and 5th avenue, facing Central park, and it is said that the material of the exterior will be white granite.

The newly elected senator was in Paris last spring and made a special study of Parisian architecture.

Mr. Clark wanted a house after the French style.

The house will be of the general Louis XIII style, but so modified as to be little different from modern French. Its dimensions will be approximately 100x100, and it will probably be five stories high.

LIFE SAVED BY DEATH.

Demise of a Japanese Causes the Escape of an Audience.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 7.—Advices from the Orient state that the death of the Japanese princess, Sumimomiya, probably saved the lives of hundreds of theatre-goers at Osaka, Japan. The death in the royal household was announced when the show at the Kabuki theater was about half through and a mournful audience, sadly, filed out. They were hardly clear of the building when flames broke out in the third story and soon reduced the building to ashes. A strong wind was blowing at the time and the firemen could do nothing to stop the flames. A number of them were seriously injured in their efforts. It was one of the finest buildings in Osaka.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S AMBITION.

He Wants to Become the Commander-in-Chief of British Army.

New York, Feb. 7.—A dispatch to the Times from London says:

The death of the young prince Alfred, only son of Duke and Duchess of Saxe-Coburg and Queen Victoria's grandson, carries with it consequences which may not be immediately appreciated in America. Through this death the duke of Connaught becomes heir to the reigning dukedom of Saxe-Coburg.

Not only by heredity is this so, but also by a special succession act arranged during the lifetime of the late Duke Ernest of Saxe-Coburg.

It is well known that the Duke of Connaught's ambition is to become commander-in-chief of the British army. Now he will have to choose between this and reigning as a German sovereign. If he elects to remain an Englishman he will renounce the Saxe-Coburg succession in favor of his eldest son, Prince Arthur.

It is possible, however, that the Duchess of Connaught, who is a daughter of Prince Frederick Charles, the Red Prince, may find the ambition of becoming a reigning sovereign in her own country irresistible. The present Duke Alfred of Saxe-Coburg is known to be in very bad health. Therefore the necessity for a choice may not be long delayed.

New Coast Steamer Service.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 7.—Arrangements have been completed by which a new passenger and freight steamer service will be inaugurated between Southern California and ports on the west coast of Mexico and Central America. The new line is known as the Mexican Coast Steamship company, chartered under the laws of Mexico and to run under the Mexican flag. The boats are to carry Mexican and United States mails and a complement of Mexican cadets or marines, the vessel in reality to form a part of the Mexican auxiliary navy.

The father of the enterprise is Captain A. B. Smith of this city, a veteran Pacific mail navigator. He says the company will start with six Clyde built steamers, each of 1,500 tons net capacity. Connection will be made with the Ward line of steamers to New York via the Tehuantepec railroad.

ELECTRIC FLASHES.

The strikers at Panama are still holding out, but the conduct of the government in helping to maintain transit across the isthmus in accordance with the treaty with the United States is highly commended. Soldiers continue to guard the town and everything is quiet.

The Walter Lippincott prize for the best figure picture in the exhibition at Philadelphia of the Pennsylvania society of Fine Arts, has been awarded to John Alexander, the American artist resident in Paris, for his painting called "A ray of Sunlight."

The United States cruiser Chicago has sailed from New York for New Orleans, where she is to participate in a mardi gras festival.

AMUSEMENTS.

Yon Yonson has been rendered before in Salt Lake, but never in so complete and satisfactory a manner as last evening, when it was done by Thall and Kennedy's company at the Grand. The audience was a big one for an opening night, and the verdict of general satisfaction recorded will be sure to increase the business mightily throughout the week. The main actor in Yon Yonson is the delineator of the title role, Mr. Hendricks, who is equally at home in the serious and comic parts, and whose Scandinavian accent scored a hit. Annie Mack Berlein shared the favor extended the star, and Beatrice Norman was specially good in her work with Mr. Hendricks. The entire company is bright and up to date, and the singing and scenic features were excellent, the Lumberman quartette being encored again and again, and the effects of the moving train and the log jam being thoroughly ingenious. Mr. Mulvey has decided to put on an extra matinee tomorrow afternoon in consequence of the heavy demand for seats.

