

OUR OWN STATE.

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OGDEN NEWS.

OGDEN, UTAH, DEC. 25, 1900.

WEBER COUNTY BUSINESS.

Christmas Festivities—Hearts of the Poor Made Glad—Quiet Holiday.

Return of Mayor Browning from Europe—County Clerk Wants Books Audited—Jury Venire.

At the meeting of the board of county commissioners, yesterday, Commissioner Smith reported that the bridge in Ogden canyon was completed satisfactorily, and on his motion it was accepted and the balance of \$485 ordered paid.

A petition was received from residents of Randall school district asking for change of boundary lines. The petition was referred back for description, and subsequently granted on motion of Commissioner Smith.

A communication from Parker J. Hall was received asking to rent office in court house now occupied by Joseph Hall. Petition laid on the table until December 31, 1900.

A complaint was received from J. E. Bowers with reference to 1900 assessment of certain cattle in Garfield and Wilson districts. The assessment of \$24.25, stating that the cattle assessed are only in the county or State about three months per year and should, therefore, be only taxed for one-fourth of the year. The complaint was denied.

A claim was sent to Davis county for the board of trustees during the time he was held for trial in this county. He being a Davis county prisoner.

E. W. Wade, of Pleasant View asked the county to buy gravel now being taken from excavation of basement for new meeting house at Pleasant View, and have the gravel placed on the county roads in said district. On motion of Commissioner Skeen \$100 was appropriated to buy the gravel and Mr. Skeen was appointed to oversee the matter.

The bill of Joseph Hall for \$5 for superintending the personal property and burial of O. D. O'Brien.

County clerk asked that the board examine and audit the books of his office as the laws of the State require.

JURY VENIRE.

Following is the list of trial jurors for the January term of the Second district court: Peter A. Mattson, Ogden; John Thompson, Hooper; Norman Wright, West Weber; Charles Weatherston, Plain City; Albert H. Garner, Huntsville; John Greenwell, Ogden; A. C. Richardson, Plain City; W. H. Cowles, Harrisville; Lars Peterson, Huntsville; James Storey, North Ogden; John McGuire, Ogden; John R. Brown, Ogden; R. C. Mitchell, Ogden; Miles L. Jones, Ogden; G. G. Griffiths, Ogden; Frederick A. Miller, Harrisville; Lamont Griggs, Ogden; Peter Anderson, Ogden; Levi J. Taylor, Harrisville; Julius Kiesel, Ogden; William Klaus, Ogden; Heber C. Butler, Ogden; Henry Blair, Ogden; John K. Spiers, Plain City; James Bane, Ogden.

DISTRICT COURT.

Suit was filed in the Second district court by Horace G. Snyder against G. H. Landers et al. for \$123.24, which he claims is due him for money loaned and labor performed.

The case of Peter Minock vs. B. M. Robinson was heard before Judge Rolapp and taken under advisement.

RETURN OF MAYOR BROWNING.

Mayor M. S. Browning and his brother John M. returned home yesterday morning from a four months' absence in Europe. While absent the gentlemen visited Hartford and New Haven on business, and then crossed the Atlantic for the continent, spending a few weeks in London and Liege, Belgium, the latter place is where the Browning rapid firing revolver is being manufactured. They also visited the Paris Exposition. After traveling some in France they went to Berlin, where John M. Browning, Jr., is studying, and spent a short time with him.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ANDERSON.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Sarah E. Anderson will be held at the family residence, No. 354 Twenty-third street, Thursday afternoon, at 2 p. m.

WEDDING BELLS.

Marriage licenses were granted to the following couples: John Killos, 30, and Miss Carrie Anderson, 17, both of Ogden.

Samuel C. Cotterell, 26, of Riverdale, Idaho, and Miss Flora Hope, 21, Richmond, Utah.

George W. Snively, 22, and Miss Nellie E. Lee, 19, both of Ogden.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.

Hearts of the Poor Are Made Glad by Kindly Administrations.

OGDEN, UTAH, DEC. 25, 1900.

Christmas was quietly celebrated in Ogden, mostly in home gatherings. The dusty streets were something new for the people of this State, and many thought it hardly seemed a Christmas without snow on the ground and the

OREGON SHORT LINE RY.

ARRIVES
From North and Northwest 7 a. m., 4:30 p. m.
7:00 p. m.
From South, 7:15 a. m., 10:50 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 7:45 p. m. and 11:30 p. m.

