





Accompanied by Mayor Bransford, He Meets Policemen and Ed. Murtie, Dean of the "Trustics."

At \$:30 yesterday afternoon Samuel G. Barlow, the new chief of police, called at headquarters and took charge of affairs. He was accompanied by Mayor John S. Bransford who intro-duced Chief Barlow to Lieutenants Hempel and Shannon and to other offl-cers. The usual custom of presenting "Justice" Ed Murtle was not over-looked and the old timer gave vent to his usual statement to wit:

"I wuz hear when yez came an' I'll be here when yez have gone." Murtie has said that' to every chief since Arthur Pratt was chief. With reference to his policy Chief

Barlow said:

"I really have as yet decided on no policy except that I will give the city of Salt Lake the best police adminisof Sait Lake the best police adminis-tration that lies in my power. I can-not say yet what my policy will be re-garding the red light district, since I have not had time to go into that mat-ter in all its phases." Chief Barlow expressed himself as being satisfied with the men and said

Thomas, and promptly wrote to friends in Salt Lake urging reasons why in his opinion, Alien has forteited the right to engage in the profession of architectu 2. "I first met Alien in Chicago," the letter reads: "in 1584, and he halled from the town of Streator, III. He was an in-teresting conversationalist and when he wrote a year or so afterwards asking me to recommend a first class drafts-man to him I did so. I sent John H. Coxhead-now an architect of Buffalo. He worked several months without pay, and then was taken into partnership but got no dividends. "Allen's business, then as now, was speculative. Then, entirely so, He would hear of a school or other public build-ing to be built and send plans on chance of their being purchased. Since then he has undoubtedly improved in his meth-ods, and follows his plans up with per-sonal visits. But he is not, and never was an architect. According to Cox-head he was a brakeman on a railroad before he broke into the 'architect busi-ness' at Streator. "It is possible that continued handling of plans, (I doubt if he could draw one); has made him familiar with plauning and details of construction. He was a bright and good talker when I knew him and knows enough to hire good men to do his work. "I have always disliked to see men

and knows enough to nire good here do his work. "I have always disliked to see men impose upon building boards in cities where they are little known, when the only qualification of such men is their facile way of getting a hearing for their plans, and when they can only pose as members of a profession in which they have no ability or standing. Fortunately

Lieut. Hempel, However, Shares Honors in the Arrest of Texas Fugltive.

and serve out the sentence. He said he had been hounded from state to state, had become tired of it and could stand

Declaring that he is an escaped convict from the Texas state prison, and that he was under sentence there of a three year term for manslaughter, a man giving the name of E. L. McCormick, walked into the office of Chief of Police Barlow last evening and stated that he wanted to give himself up to the authorities, go back to Texas

Ind become tired of it and could stand it no longer. McCormick said that he got into a right with a man and shot him and on April 1 of this year he was sen-tenced to three years in prison. He was soon made a trusty and was put to work in the ice plant. He saw an

being satisfied with the men and satu he saw no reason for any charges. As to the policy of the department he said: "I will devote my entire personal at-tention to the office, and propose to give a thorough business-like adminis-tration. I shall be in the office prac-healty where called away on tically all day, unless called away on official duty, and I shall be glad to receive any one at any time on matter:

soming before the department. "I have already begun to familiarize myself with the duties of the office."

WILL GATHER AT SALT LAKE.

Rocky Mountain Hotel Men's Association Meets Here Jan, 11-13,

Denver, Colo., Dec. 23 .- Samuel F. Dutton, president of the Rocky Mountain Hotel Men's association, has announced the program for the meeting of hotel men engaged in busines at points between the Mississippi river and the Pacific coast. The meeting is scheduled for Salt Lake City Jan. 11-

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The program includes a banquet, au-tomobile tours, an organ recital in the Mormon tabernacle and other enter-tainments. The afternoons will be taken up with business. The principal object of the conven-tion is to secure better laws regard-ing the hotel "beat," and also to de-vise ways and means to increase tourist travel to the territory west of the Mississippi river.

RESERVOIR AT AUCTION.

When the time comes to plant crops in the spring, the Hatchtown reservoir project will be ready to go on the market at public auction, and the board of land commissioners for the state believes-the sale will find ready demand among home seekers. The reservoir, which is fed by the canal of Panguitch bench, of Garfield coun-ty, is designed to hold 14,000 acre feet of water, which will supply 5,000 acres of ground, much of which is said to be pupper the finest soil in the state. The among the finest soil in the state. The land is to be sold at public auction, but must bring at least \$20 an acre. The matter of the proposed opening was filscussed yesterday at a meeting of the state land board.

CHARLETAN ARCHITECTS.

One of Them Exhibited His Wares Here Recently Says Chicago Editor.