AVALANCHE INCORPORATES.

Articles of incorporation of The Avalanche Gold Mining & Milling company were filed with the county clerk today by James E. Phillips, G. Parker Norton, William H. Morgan, August Stein and L. H. Gray, all of Salt Lake City. The amount of the capital stock is fixed at $7,500, divided into 75,000 shares of the value of 10 cents each. The company's property consists of the Avalanche and Mary Jane mining claims, situated on what is known as Emmet Hill in the Little Cottonwood district. G. P. Norton is president, J. E. Phillips vice-president, and August Stein secretary and treasurer.

DECLARED BANKRUPT.

H. J. Mortenson of Spanish Fork, who filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy last week, was declared a bankrupt by Judge Marshall today.

An order was made in the bankruptcy division of the Federal court last evening discharging James Ireneth of Ogden from all his obligations. Mr. Ireneth is the third to be discharged by the court since the law was passed.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Marriage licenses were issued today to Daniel L. Gleed, 24, and Margaret H. Allen, 21, both of Salt Lake City; Joseph F. Sivers, 38, of Lehigh county, Virginia, and Sarah Wright, 41, of Omaha, Neb.

THE GRIP CURE THAT DOES CURE.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets removes the cause that produces La Grippe. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet. 25c.

UTAH'S KILLED AT MANILA.

Dr. Harry A. Young, John Young and Wilhelm Goodman Dead.

THREE OTHERS WOUNDED.

Sad News is Communicated Today—Heroes Fell While Fighting for the Flag.

Sad news came over the wires today from Utah's light artillerymen in Manila—sad in the fact that three of the volunteers were killed and three others wounded. The heroes fell in battle with the insurgent Filipinos, in the attack of the latter on the American troops, in which the Utah boys performed a noble part in bringing victory to the American arms. The killed are:

Dr. Harry A. Young, Salt Lake City.
John Young, Salt Lake City.
Wilhelm Goodman, Salt Lake City.
Those reported wounded are:
George B. Wardlaw, Ogden.
Peter Anderson, Richfield.
Isaac Russell, Salt Lake City.

Following the information yesterday that Benj. A. Harbour, of Salt Lake City, Fourteenth infantry, was wounded, came word that Dr. Young was killed. There was some doubt as to whether this was Dr. Harry A. Young of Salt Lake City, quartermaster sergeant in the Utah light artillery. A special from Washington to the Deseret News set the matter at rest in the following announcement:

"Adjutant General has just received a cablegram placing sergeant Harry Young, Utah Artillery, among the killed."

The regular dispatches also gave the information that not only was Dr. Young among the slain, but so was his cousin, Corporal John Young, and Private Wilhelm Goodman of the Utah Artillery, while the list of wounded included George B. Wardlaw, Peter Anderson and Isaac Russell.

SERGEANT HARRY A. YOUNG.

Dr. Harry A. Young was well known in Salt Lake City, where he was born February 24, 1865. His father was the late Lorenzo D. Young, one of the Utah Pioneers, and a brother of the late President Brigham Young. Dr. Young served as a missionary of the "Mormon" Church in the Northern States, leaving this city April 7, 1884, and returning Dec. 6, 1885. He was for a number of years a home missionary of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion. He went east and studied medicine, being quite successful in his chosen profession, which he was practicing at the time of his enlistment. He was unmarried, but was engaged to Miss G. Messer. His mother now lives in this city.

CORPORAL J. G. YOUNG.

Corporal John Granger Young, another of the killed, was Harry's cousin, and a son of the late Wm. G. and Martha Granger Young—his mother being yet living. He was born August 29, 1866, at St. Charles, Bear Lake county, Idaho. August 11, 1893, he was set apart as a missionary, and went to New Zealand, where he labored till 1896, when he came home. When the war broke out he enlisted with the artillery in this city. He was unmarried.

WILHELM S. GOODMAN.

Private Wilhelm S. Goodman is the other artilleryman killed. He was a native of Hoganass, Sweden, and enlisted in this city at the age of 26. He left a record here of the nearest of his kin being Gudmun Johnson, of Ornakarr, Hoganass, Sweden.