LEAVES

For North and Northwest 7:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 3:15 p. m., 6:00 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 4:30 p. m. and 7:35 p. m.

RIO GRANDE WESTERN RY.

ARRIVES
From South and East, 10:45 a. m., 2:00 p. m. and 11:20 p. m.

LEAVES

For South and East, 7:25 a. m., 2:15 p. m. and 7:15 p. m.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC RY.

ARRIVES
From West, 6:45 a. m., 1:40 p. m., 6:30 p. m.
From South, 7:15 a. m., 10:50 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 7:45 p. m. and 11:30 p. m.

LEAVES

For West, 5:40 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 2:45 p. m. and 7:35 p. m.

UNION PACIFIC RY.

ARRIVES
From East, 5:00 a. m., 2:10 p. m. and 2:00 p. m.

LEAVES

For East, 7:30 a. m., 2:15 p. m. and 8:00 p. m.

KNOW HIS BUSINESS.

Know Something Besides What He Reads in Books.

The wise, up-to-date, modern doctor is no longer the drowsy, old-fashioned, and fast ruler of what his medical books say he shall use and what he may withhold in treating this patient. The successful doctor nowadays is the one who is quick to avail himself of any remedy, new or old, which holds out a chance of cure, no matter whether it is Allopathic, Homeopathic or neither.

Dr. Jenkinson, in an interesting article on indigestion and dyspepsia says: "Nine-tenths of all people, who apply to me for advice and treatment think they have indigestion or dyspepsia, but I find on close examination that their whole trouble arises from poor digestion."

They have little appetite and if they do have an appetite and stomach they eat but little good food. Why? Because it is but half digested, causing flatulency, weak nerves, sleeplessness, aching bones, pains in chest, formation of gases, belching, and nothing about them believe they have consumption, or heart disease, rheumatism, nervous prostration, in fact most every disease but indigestion.

It is really the whole trouble is in the stomach and nowhere else. Now what I do with such people? I don't feed them on pre-digested foods like babies, nor "atomized" bitters, but I give them a remedy which I know nothing about, but which a remedy physician will prescribe a remedy unless he knows what it contains and its probable effects.

For all such patients I have, but one prescription, I advise them to go to the nearest drug store and get a 50 cent box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I use them myself and I know what Stuart's Tablets contain and the what they will do. They contain of the vegetable

acids, and government tested vegetable acids which will restore natural digestive vigor and if I had dyspepsia myself it is the one remedy I should take.

When a patient comes to me complaining of dull headaches, sour stomach, bad taste, nervousness, belching of gas, or heart trouble which is general, I take one or two of Stuart's Tablets after each meal and as often during the day as I have any trouble, and I feel the best advice I could give to any patient.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are large, pleasant tasting lozenges, containing dextrose and pepsin combined with fruit and vegetable acids. They are not cathartic and do not act on any particular organ like ordinary drugs, but simply act evenly on the food eaten, and they are a natural digestive, pure and simple.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents per package throughout the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

two of our most popular young people, were made husband and wife at the Manti Temple on the 19th inst.

On Wednesday, the 19th inst., the High Priests of the 18th inst., held an exalted council in honor of the return of Marten Jensen, the president of the High Priests' quorum of this State, from his second mission to Denmark.

A splendid supper was served up to all of the members of the quorum and their wives.

Elder B. H. Roberts was here Monday last in the interest of the Seventies, and delivered an excellent address on the Divine Nature of Jesus Christ to a crowded house.

DEATH OF MRS. MARY JONES.

On December 21st, 1900, Sister Mary Jones died in her 54th year. Born at Swansea, South Wales, June 13, 1846, and joined the Church about the year 1860, coming to this country in 1858. She resided in Sanpete county until nine years ago when she came to live with her daughter, Mrs. Catherine Jones, Ever since her arrival here she has been a devoted and faithful member of the Church, and was a most successful worker in the home and in the community.

Her death was the result of a long illness, and she was surrounded by her family and friends at the time of her passing.

Funeral services will be held at the family residence on Thursday, December 24th, at 2 p. m.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Buckner's Arnica Salve cured him in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

AMERICAN FORK.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

Artistic and Successful Affair—Excellent School Work.

Special Correspondence.