That F. S. Allen, an architect, who recently passed through Salt Lake, and atbmitted plans for a new High school submitted plans for a new High school building to Mathonihah Thomas, a mem-ber of the school board, is a pleasant speaking impositor upon the profession in which he claims membership, is the con-clusion of Robert Craik McLean, editor of the Western Architect, who wants to see him kept out of professional oppor-tunities in that line. Mr. McLean's paper secured a copy of a press clipping noting the interview in Salt Likko between Mr. Allen and Mr.

have no ability or standing. Fortunately there are not many of them, and there should be none. As building boards pro-gress in acquaintanceship with their problems, they will learn that in every city there are architects of scientific, and artistic attainments ready to do their work, without the representatives of the people looking to charletans and being taken in by them. "ROBERT CRAIK MCLEAN, Editor." DIFFERENCE IN HOSPITALITY. The marked difference between the way the inspecting officer from San Antonio was treated in Denver, and the nanner of his reception here, is causing talk in guard circles. At Denver, Lieut, Col. Clark inspected the Chaffee light battery, the old time military organiza-

tion of Colorado, of which Denver peo-ple have affected to feel as proud as Boston does over its "Ancient and Honorable Artillery." The visiting of-ficer never was given an opportunity to see the adjutant general, no one was at the depot to meet him, no officer showed him social attentions; it was simply, "There's the property, go and take a look at it." That was all. When the army officer reached Salt Lake he

the army officer reached Salt Lake he was welcomed at the depot by the ad-jutant general and the battery com-mander, who remained right with him through the day. The major of infan-try also called at the armory to shake hands with the visitor, who was dined at the Commercial club and shown every social attention that his brief stay here would allow. Of course, he "didn't say anything," but it was evi-dent he appreciated the courtesies ex-tended, and he returned south with a very kindly feeling toward Salt Lake and the guard.

FARMERS' LINES GROWING.

The Farmers' Telephone system in he four states covered by the Bell company is assuming sizeable proporcompany is assuming sizeable propor-tion. In fact it has grown so extensive that the Bell company prefers to let the farmers do their own management, while it affords outside connections. There are now 5,000 farmers organized into 225 companies in these four states, each company owning its own tele-phone plant, and paying the Bell com-pany so much per month for switch-board connections.

FIREMEN COMPLIMENTED.

Fire Chief Glore has complimented the men under him for their good work at the Breeden fire. He has written to the captains of each station and the

at the captains of each station and the following letter is a copy "To Capts. Ayland, Cahoon and Eik-ren and members of companies 1, 2, 3 and 4. I cannot let the opportunity pass without complimenting you for the prompt, energetic, brave and ef-ficient work at the Breeden Office Sup-ply company store, 60 West Second South street, Monday afternoon and night. Under the most trying condi-tions you did your work well, in the most determined manner, showing de-corum and courage at times during the fire. I, as chief of the fire depart-ment, must thank you for your willing-ness and hearty co-operation. "Very respectfully, "Chief of Fire Department."

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looked at him he was frightened and could stand the strain no longer, there-fore he wanted to surrender himself and go back to prison. The man was locked up and the Texas authorities notified. The arrest of McCormick was credited to Chief Barlow and Lleut. Hempel. NEW CHIEF HOUSECLEANING. The changes about police headquarters contemplated by Tom D. Pitt, former chief of police, will not be carried out but some changes are being made by Chief Sam Barlow. The chief's office has been moved from upstairs to the downstairs office where it formerly was The room south of the desk sergeant's The room south of the desk sergeant's office and next to the detective's office, will be converted into an office for Lieuts, Hempel and Shaanon. The room has been thoroughly cleared and a new carpete will be iaid. There will be desks for the officers and detectives' rooms. Trusties are now busy under command of Patroiman Tinges, cleaning the walls and ceilings of the entire building and the old hall will soon present a new appearance. There is some raik of hav-ing a telephone exchange placed in the desk sergeant's office and this will be done if the city council will stand-for the extra expense.

NOT A L. D. S. MISSIONARY.

William Jacques, Alleged Fugitive From Justice, Not on Roster,

A careful investigation of the registry of the Church containing the names of missionaries fails to disclose the of missionaries fails to disclose the name of William Jacques, laboring as a missionary in this country or abroad. This statement is made with reference to a dispatch sent out from St. Louis last night, to the effect that a person bearing that name, and who was said to be an elder in charge of the Bellville. Ill., branch of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, was a fugi-tive from justlee. It was alleged that he had made at attack upon an Il-year-year-old girl, and that a grand jury had made investigation of the case. DROP PLUNDER AND RUN.

Early this morning two robbers broke nto the Renovatory tailor shop at 109

into the Renovatory table shop at 109 cast Second South street and started to carry off about \$150 worth of cloth-ing when they were discovered. Patrol-men Griffin, Harris and Conyers gave chase but the thieves dropped the stolen clothing and ran into an alley and es-caped. The thieves gained entrance by smashing a window and then unlock-ing the door. ng the door. R

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GOTHAM SLEUTHS HERE.

Last evening Detectives Flood and Brynes of the New York police service arrived in the city from Oakland, Cal. They had in their custody Fred Lowe wanted in New York for embezzling 36, 600 from the American Express com-pany and all for forgery, and Howard C. Weaver, charged with embezgling \$3,800 from a New York real estate firm.

numbers; but still we have provided enough for today and tomorrow.

Men's and Boys' The Boys' Department Suits and Overis full of coats at 228-230 MAIN Xmas Gifts. Sale Prices. Store Open Evenings. S.