ISAAC RUSSELL.

Isaac Russell is a native of Salt Lake City, aged 21, and is the son of the late Samuel Russell of the Fifteenth ward. He is reported as wounded. He left the University to go with the Utah batteries. He was discharged at his own request in January last, the discharge was confirmed by the war department on Jan. 11th. Since then he has been publishing the newspaper the "American Soldier," in Manila. He was stenographer to Major R. W. Young.

PETER ANDERSON.

Private Peter Anderson, of Battery B, is slightly wounded. He is aged 29, and was born in Denmark. His present residence is Richfield, Utah. His mother is Mary Anderson, Denmark. He is unmarried.

GEO. B. WARDLAW.

Corporal George B. Wardlaw is from Ogden. He is slightly wounded. He is 28 years old, and married, and a native of Edinburgh, Scotland.

The following Washington special to the Deseret News this afternoon gives the latest information obtainable up to press time:

"Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—The war department reports this additional list of casualties:

"Killed, Battery A—Harry A. Young, Corporal John G. Young and Wilhelm S. Goodman.

"Wounded—Isaac Russell.

"Slightly Wounded—Corporal Geo. B. Wardlaw, Private Peter Anderson."

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Seventh Ward Banquet and Sociable at the Home of the Superintendent.

A fine banquet and sociable, for the teachers of the Seventh Ward Sunday school of this city, was given last night at the home of the superintendent, Wm. McLachlan.

Among the numbers on the program several were of special excellence. The superintendent spoke on the past, present and future of the school, relating important and interesting facts during his connection with it for a third of a century.

The Sunday school as an auxiliary to the home, was a theme pleasantly treated by Miss Gertrude Sampson. "A Pen Picture" was the title of an essay by Miss Laura Foster. In it she gave a history of remarkable interest, detailing some of the leading events in the life of President George Q. Cannon.

Songs and the way of teaching them in the Sunday school, by Miss Mabel Cooper, was a suggestive and practical exposition of an important matter by a lady of note as a teacher and vocalist. She advocated teaching all the children to sing without the use of the books, memorizing the songs, by a practice of ten minutes at every session.

Chas. H. Hyde spoke concerning the things that help and hinder in the Sunday school.

Miss Nellie Wallace gave a "Pen Picture." It was a model essay in choice and eloquent language, paying a warm tribute of praise and affection to Superintendent McLachlan.

Veteran Thomas H. Woodbury made some remarks in reminiscent vein, after which President George Q. Cannon spoke briefly, expressing his satisfaction with the program and his appreciation of the efforts of Sabbath school workers.

During the banquet which followed—a model supper of the utmost delicacy, delicious and artistic, and plenty of it—toasts were offered or responses made by the following persons: Edith Sampson, Geo. R. Scott, Edith McLelland, Lilly McLachlan, Rose Thomas, Geo. Bowles, Julia McKenzie, J. H. Paul, Thomas C. Griggs, Richard R. Horne and W. H. Foster. Henry Wallace acted as master of the banquet. Songs and other amusements filled in the evening, the most notable being a beautiful duet by Mr. Foster and Miss Cooper, a composition of Evan Stephens.

The whole affair was well planned and tasteful, and the evening was one of perfect enjoyment. Elegant programs, finely hand-written, and exquisitely hand-painted, with sego-lilies, palms, etc., on the outside, were given as souvenirs to all present.

Others present were the Misses Thom, the Misses McLachlan, the Misses Jones, Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Lambert, and Messrs. Thomas Adams, T. H. Woodbury, J. E. Cowley, D. H. Seary and Arthur Day.

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PROMOTION OF R. W. YOUNG

It is to Come Within a Week or Ten Days.

Major Young is Then to be Made Lieutenant Colonel, Says President McKinley.

