

A sharp has taken much interest in the club in these laudable pursuits. There is a membership of about 30. The officers are L. R. Anderson, president; Lewis Larson, vice president; H. S. Kerr, treasurer; G. M. Anderson, secretary.

**MINES AND MINING.**  
About four and one-half miles south of Manti is located the Sterling Coal mine, operated by the Sanpete Coal company. The coal vein is about 10 feet thick and quite a number of men are employed furnishing coal for the railway and home demand. It is expected that some day coal will be mined here on a large scale.

There is a wealth of building stone all sides, the quality being white and gray sandstone.

**THE DAM FOR CONTROLLING HIGH WATERS.**

For many years Manti has suffered from floods caused by cloud bursts during the summer months and from the torrents that rush down the canyons every spring when the snows are melting. These floods tore up the fields, covered gardens and crops and thousands of dollars were spent trying to solve the problem. At last the state engineer was employed to examine into the possibility of building a large dam to take the floods away from the town. It was found impracticable and the engineer worked out a plan for a large service in the canyon as a remedy. A people voted against the plan and a committee two years ago devised a dam in the mouth of the canyon. A dam of loose cobble stone which has proven a solution to the problem. In addition the duty of the water for irrigation purposes has been increased by 10 per cent during the high water year. The dam acts as a great filter, giving perfect control of the water. The dam is 40 feet high, 100 feet thick at the bottom and 150 feet long.

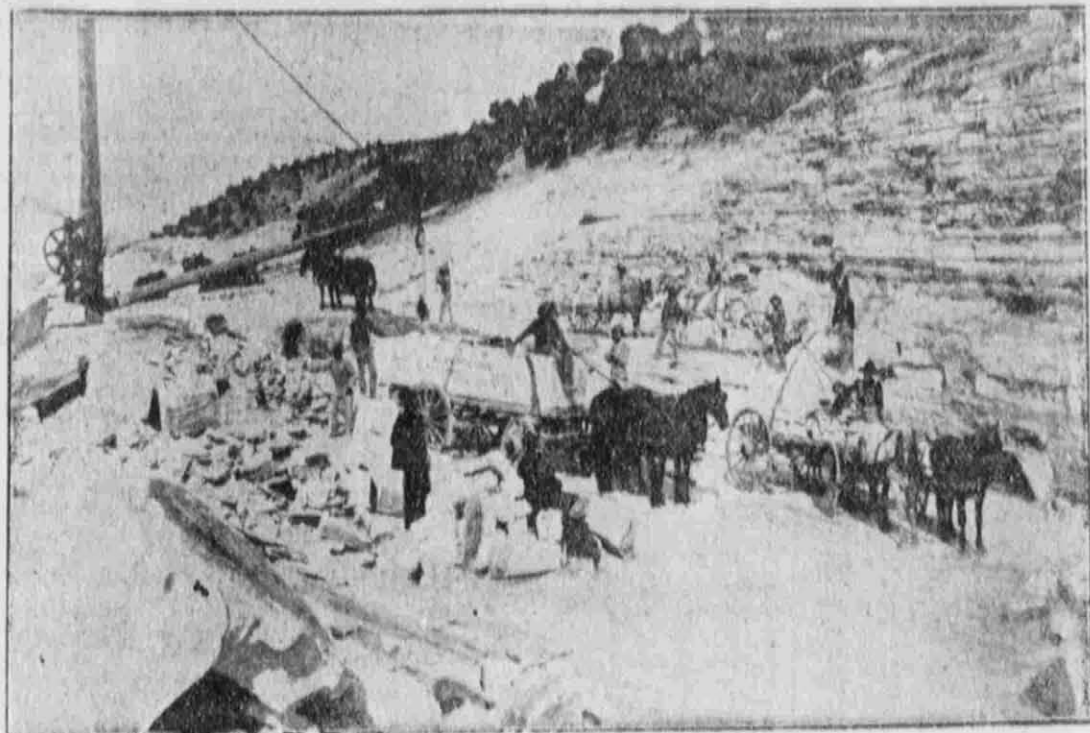
**EDUCATION.**  
The school year 1904-5 finds the public schools of Manti at the same high standard which has been maintained during the past decade. The school population is about 700, and a high percentage of the children are attending school. A number of children are attending a good high school away from Manti. Several teachers are employed, 10 of whom teach in the Central schoolhouse.

