

As to the propagation of food-fishes in this Territory, I am directing public attention to its importance, through the columns of the papers published here, in which I have been materially aided by Prof. Spencer F. Baird, Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries, United States, who has loaned electrotype wood cuts for the purpose of showing the best modes of constructing fish ponds, etc., etc. Of the value of fish as food, or of the great importance of increasing our fish supplies I am sure it is not necessary for me to say a word to you; from matters of economy alone the subject is one that merits attention. Large sums are sent out of the Territory annually, not only for canned fish goods, but for fish from various parts of the States, and even then our markets are inadequately supplied, and that with varieties of fish that do not merit the name of fresh or good. Probably your efforts will be attended with success by training a portion of our youth to habits of fish-culture and preservation, our fish-food may be increased, many of our public streams, now barren and unprofitable, could be made productive and a source of revenue. Wholesome food could be supplied to the inhabitants of most of our settlements, and the markets of our cities, at a cheap rate, and abundant occupation be found for many who are now unemployed, in pursuits that are health-inspiring to those engaged in them, beneficial to the commonwealth, as well as honorable and remunerative as local industries.

With great respect,  
I remain, yours truly,  
JOSEPH L. BARFOOT,  
Fish Commissioner Utah,  
Salt Lake City.

POULTRY.

*Twenty-third.*—This subject was referred to the following committee: C. R. Savage (chairman), Paul Schettler, James Solomon, A. M. Musser and D. P. Rainie, of Logan.

HONEY.

*Twenty-fourth.*—Referred to the Utah Bee Association.

FAIRS.

The following committee was appointed and instructed to take steps to procure the necessary funds for the erection of suitable permanent buildings for holding annual territorial fairs: John R. Winder (chairman), H. Dinwoodey, Geo. Q. Cannon, H. B. Clawson, Wilford Woodruff, A. O. Smoot, Provo, Abraham Hatch, Heber City, Lorenzo Snow, Brigham City, W. B. Preston, Logan, Erastus Snow, St. George, Geo. Teasdale, Nephi, Henry Lunt, Cedar, Wm. Budge, Bear Lake, and Philo T. Farnsworth, Beaver. For the purpose of arriving at the sense of Zion's Central Board of Trade, in relation to the advisability of holding territorial fairs, a motion was made that a territorial fair be held in Salt Lake City this fall, which was unanimously carried.

It is the understanding that the above committees will thoroughly investigate the various industries entrusted to their care, so that they will be able to make full and complete report at the meeting of the Central Board in October next.

T. G. WEBBER, Secretary.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

*In the Probate Court of the County of Davis, Territory of Utah.*

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT ROYD, DECEASED.

I, GEORGE LEYNHAM, Administrator of the Estate of Robert Royd, deceased, do hereby give notice to the creditors of the said deceased, to exhibit their claims against the said deceased, to the said Administrator, at his residence in Bountiful, County of Davis, U. T., within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated 20th May A. D., 1881.  
JAMES T. SMITH,  
Attorney for the Estate.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

*Estate of William Tyson, Deceased.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of William Tyson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administratrix, at her residence in Randolph, Rich County, Utah.

SARAH TYSON,  
Administratrix of the Estate of William Tyson, deceased.  
Dated at Randolph, April 26th, 1881.