Special to the Deseret News.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—Senator Rawlins saw President McKinley and General Breckinridge, chairman of the army promotion board, this morning, and was told that the matter of the promotion of Major Young had not been reached yet, but was assured that within a week or ten days Young would be promoted to be lieutenant colonel.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Marlow Cummings and his wife who reside on Capitol Hill, had a narrow escape from serious injury, if not death, this morning, by the explosion of a water jacket. Mr. Cummings turned the water off his house last night, fearing it would freeze, but some must have been left in the pipes, for when a fire was kindled in the range this morning, the water jacket exploded with terrific force, blowing the range into atoms, a piece just grazing Mr. Cummings' head and inflicting a scalp wound, and another piece smashing through the kitchen door. Mrs. Cummings, who stood over the stove, strangely enough escaped without a scratch. This should serve as a warning to people who have had water pipes frozen during the present cold snap.

ON THE NEW EXCHANGE.

Undaunted, the Brokers Meet This Afternoon and Attend to Business.

Sales of Boston-De La Mar, Bowers Extension, Martha Washington, Monarch and Tetro.

Members of the new exchange assembled at 2 o'clock this afternoon and attended to business, which, however, up to press time, was rather light. Figures remained quite firm, but sales were not as active as heretofore, although the indications were that it would become more lively during the call. Quotations were posted as follows:

MINING PROSPECTS.

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
White Star	3½	7⅞
Yellow Jacket	2½	
Oaks		6
Boston-De La Mar	3½	3⅞
Bullion-Beck Tunnel	4½	6½
Camp Floyd	2½	3
Cedar Valley	7½	4
Eagle	12	1
Emerald	15½	17
Gold Hill	4½	8
Horshoe	12½	15
Homestake	6½	12
International	3½	4½
Joe Bowers Extension	11½	11⅞
La Reine	40	50
Little Pittsburg	10½	12
Martha Washington	15½	17
Midnight Bowers	2½	4
Monarch	2	2½
Sacramento	4½	5½
Omaha	29½	42
Richmond Anaconda	2	
Solomon's Treasure	1	
Tetro	10	

THE DAY'S SALES.

Up to press time sales were made as follows:

Boston-De La Mar, 4,000 at 3½c.
Joe Bowers Extension, 500 at 11¾c; 1,500 at 11½c.
Martha Washington, 500 at 15½c.
Monarch, 2,000 at 2½c.
Tetro, 500 at 11½c.

THE OLD EXCHANGE.

Afternoon Call Conducted by the Parent Institution.

On the old exchange this afternoon Lower Mammoth was the center of attraction, the stock commanding considerable attention, although at declining quotations. One sale of this stock alone amounted to 4,100 shares, which found takers at figures ranging from 94 to 95 cents. Mercur made a sale at $6.45 and Mammoth at $2.11½, while Galena did business at 61 cents and Ajax found a taker at 31.21. Five listed stocks Sunshine was the last seller, the stock going at 41 cents.

BUSINESS OF THE CALL.

Sales were made as follows:

Ajax, 100 @ 31.21.
Galena, 100 @ 61; 100 @ 61¼c.
Mammoth, 100 @ $2.11½.
Mercur, 200 @ $6.45.
Lower Mammoth, 200 @ 94c; 2,500 @ 94c; 700 @ 95c; 200 @ 94¼c.
Sunshine, 100 @ 41c.
Hill Nye, 1,000 @ 2c.
Boston-De La Mar, 4,000 @ 3½c.
Prince, 100 @ 12c.
Golden Eagle, 1,000 @ 9c.
Joe Bowers Extension, 1,000 @ 11½c.
Triumph, 1,000 @ 14c.
Manhattan, 2,000 @ 2c.
Sunbeam, 2,500 @ 31c.

RUSHING ON TO THE COAST.

Utah & Pacific Reports on the Progress It is Making West.

INCORPORATION IN NEVADA.

Is in the Interest of the U. & P.—Colorado Lines Open—Other Railway News.

The Utah & Pacific Railroad company today completed a contract with the Pacific Express company to handle the express over its line. Wells, Fargo & Co. were also bidding for the contract, but it was given to the Pacific Express after a short tussle. It was partly on this business that Acting Superintendent and Traffic Manager West came up from the line yesterday. Mr. West, when seen today, said that everything was going on smoothly and that a considerable amount of freight was being handled over the road. The new town of Lund is at present the terminus of the traffic department, and was growing up like Jonah's gourd. The construction gang is out between 40 and 45 miles, and working with a will, considering the number of men employed.