Art, music and manual training are given considerable attention. The gymnasium has been secured and fitted with park benches, and the boys of the seventh and eighth grades receive instruction in stoyd twice a week. Sewing is taught in all of the grades from the first up. The children show a marked interest in this work, and an increased zeal in all subjects is noted.

The teachers meet every Friday evening to study art and to discuss school matters. Five of the teachers are holders of either state grammar grade diplomas or certificates. The county superintendent is under the direction of Mr. Eastman of the Brigham Young university, who is giving a course in manual training, preparatory to a formal introduction of this work into the schools of the county next year. "essentials" are not being neglected. Thoroughness is the keynote in all grades. An exhibition of school work is given at the close of each month and parents are invited to make special visit and compare results. This proving one of the best incentives to securing of better and better work.

Mr. Edgar T. Reid is the principal and is wide awake to all new methods of school work.

**MANTI COOPERATIVE AND MERCANTILE CO.**  
Few stores in southern Utah do more business than the Manti Co-operative Mercantile Institution. It is organized more than 25 years ago and has since that time steadily increased its stock of goods to the present capacity. As shown in the illustration the building is two-story exclusive of a basement and is stocked with goods from cellar to top floor. Everything is carried belonging



WHITE STONE QUARRY OF E. L. PARRY & SONS.

to a thoroughly up-to-date mercantile establishment and the patronage extends beyond the city limits. The officers of this institution at present are: Acting president, E. T. Parry; director, Hans Jensen; Neils R. Peterson, treasurer. Alexander Tennant is superintendent and has been for 13 years. Under his able management the store has had an era of rapid growth.

**L. T. TUTTLE & CO.**

One of the leading firms of Manti is L. T. Tuttle & Co. For more than 40 years Mr. Tuttle has been in the mercantile business during which time he has established a reputation for honesty and fair dealing among his numerous customers. The Tuttle store is a well known business block facing Main street and is packed with a good line of goods.

**UNION LUMBER CO.**

The Union Lumber company of Manti is owned and operated by Messrs. E. M. Works of Manti and Albert Johnson of Ephraim. They handle all kinds of lumber, lath, shingles, sash, doors, moldings, builders' hardware and supplies, paints and oils, besides lumber. They handle the Utah Fuel company's coal and do an extensive business in this as well as the lumber business. Their place of business, an illustration of which is given with the Manti "write up," is located near the depot. The personal character of these gentlemen along with their honest business method, has placed them in a position to receive the continued confidence and patronage of the people.

**MRS. SMYTH'S MILLINERY STORE.**

Mrs. Rhoda W. Smyth began business in Manti in 1887 with a small capital but has succeeded by careful and straightforward dealing in building up a good trade and increasing her stock of goods to meet the demands of her growing enterprise. Her place of business is in the center of the business district and a good assortment of millinery goods and ladies' furnishings is now displayed for the Xmas trade.

**A. O. ANDERSON.**

Manti business places are, in general, well patronized and the store of Mr. A. O. Anderson is no exception to this rule. Mr. Anderson carries an excellent line of furniture well displayed in his neat little store shown in the illustration.

**MANTI ROLLER MILLS.**

The Manti Roller Mills is a three-story brick with a stone foundation. It covers an area of 35x45, with an additional store house of 20x45. A grain elevator just finished is 25x35 and has a capacity of 25,000 bushels of grain. The mill makes everything that is made out of wheat and ships its products to various parts of the state. L. F. Becker the proprietor, solicits the correspondence of all those who are in the market for flour or mill stuff.