American Fork, Utah County, Dec. 21.—The public schools of American Fork, Utah, held a very successful entertainment Saturday night, December 22nd, to an appreciative audience.

The entertainment consisted of a humorous farce entitled "The Marriage of Figaro," which was beautifully presented in an artistic manner, the singing, grouping and picture being exceptionally fine.

The "Babes in the Woods" was realistic, every change and character was in keeping. Songs and choruses, spirited, effective, without discordant jar or disagreeable hitch. The costumes and make-up of all were in perfect harmony.

The object of the entertainment was to aid the school library. Receipts were over \$10; expenses about \$30.

EXCELLENT WORK OF SCHOOLS.

The school work has been very successful this far this year. The results have been attained by a most harmonious corps of teachers whose motto has been "The best, only, is good enough for us in our work." Each department is crowded to the fullest extent, but excellent results enable the teacher to do good work with greater numbers. American Fork will have thirteen departments after New Year's, besides the Presbyterian schools with two teachers.

EXCITEMENT OVER VACCINATION.

There is much excitement over the order from the board of health as to vaccination. There are but three cases of "smallpox" reported this far in the city.

He is a Wonder.

All who see Mr. C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, as he is now, cheerful, robust, vigorous, and full of health are to be sure, that it is the same man, who, a short time ago, had to sit in a chair, propped up by cushions, suffering intensely from an aching back, in agony if he tried to stoop—all caused by chronic kidney trouble, that no medicine helped him to use Electric Bitters and was wholly cured by three bottles. Positively cured. Backache, Nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Kidney troubles. Only 50c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

MONROE.

Missionary Returns and Other Socials—Death of Mrs. Mary Jones.

Special Correspondence.

Monroe, Sevier County, Dec. 23.—Alvin Hunt arrived home on the 18th inst. from a mission in England, to which he was sent apart October 21, 1898. He labored in the Nottingham conference and enjoyed his mission. A splendid reception party was accorded him on the 21st inst.

Schools closed on the 21st for a two weeks' vacation.

William Clark lost a few tons of hay by fire of an unknown origin.

WARNICK-SWINDLE NUPTIALS.

Heber Swindle and Emma Warnick,

Greeting, The Queen of Holland, Mrs. Edna Hoult.

Recitation, Mr. Ed. Anderson. Instrumental music, Professors and Mesdames Partridge.

Sentiment, Looking Backward, Rev. A. F. Chapman.

Greeting, Clair of Russia, Judge M. M. Kellogg.

Recitation, Miss Margie Thurman. Vocal solo, Miss Arvilla Clark.

Sentiment, "The Twentieth Century," Joseph, Mrs. Flora Bonden.

Duet, "The Love of the Young and the Old," Mrs. Emma John Knudsen.

Greeting, Queen of Serbia, Miss M. Alice Leely.

Sentiment, "The Light that Lives," Mrs. M. A. Jackson.

Guitar solo, Mr. Edwin Fernandez. Sentiment, Substantial Spanish Folk, Mr. W. B. Hughes.

Greeting, "The Sultan of Turkey," Dr. S. H. Allen.

Vocal solo, Mrs. Margie Swenson. Recitation, Mrs. Pearl Yates.

Sentiment, "The Pleasant Grove," Mrs. James T. Thibault.

Greeting, "Anthony Hope," Hon. S. R. Thurman.

Recitation, Miss Miriam Nelke.

Sentiment, "The Hills of Scotland," Bishop Alex. Gillespie.

Greeting, "Sketch of the Red Cross," Miss Josephine Kellogg.

Sentiment, "Count Tolstoy," Prof. N. L. Nelson.

Leslie's trio, Mrs. Sarah Harfney and company.

Minstrel, Dooxology, company. Closing prayer, Rev. Aug. Gunberg.

FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

The following orders were made in the Fourth district court yesterday:

As to Scott Ambrose vs. W. Scott et al. dismissed by plaintiff's request, as to Mary Emma Scott vs. W. Scott et al. dismissed by plaintiff's request.

In the matter of Boyer and Bringham, assigned; sale of real estate confirmed.

Estate of John O. Thomas, deceased; annual account approved, and decree that notice to creditors has been given.

Estate of George Dick, deceased; petition for summary distribution set for January 1st.

In the matter of Nettle Dalling, insane; ordered discharged as sane.