The new incorporation, which was filed at Carson, Nevada, by A. C. Cleveland and other parties connected with the Oregon Short Line, to build an extension to the Utah and Pacific through Lincoln county Nevada, to the coast, is said to be a protective incorporation. The Southern Pacific surveyors were driving their stakes along the old grade, which extends through the county. The Utah and Pacific people held the grade from Milford to the Nevada state line, but no further, and another incorporation had to be made under the laws of the State of Nevada to hold the workings in that State. According to the agreement entered into by the Utah and Pacific with the Short Line, the first named company was to use the grade for which certain concessions were made to the original company. In the event of the line being put through to the coast, the same arrangements would hold good, hence the action of the Short Line in wishing to make assurance doubly sure and control the grade.

Mr. West said this morning that there was no question but the line would be pushed through to the coast, but that when the work began upon the other side of the Utah-Nevada State line, it would be the Utah & Pacific company which would build the road. Nothing definite is known as to the time the work on the other side of the State line will commence. At the opening of spring when sufficient ties and other supplies can be got to the scene of road building, the gangs will be increased and it is thought that the road will be at the new town of Uvada by the last of April or the first of May.

Blockade is Broken.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 7.—The great snow blockade on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad in the canyon from the Grand river has been broken. The company is now accepting freight and passenger business for Grand Junction and the west.

The blockade has cost the railway company tens of thousands of dollars, but at no time did the fight cease notwithstanding the great difficulties presented by mighty winds and great blankets of snow which filled the air for nearly a week past. Three rotaries and nearly 1,000 shovelers, assisted by a dozen powerful steam engines, were necessary to break through the avalanches and clear the tracks.

The Denver & Rio Grande has had nothing to compare with this great storm since President Jeffery assumed charge of the system.

The Marshall Pass route is also open and traffic is moving on the principal branches of the Denver & Rio Grande. It is the opinion of the officers that there will be no danger from future slides this winter, as the loose snow has come down and has been thrown into the river.

Reorganizing the Central Pacific.

New York, Feb. 7.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

The plan for the reorganization of the Central Pacific in connection with the settlement of the debt of the government will probably be announced during the next ten days. Practically all of the large interests in the property have been in consultation with Speyer & Co. and other members of the syndicate which has charge of the reorganization.

Mrs. Leland Stanford, who is one of the largest holders of the Central Pacific, is in this city, accompanied by her attorney, Russell J. Wilson, of San Francisco. The meeting was held at the office of Collis P. Huntington Monday afternoon, which was attended by Mrs. Stanford and her attorney.

According to advices from London it is reported that Central Pacific stock will be exchanged for Southern Pacific and that it will receive certain considerations which will make it worth fully ten per cent more than Southern Pacific. This would mean that the loans controlling the Central Pacific will be eliminated and the property absolutely absorbed by the Southern Pacific.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Live Stock Agent Gregory of the Denver & Rio Grande came in this morning from southern Utah. He reports cold weather and but little snow south of Manti. Shippers are holding off from sending cattle east until there is no danger of their being blockaded on the way.

A west bound train over the R. G. W. brought back a goodly number of passengers who were snow bound at Glenwood Springs. Among the number were West's Minstrels, who left the city last week for the east, via the R. G. W. and the Midland. They will be forwarded to Denver over the U. P.

THE LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

New Police and Fire Bill Introduced—Amended University Bill Considered.

The House settled down to heavy work at 2:30 this afternoon immediately after the disposition of the usual preliminary routine. At that time H. B. No. 19, by Cummings, the University removal bill, was taken up under the special order of the day. The bill for the past few days has been in the hands of the associate committees on education and art from the Senate and House. Some important changes were made in order to comply with the Constitutional requirements in relation to the manner of raising the necessary means. In order that there might be no conflict or possibility of suspicion or illegality, section 7 of the bill was redrawn.

Harris of Weber presented the claim of Albach Allen against the state in the sum of $132.18 for amount of overpaid territorial and district school taxes in the year 1897. State board of examiners.