**E. L. PARRY AND SONS.**

Are the proprietors of the celebrated Sanpete White stone. The first stone shipped from this quarry was to Elias Morris of Salt Lake City, in 1883. Ever since then shipments have been made to all parts of this western country even as far reaching as California. The following buildings in Salt Lake City have been built or adorned with this beautiful stone. The Granite State Tabernacle, the annex to and the windows of the Temple, the residences of J. D. Wood, David Keith, Senator Kearns, the Atlas block, Independent Telephone building, Packard library and the Emery-Holmes apartment houses.

In 1877 he was called by President Brigham Young to move to Manti and act as master mason in building that beautiful edifice the Manti Temple. Having had a great experience in handling stone and being a skilled workman, Mr. Parry has been a very able tutor to his sons who now form a part of the Parry firm. These gentlemen are leading contractors and have furnished stone for many of the best buildings in Manti and elsewhere.

Mr. E. T. Parry, superintendent of the construction of the beautiful Manti Tabernacle and was the architect and supervisor of the new Co-op building. This gentleman is an artistic carver and has turned out some beautiful work in the monumental and architectural line. Bernard Parry supervises the quarry and shipping of the stone and endeavors to keep ahead of his work that all orders may be filled promptly. These gentlemen are among the most enterprising of Manti citizens and have established a wide reputation for fairness, honesty and square dealing. The contractors say "those white stone men always treat us white."

Miss J. S. Work, Miss M. Nelson

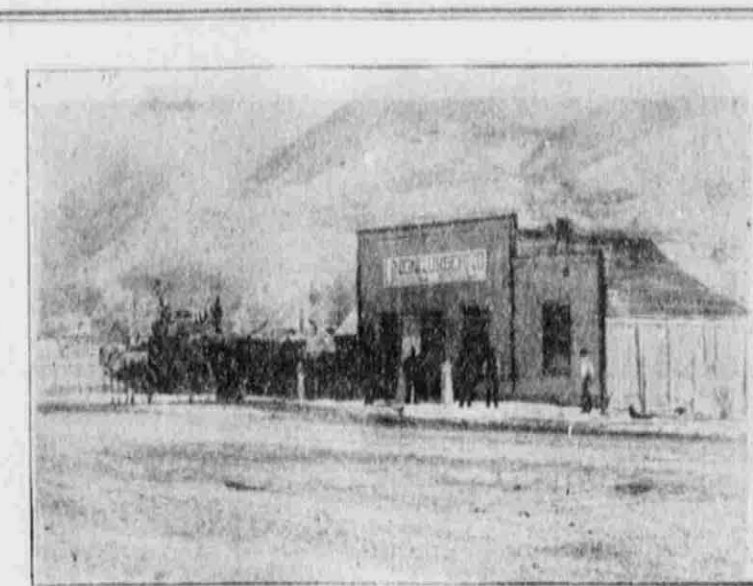
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**NEPHI, THE LITTLE CHICAGO.**

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ables, three bicycle repair shops, and other institutions of minor importance. Nephi is the home of Company A, N. C., which at the last encampment, won the medal for being the best drilled company of the Utah militia. The experiment farm, located just north of Nephi, run under the direction of the Agricultural college, cultivated a year for the first time, gave the best results of any similar farm in the state, demonstrating that wheat and other grain can be raised in Juab county in paying quantities without irrigation in consequence of which large areas of land lying in the surrounding vicinity have been taken up and companies formed for the purpose of raising same under cultivation. There still a great deal of fertile land, lying within easy distance of Nephi suitable for excellent dry farming that can be had for the taking. Parties interested will be furnished full particulars communicating with T. C. Winn, mayor of Juab County Abstract Agency.

The people of Nephi are extensively engaged in the cattle and sheep raising industry and this added to the other pursuits mentioned, contributes annual revenue sufficient to make the citizens prosperous and contented. The railroad facilities are excellent, this being the junction of the Los Angeles, San Pedro & Salt Lake and the Sanpete Valley railway, bringing into immediate touch with our neighbors on the north, south, east and west.

