 8th.

AMUSEMENTS.

LOTTIE COLLINS and her variety company played a fair engagement at the theater Monday and Tuesday evenings and a New Year's matinee. The general verdict was that in many features the show was one of the brightest vaudeville entertainments ever given here, the act of Shepherd and Wood being especially hilarious. Miss Collins herself, though she made a better impression than on her previous visit, was not one of the foremost attractions of her company. There is a sameness about all she does, and the potent power of her everlasting wiggle seems to have gone into dandyfoot along with Tarte-tu-kum-de-ay, the song which she made famous, and which in turn made her famous.

LORDON ASHCRAFT'S, Rowland's famous old comedy, which used to be one of the stock standbys of the Theater at the last generation, opened the week at the new opera house Monday night, playing to a house twelve-thirds full. Yesterday's matinee was nearly full below and last night people were turned away; all of which tells that the production at the comedy has lost its popular vein as Mollie did in the week previous. The play is put on with the same excellent scenic effects and costumes as the other piece, and very pleasant impressions are made by everyone in the cast, notably by Mr. Downey, Mr. Clarke, Miss Bates and Miss Cross. The comedy runs for the week out at good business. Next week All the Comforts of a Home will be the bill, and Miss Kennedy, who enjoyed a vacation among Lottie Collins' company at the Theater, will be in the cast.

WILLARD WEBBE has returned home, having been summoned by an offer from the management of the new opera house to lead their orchestra. He has accepted and it is expected he will make his bow in the new politics tonight.

OSCAR FILSHOFER was home for New Year's Day and was shaking hands with his friends around the Theater last night. "The Mormon Widow," as the eastern papers call him, says he has done a fair business in Colorado and that he will go back soon to return his tour eastward.

FOOTBALL CONTEST.

The Game Between the Chicago University Team and Y. M. C. A. Boys.

It is now an assured fact that the best lovers of the very gentle pastime of football will be treated to the hardest foot and most scientifically skilled game ever seen in the Territory.

The Chicago team is scheduled to arrive in this city at 7:40 tomorrow evening. After a rest up they will try conclusions with the Y. M. C. A. boys at 2:30 sharp on Friday afternoon at the Exposition grounds. The visitors will be entertained by the members of the University club in both elegant rooms in the Mulcahey block, tomorrow evening, followed next morning by a trip to and the trip to the Hayward game.

The Chicago line up will be as follows:

C. E. Allen, captain and right guard, 22 years, 171 pounds, 6 feet.

A. M. R. Wyman, tackle, 22 years, 175 pounds, 6 feet 2 inches.

W. Rothacker, left guard, 20 years, 187 pounds, 5 feet 10 inches.

C. F. Hoyt, right tackle, 21 years, 175 pounds, 5 feet 10 inches.

A. N. Hungerford, left tackle, 27 years, 170 pounds, 5 feet 11 inches.

J. Lathrop, right end, 21 years, 145 pounds, 5 feet 7 inches.

H. G. Dale, left end, 19 years, 5 feet 11 inches.

F. S. Hulse, quarter, 23 years, 145 pounds, 5 feet 7 inches.

F. S. Stands, right half, 23 years, 161 pounds, 5 feet 10 inches.

H. L. King, left half, 23 years, 5 feet 7 inches.

C. R. Hemenway, full back, 142 pounds.

While the Y. M. C. A. team put their full force into the game yesterday the score as was played Thanksgiving Day, it is doubtful if Tibbs will play behind. The personnel and position will be:

Hewins, centre.
Allen, right guard.
Allen, left guard.
Moore, right tackle.
Barker, left tackle.
Tibbs, right end.
Taylor, left end.
Cross (captain), quarter back.
Hemenway, right half.
McIntyre, left half.
Peabody, full back.

SUBSTITUTES.

Doyle, Latimer, Cheney, Walker, Higgins.

Holmes, G. M. Dyer.

Umpire, A. H. Roberts.

Referee, M. L. Grimly.

As the visitors are known to have defeated twice on the Pacific coast, hopes run high among the home players that things will go their way. Anyhow, Chicago is rather hard hipped from the men of playing intercollegiate games in one week, which combined with the long journey to Salt Lake will probably cause them to attain every shred to check the onslaught of the Salt Lakers.

"War Horse" Allen, the Chicago captain, has an international reputation in the All America team and has a stock of funny plays and wedges that will be an eye-opener.

The Lucky Number.

Mr. J. T. Dikeman, 271 south Main street was the holder of the lucky number which drew the silver tea set given away by Mr. M. Kapp, cloaks manufacturer. The lucky number was 4,503.

Charge of Stealing Hay.

J. B. Chapman was arrested today by Deputy-sheriff Montgomery, on a charge of stealing ten tons of hay, recently sold by the sheriff near Mill Creek under an execution obtained by the Merchants' Protective association. The defendant, who is a rancheman, was taken into custody just as he was entering the city keys about this morning with a load of the hay in question. He was taken before Commissioner McNally, who set the case for hearing on Friday next.

Filing of Suits.

Andrew Jackson today commenced an attachment suit in the Third district court against Thomas Morrow, seeking to recover the sum of $2,300, balance claimed to be due on the sale of certain mining stock. S. P. Armstrong is the plaintiff's attorney.

Melvin B. Stokes, assignee of the late Utah Nursery Co., today initiated legal proceedings in the same court against the Parker & Dyer Co., to recover two sums of $2,[illegible] and $[illegible], alleged to be due as rent under a lease of certain premises formerly used by the nursery company, with legal interest and costs. C. S. Varian is the plaintiff's attorney.

Looking Eastward.

W. E. Hubbard is feeling quite happy over Utah's prospects for 1895. He believes that more people are looking this way for investment than ever before, and bases his opinion largely on the great amount of correspondence now passing destined of making a move to the Territory. This comes from a class of people who have money to start with. Much attention is directed to the Bear River country just now. This week parties who have made purchases of lands from twenty to forty acres are moving in, and on Saturday one of them will open a store in the new purchase near Corinne. Most of the parties come to that locality with a view to going into the fruit raising business.

A "Reel" Court Instead.

The Second ward city government class have postponed their dance in the opera house on the evening of Thursday, the 10th inst., but will have a "reel" court tomorrow (Thursday) evening instead. The session commences at 7 o'clock.

High Council.

The High Council of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion will meet on Wednesday evening, January 2, at 7:30 o'clock.

JAMES D. ROBERTS,
Clerk.

A New Year's Trip.

Messrs. John A. and Fred C. Mercer, sons of Bishop J. P. Mercer of the Third district court, will leave this evening for a trip into Northern Kansas and Missouri and expect to be absent some time. In northern Kansas Mr. Mercer is the owner of a large and productive farm, and here the two boys will carry on the summer journey and devote a little general attention to it.

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AROUND THE COURTS.

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The compensation of the compiler was fixed at $4 a day and the commissioner of $3.50, after which court adjourned.

There was another session of the county court this morning, but it was a short duration, and an adjournment was taken until Friday. In the interval the attorneys will examine into the financial condition of the county, its indebtedness, and the extent to which the new board can safely go—this before incurring any further liabilities or making any appointments. The members of the board will then also, some time tomorrow, visit the several county institutions and inspect certain books.

THEASURER LYNN'S ANNUAL.

County Treasurer Lynn's annual statement for the year ending December 31st, 1894, was received. The totals are as follows:

Territory [illegible]	$ [illegible]
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