NEW POLICE AND FIRE BILL.

Stewart introduced H. B. No. 77 (by request), "An act authorizing cities of 12,000 or more inhabitants to create a police department and a fire department, maintain and control the same, and transferring the property of the present police and fire departments in said cities over and to the Mayor and City Council of said cities respectively, and repealing chapter LXXIII Laws of Utah, 1896."

H. B. No. 78 was introduced by Law, "an act to amend section 2109 of the revised statutes of Utah, 1898, relating to injuries to trees."

H. B. No. 79 was also introduced by Law, "an act to amend section 4410 of the revised statutes of the State of Utah, 1898, relating to trespass and injuries to property."

H. B. No. 80 was introduced by Christiansen, "an act relating to barb wire fences."

H. B. No. 81 was introduced by Christiansen, "an act providing for the inspection of horses, cattle and sheep by the constables of the various precincts before the shipping of horses, cattle and sheep be permitted upon any railroad within the State Utah."

IN THE NICK OF TIME.

Arrest of an Alleged Russian Count at Brigham City Today.

Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses—He Was to Depart Tonight.

For several days there have been rumors of a scheme proposed by a "Russian Count" to restore him to his country and estates. Persons familiar with the affair call him Count Noury, but it appears his name is Alexis Novoseltzoff, and he has succeeded in posing himself off as a banished noble able to reward liberally those who aid him to recover his property.

The story that comes to us as told by the alleged Count is this: During the Franco-Prussian war sympathy at the Russian Court was divided. The Czar and the Minister of War, who was of German extraction, with some others sided with the Germans; the Crown Prince, Count Noury and others, desired the triumph of France, but did not dare express their views. But at a banquet given when news of a German victory was received, the Czar toasted success and congratulations to the German army, whereupon the Crown Prince threw his wine over his shoulder and abruptly left the room. Next day the Count was with the Crown Prince when the Minister of War entered and placed the Crown Prince under arrest for three days and demanded his sword. He would not submit and when force was threatened the Count interposed and rashly exclaimed, "let me throw the German dog out of the window." The Crown Prince would not permit this, but declared he would do it himself unless the minister withdrew. The Russian Empress came in subsequently and with the Crown Prince implored the Count to fly or he would be surely condemned to death. With their aid he fled to Switzerland and thence to America, where he settled in Washington Territory, which is now a State. He was formally banished and his estates were confiscated. When he came to Brigham City he brought credentials from Washington which were sufficient to prove to people who saw them that he was all he claimed to be. They therefore jumped to the conclusion that the rest of his story was correct and that he could recover his estates by returning to Russia where the Crown Prince is now the Czar, and where his property has increased in value and through accumulated interest to the sum of $2,000,000.

The bait held out to investors in a scheme to aid his return and the recovery of his property was an agreement to pay each investor of $100, the sum of $4,000 when the estates were recovered. About $1,000 was subscribed by Brigham City folks but the money was placed in the hands of Mr. George Graehl as treasurer, and Mr. L. W. Berg was to accompany the "Count" and his wife to Russia, receive the funds and disburse them among the fortunate investors.

It appears, however, that someone who was not quite satisfied on this matter wrote for information to the Russian Consul at San Francisco and received word that the gentleman of that name was not a Count but had been a Lieutenant in the Russian army. This put doubt on the whole scheme, and people began to query as to what security there would be for their money even if the Count was all he claimed as to rank.

The Count with his wife and Dr. Berg were to start for Russia this evening, but today a stopper was put on the trip by legal process, the treasurer being enjoined from paying over the money until further notice. It is reported that Attorney B. H. Jones attended to this.

The Count was arrested today, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. He was examined before Justice of the Peace Jensen, and held in bonds of $4,000. It is said he has obtained about $200 cash in addition to the amount in the hands of County Clerk Graehl. It is reported by telegraph that a dispatch from the Russian Consul at San Francisco to the County Attorney of Boxelder County denounces the "Count" as a fraud.

The bursting of the bubble came in the nick of time. The Count, by another day, would have been far away and would have contrived, no doubt, to leave Dr. Berg in some burgh on the road, while he doubled and passed out of view. Credulous people are not all dead, and it is a good thing that there are telegraphs and live law officers to protect them against greatest swindlers and against themselves.