W. H. Ray has commenced suit against W. H. Wilson and Lillie S. Wilson to collect \$112.25, alleged to be due on a promissory note, and for decree of foreclosure of a mortgage.

MRS. SMOOT REMEMBERS THE CHILDREN.

Mrs. Reed Smoot gave a very enjoyable Christmas party yesterday afternoon in the Reed Smoot block. She invited twelve children in each ward, all the orphans of the county, and others whom Santa Claus might overlook in his distribution of Christmas pleasures, and at 4 o'clock over a hundred happy, expectant children gathered at the hall, where a pretty Christmas tree had been arranged and Jepperson's band was in attendance. The guests were all welcomed by Mrs. Smoot and her aids, and then proceeded to dancing and games, and were treated to candy, cakes, apples and oranges.

The little folks enjoyed themselves immensely, and Mrs. Smoot has reason to be gratified with the success attending her efforts to bring gladness to the hearts of these little ones whose path, in the beginning of the journey through life, is less pleasant than the one traveled by their parents and companions as are blessed more abundantly with this world's goods.

MANY CHRISTMAS WEDDINGS.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following happy couples:

Otto Ren Stewart, 24, of Gunnison, and Millie Tallestrup, 18, of Gunnison.

Virgil H. Bates, 25, of Diamond, and Minnie Hales, 21, of Spanish Fork.

William Tipton, 24, and Erma Mattson, 19, both of Springville.

Thomas Hornley, 26, of Smithfield, and Pearl Gammon, 22, of Provo.

Robert Paul, 23, and Emily Ada Walkey, 17, both of Provo.

Alexander G. Trippitt, 21, of Sandy, and Mary Hawkins, 20, of Benjamin.

DISTRIBUTING COAL.

Thirteen tons of coal were distributed where it would do the most good by the Bishopric of the Fourth ward, last Monday. The coal was supplied by the generous people of the ward. The Relief Societies of the various wards have also been busily engaged previous to the holidays in providing for the wants of those who are in need of assistance.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mr. James Madison of Lake View is giving the people of Provo an opportunity to extend practical sympathy to the family of Christian Sorenson of Vineland, who has been severely afflicted with sickness for some months past, and is now in the hands of the angels.

Mr. Madison is taking up a collection for the distressed family, and is meeting with quite a liberal response to his appeal in the hearts of the people.

The Sunday school of the Second ward gave a party for the children this afternoon and this evening the teachers and young people of the Sunday school will hold their Christmas party.

The speakers at the funeral of Miss Mamie Buckley were, Elder D. H. Jones, Bishop Alex. Gillespie, Elder H. S. Pryne, Elder W. E. Rydahl and Bishop J. H. Keeler. Music was furnished by the Fourth ward choir and Boshard and Pryne Bros. quartet.

SNOWVILLE.

Jas. Cottam, Jr., Meets With Severe Accident—Typhoid Patients.

Special Correspondence.

Snowville, Boxelder County, Dec. 21.—On Monday evening as Brother James Cottam Jr. was returning from a meeting on a bicycle he ran off from a bridge and was injured by an unconscious and badly bruised. Gradually he regained consciousness, but his face was skinned, and at best it will take some time for him to recover from the effects of the fall.

Most of those who have been suffering from typhoid are convalescent; a few are quite sick yet.

Schools adjourned today for the Christmas holidays, and preparations are being made to celebrate in true orthodox style.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Mesa, Arizona.

Sunshine, Fruit and Flowers.

What Might Be Done to Conserve Water for This Good Land.

Special Correspondence.

Mesa, Maricopa Co., Ariz., Dec. 15.—We are enjoying our beautiful winter weather, with sunshine, fruit and flowers. Oranges are being picked and sold in the market, with a good demand for the fruit.

Planting and planting of wheat is still being pushed, while the dry harvest is being run over the alfalfa fields. The recent rains and storms in the mountains have made this possible by the increase of the water level in the Colorado.

The last has been a hard year for this region because of drought, crops and orchards were injured.

The necessity of water storage was demonstrated, and there is much reservoir talk, some advocating the ponding of the country, others the raising of money to make reservoirs by loans secured by the federal government, and to be benefited. Both plans would entail a great burden of debt on the district that would be such a tax as to stop material growth, entailing an unbearable burden of expense on the limited population. Yet it is a region of wonderful resources. But the people are taxed as a rule to their full extent to keep up their present mode of life.