**UNDEVELOPED RESOURCES.**

Nephi has undeveloped resources which will only the magic touch of capital to cause them to spring forth in a bonanza of wealth. At Nephi on the north, is full of mineral, mountains of rock salt, some of which is being mined and shipped to different parts of the surrounding states, are found in canyons on the east, and east, furnishing material for manufacture, the finest dairy and table salt in the world are only partly utilized. A great portion of their output is wasted. The stone quarry located at Mt. Nebo from which the beautiful brown stone in the walls of the new building was procured, is a source of great quantities of coal and is being mined on a small scale, and a money spent in judicious development will put these coal mines in a position to furnish all of central Utah

with an article of coal of the highest grade. In mountains lying to the west are the croppings of a mammoth ledge of marble extending for miles in a northerly and southerly direction. This ledge has been opened up at different points and discloses a white marble of the finest quality, but being so near the surface, is as a matter of course, more or less shattered, and not susceptible of being taken out in large blocks, but when capital shall have taken hold of it and penetrated beneath the shattered upper crust, there will, without doubt, be brought into utility one of the largest and most valuable marble mines in the United States.



**GRACE BROTHERS**

Building material including doors, windows, sashes, etc., either local or car lots, always on hand, and the nearest distributing point for southern Utah and Nevada.

**Wholesale and Retail Lumber Dealers**

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**FORREST HOTEL.**

Perhaps no hotel south of Salt Lake is better and more favorably known than the Forrest Hotel of Nephi. The cooking, the rooms and everything about the place is strictly up-to-date. Mr. Forrest is a most pleasant manager and is well liked by his numerous patrons.

R. B. Smith, photographer, also dealer in all kinds of photographic supplies, copying and enlarging a specialty.

**HOW TO MAKE A FRIENDSHIP CALENDAR.**

The friendship pad calendar is especially nice to give elderly people or the "shut in" on Christmas. Either 52 or 365 squares of Bristol board 2 1/2 by 3 1/2 inches distributed to friends of the intended recipient to write a message signed with that friend's name and date are taken to the printer, who puts the consecutive dates on in red ink and gums the slips into a pad, which can then be mounted on a decorated board or put into a leather case to stand on the table.

**THE MORGAN PUBLIC LIBRARY AND MUSEUM.**



The cut represents the huge palace which is to house J. Pierpont Morgan's \$10,000,000 collection of art objects, books and curios. When the plans are perfected it will be the most valuable private institution of the kind in the country and perhaps in the world. The structure is to be in Greek renaissance style and is to be surrounded by beautiful gardens. Mr. Morgan's unique collection is scattered all over the world. Part of it is in the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York and some of it is at Mr. Morgan's residence in London. Many priceless works of art are still in storage with the dealers in Italy and France. Mr. Morgan is now trying to get all these treasures admitted into the United States duty free so that they may be exhibited to the public.

**HOW TO PREPARE TURKEY SALAD**

For the supper table Christmas night chicken or turkey salad in a cranberry mold is delicious. Make the cranberry jelly and mould in a ring, turn out very carefully, just before serving and fill the center with the salad. Turkey salad, by the way, is as good as, if not better, than chicken salad when mixed with plenty of celery and a few walnut meats.

**HOW TO SERVE GRAPEFRUIT.**

One of the popular fruits for the Christmas holidays as well as for almost any other occasion is the grapefruit. If possible get one that is grown in Florida, see that the skin is smooth

and the fruit heavy and solid and also that the size is large. Cut it in half, scoop out a good part of the juice and fill up the vacancy with champagne if you have it, or, if not, use sherry, brandy, fruit salads, brandied cherries or cordial, and there is something that will revive the spirits of anybody not on the verge of the grave.

**HOW TO MAIL CHRISTMAS GIFTS.**

In mailing Christmas gifts have the package weighed by some responsible person, place the exact amount of postage needed upon the parcel, and in nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a possible thousand your package will reach its destination safely and promptly. In addressing the package

write the name of the person who is to receive it in ink, spelling both the city and state, and do not abbreviate. Place your name in small writing in either the upper or lower left hand corner.

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