$300,000 FOR SALT LAKE.

Public Building Bill Approved by Committee of the Whole.

Will Pass the House Tomorrow—Industrial Home Sale—Ogden Building Bill Defeated.

Special to the "News."

Washington, D. C., Feb. 7.—The bill for new a public building at Salt Lake has just passed the committee of the whole. No speeches were made. The amount was reduced to three hundred thousand dollars. This is the Rawlins bill, as substitute for King's. There is no doubt of its passage by the House tomorrow.

The secretary of the treasury by the bill is authorized to sell the Industrial Home property and deposit the proceeds in the United States treasury.

LATER. The Ogden bill was not reported favorably.

MORRIS'S TRIAL HANGING FIRE.

Right to be Tried by a Jury of Twelve in Supreme Court.

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Comes Up on an Application for Writ of Mandate Directed Against Judge Hart—Early Decision Expected.

The refusal of Judge Charles H. Hart, sitting in the place of Judge Norrell in the criminal branch of the Third district court, to empanel a jury of twelve in the Morris bribery case came up for argument before the Supreme court today. Attorney General Bishop and County Attorney Putnam appeared in behalf of the State and Judge Loofbourow represented the defendant. The court took the case under advisement, but an early decision is looked for.

Morris's alleged offense was committed prior to statehood. The State Constitution provides for a jury of eight except in capital cases. The Supreme court of the United States has held that the law providing for trial by a jury of eight is ex-post facto as to all offenses committed to statehood and that a conviction thereunder was a nullity. When the Morris case was called at the last term of court the question: "Have the courts authority in law to empanel a jury of twelve and proceed to the trial of such cases?" was discussed, Judge Hart holding that it did not. The State then commenced proceedings in mandamus to compel Judge Hart to empanel a jury of twelve and proceed with the trial.

Today's arguments were on the questions as to whether mandamus was the proper remedy and can a jury of twelve be empanelled.

OTHER CASES ARGUED.

The case of Salt Lake County vs the State Board of Equalization was also before the court. County Attorney Putnam appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney General Bishop for the defendant board. Plaintiff seeks by proceedings in mandamus to compel the defendant to reapportion the rolling stock of the Rio Grande Western, Oregon Short Line and Utah Central railroads, in accordance with a Supreme Court opinion rendered some months ago.

The other case argued was Eliza Warren et al, appellants, vs Theodore Robinson et al. Justice Miner being disqualified District Judge A. N. Cherry sat in his stead.

A motion was made to dismiss the case of Perry A. Thomas vs the City of Springville, appellant, on the ground that the respondent had not perfected his appeal. The matter was taken under advisement.

Suit to Recover Mining Shares.

Ben Schwab is suing the Prince Mining and Milling company to recover 20,000 shares of stock in the defendant company, sold for the non-payment of an assessment. The stock is alleged to be worth $2,400. Plaintiff alleges that the board of directors which levied the assessment failed to take the required oath of office and that its action in levying an assessment was consequently illegal.

Appeal Case Dismissed.

The Supreme Court has handed down an opinion dismissing the appeal in the case of the State vs Hakon Olsen, appellant. Olsen was convicted of illegal liquor selling and sentenced to a term of imprisonment. He appealed to the district court, which sustained the justice's court, when he took an appeal to the Supreme Court. The case is now dismissed upon the ground that the judgment of the district court is final. The opinion is by Chief Justice Bartch. Justices Miner and Baskin concurring.

E. A. Whitaker is suing Jesse W. Fox, Jr., et al to recover the sum of $100 on a certain promissory note secured by mortgage.

Taken Under Advisement.

The case of Walker Bros. vs William Calder et al was tried before Judge Cherry yesterday and taken under advisement.

This was an action brought to recover a cash register or for $125, its alleged value. The property was taken by Calder on the authority of an execution issued upon a judgment obtained by defendant, R. K. Block and company.

The defense was a denial of plaintiffs' ownership.

Files an Amendment.