Many think the government should undertake this reservoir system and by appropriation set aside sufficient to secure the site and construct the dam. This is in our opinion just as legitimate as for appropriations to be made for river and harbor improvements; one benefits our commerce, while the other would develop our internal wealth, making home a million of people, and wealth for the nation. The reservoir of water to irrigate the great Salt River valley would be an undertaking that would provide a home for a great number of people, and that in a climate that is unequalled for health.

It is estimated that for two million dollars the Tonto Basin could be made a reservoir of great importance, and for the greater part of the cost the evaporation and therefore add to the humidity of the atmosphere and induce a greater rainfall.

The storage of the water is deserving of more attention than the creating of forest reserves, as it would do the greater good. The forest reserves in our hands insure the country's development and redemption from a barren desert to a fruitful field.

ELECTRIC FLASHES.

A dispatch from Warsaw says that fifty-two Poles have been arrested there, accused of participation in a political conspiracy.

The Cape-to-Cairo telegraph line is now in operation to a point fifty miles from Cairo, and a hundred miles beyond the southern end of Lake Tanganyika.

The dowager Lady Churchill, senior lady of the bedchamber, and an intimate friend of the queen, was found dead in her bedroom at Osborne Christmas morning.

Lord Curzon, of Kedleston, viceroy of India, in the course of a speech yesterday in Calcutta, said that the appearance of the bubonic plague in 1899, twenty-five thousand deaths from the disease have occurred in the Mysore state.

The United States naval attaché at the embassy in London has recovered from a long illness, but is unable to go out of town for Christmas.

Queen Victoria has a large family gathering at Osborne, including many of her great-grandchildren. The queen has not benefited appreciably by the change to the mild air of the Isle of Wight.

Fire in Eau Claire, Mich., destroyed half the business section. Loss \$150,000.

A direct line of steamers between Portland and Manila will be in operation by February 26th.

The body of Frank H. Morris, the murdered auditor of the war department, was returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday. Brief services were held.

Webb Jay, of Indianapolis, Ind., broke the world's bowling record in that city by bowling 219 out of a possible 300 points. Strike after strike was made in his game with three comrades. He failed on the last ball, which missed the eighth pin.

Each tugboat arriving at Port Townsend from Cape Flattery brings fresh news of marine disasters along the coast, and when full returns are in the damage by the recent succession of gales will be the largest in the history of shipping along the Pacific coast.

Inmates of the various eleemosynary and reformatory institutions of St. Louis enjoyed Christmas with the rest of the world. There were special celebrations in which all of the religious societies were featured. The Post-Dispatch provided 1,500 dinners for the poor.

A committee of officers of the National Guard of the State of Washington has completed a revision of the State military code, which is to be presented to the legislature next month for formal acceptance. This code makes the guard conform in all respects to similar organizations in regular service.

The United States Rubber company, the trust which controls nearly all the rubber shoe industries in this country, has submitted in writing application to the Michigan (Ind.) Rubber Road and Shoe company, for the sale of the local concern. The offer, it is believed, includes a monetary stipulation of \$1,000,000.

Producers of coke in Pennsylvania have become involved in a price war over the contracts for furnace coke, which are now being closed for delivery during the first half of the new year.

President and Mrs. McKinley had with them as guests at dinner last evening Surgeon General and Mrs. Sternberg, Dr. and Mrs. Riker, O. S. Holstead, Gen. Corbin and Secretary and Mrs. Cortelyou.

Vice Admiral Alexoff, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Times, has issued orders to the men under his command in Russia to make detailed lists of the Chinese property, money, cattle, provisions, etc., taken by them, and where such property now is.

Rev. Charles Reuben Hall, bishop coadjutor of the Springfield, O., diocese of the Episcopal church, is dead of valvular disease of the heart, aged 63 years.

Col. Henry B. Harshaw, former State treasurer of Wisconsin, died in Milwaukee of cancer of the rectum. He served in the "Iron brigade" during the Civil war.

A race war is feared at Centerville, near Jeffersonville, Ind., owing to the action of two drunken negroes. One man was wounded in the row on Christmas.

The employees of the Bourne Mills, at Fall River, Mass., who are entitled to a part in the profit-sharing plan in use by the corporation, have received a bonus of 2½ per cent on the wages earned from June 9 to Dec. 8 of this