An amendment to the articles of incorporation of the Apex Mining and Milling company was filed with the secretary of State today. It provides for the increase of the company's capitalization, fixing the amount at $62,500, with shares at 25 cents each. The treasury stock of the company consists of 50,000 shares which are to be placed in the treasury as a working fund. The company has leased, for $15,000 the Apex group of claims known as the Uncle Dee, Uncle Joe and Henderson, situated in the Tintic mining district. The lease expires October 1st, 1900. Lewis C. Doty is president and M. D. Hewlett, secretary.

Cohn vs. Farrell.

The case of Lewis Cohn vs J. W. Farrell and wife was tried before Judge Cherry today and judgment rendered in favor of plaintiff and against J. W. Farrell for $16.75, interest and costs. Plaintiff brought suit in Justice Sommer's court in October, 1897, to recover the sum of $24.41 on two accounts assigned to plaintiff by the Cohn Dry Goods company and F. Auerbach & Bro. Judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff for $41.41, when defendants appealed. The Cohn company's bill was for $16.75, which amount Judge Cherry today gave judgment for, as against J. W. Farrell. The account of F. Auerbach & Bros. amounted to $20.26 and Judge Cherry rendered judgment in favor of the defendant, Mrs. J. W. Farrell and also for her costs.

COURT NOTES.

Judge Cherry today continued the case of John P. Cahoon et al, etc., vs Brigham H. West et al until 10 a. m. tomorrow.

In the case of Moses Halst vs L. F. Kelsey et al a motion was granted today by Judge Cherry allowing the name of Kate H. Gillespie to be inserted in the decree.

Judge Hiles went to Ogden today, but will return this evening and hold court tomorrow.

SPECIAL RATES AT Z. C. M. I. ALL WEEK.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

The High Council of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion will meet in regular session tomorrow (Wednesday) at 1:30 p. m.

A full attendance of the members is requested.

The Third ward of this city is about to commence a series of entertainments, the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of the meeting house. The first will be given on next Friday evening, the 10th inst. The program will consist of music, dancing, and a prize cake-walk. Refreshments will be on hand. All are looking forward to a most enjoyable time.

MISSIONARY PARTY.

A benefit will be given in the Eighth ward assembly hall at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Feb. 8, 1899, complimentary to Elder Wm. Loveday, who is about to depart on a mission to Great Britain. The program is as follows:

Song .... Miss Vienda Oakes
Fancy dance .... Miss Peters
Recitation .... Miss Blanche Thomas
Piano selection .... Miss Jennie Sands
Duet .... Master and Miss Peterson
Recitation .... June Mattis
Duet .... Irene and Gertrude Kelly
Song .... Elder Loveday
Banjo solo .... Prof. Johnson
Song .... Eddie Pike
Recitation .... J. J. Walton
Song .... Mr. Pell
Mandolin selection .... Wm. Haskell
Comic song .... Wm. McDonald
Duet .... Youngberg Sisters

A $10,000 MORTGAGE.

A chattel mortgage for $10,000 from William L. White of Salt Lake City to the Clay Robinson company, of Chicago, was filed for record with County Recorder Jensen today. The debt is evidenced by four promissory notes, bearing date of February 6th, 1899, each for $2,500, and drawing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum. All are made payable within 150 days from date. The mortgage is on 700 cows, 900 yearlings, on the ranch of C. H. Taylor, near Price; 494 two-year-old steers, purchased from Robbins Bros. of Gunnison; 140 mixed cattle, located on the Big Springs Ranch, Carbon county; 1,400 cows on the ranch of Alphus Jensen, Gunnison. The cattle are to be full fed of hay in enclosed fields and yards during the life of mortgage at the expense of Mr. White.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 7, 1899.
Today's clearings $373,788
Same day last year 232,789

ORE AND BULLION REPORTS.

Following are today's ore and bullion receipts, as reported by the institutions below indicated:

McCORNICK & CO.
Silver and lead ores $26,500

T. R. JONES & CO.
Bullion $10,000
Ores 4,200
Total 14,200

WELLS, FARGO & CO.
Bullion $7,467

BAMBERGER & McMILLAN.
Ores 15,353

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