the Rebecca degree next year was overwhelmingly defeated.

The proposition to extend the insurance clause to the patriarchs militant branch of the order was rejected. It was decided to allow lodges the use of the widows and orphans' fund for the erection of an orphans' home and allow all lodges to make weekly payment in 10 numbers, the minimum payment to be $1 per week. The promoters of an Independent Order of Odd Fellows' building and loan association were denied the right to use the emblems of the order.

At the request of the jurisdiction of Wyoming, authority was given to take steps to receive property confiscated at Fort Washington, W. T.

Balfour Registers as a Voter in South Dublin.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Mr. Balfour has registered himself as a voter in South Dublin. The Conservatives propose his candidacy for member of Parliament for that seat.

To Investigate the Cotton Industry in Asia.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Observer's Odessa correspondent says America has appointed a gentleman to visit Central Asia and report on the rapidly increasing cotton industry of the trans-Caspian Russia in Turkistan.

Suicide of E. Lamar.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 25.—E. Lamar committed suicide last night by taking a dose of morphine. He is a nephew of the associate justice of the Supreme court of that name.

The Killing of the Carr Family.

VANCEBURG, Ky., Sept. 25.—At the inquest into the killing of the Carr family at Quincy yesterday, evidence was adduced leaning toward the fact that Thomas Carr did not kill his mother-in-law, sister-in-law and himself, but all were killed by some one else. James Evans, other of Carr, is suspected. He can not be found.

Commencement of the International Cricket Match.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25.—The long anticipated cricket match between All-Philadelphia and Lord Hawke's team of Englishmen, began this morning at the grounds of the Germantown Cricket Club. The American team was captained by W. B. Brooke, and the English team by Lord Hawkes. The Englishmen won the toss for choice and play began with Wright and Brown at the bat. The Britishers did excellent fielding, and their team work elicited almost constant applause. The visitors completed their first innings with a total of 259 runs. In the half hour left to the Philadelphians they made 229 runs without the loss of a wicket. The second display commences at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

The Union Pacific-Ankenda Dispute Not Adjusted.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Reports recently sent out from Chicago to the effect that the difference between the Union Pacific and J. B. Haggin, owner of the Ankenda copper mine, had been adjusted, are authoritatively denied here. It is understood negotiations to that end, opened some months ago, are still pending, but no one is a position to know will venture an opinion as to the outcome.

Peter Johnson Thinks He Has Discovered How to Temper Copper.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 25.—Peter Johnson, of Dassel, Minn., thinks he has discovered the long lost art of tempering copper. He and Nils Nilson, a machinist, want to organize a company to build a factory in Minneapolis. The new process will make copper as hard as steel.

Fair Notes.

Robinson Bros. offer a pair of running shoes to the winner of a running race of 100 yards, and a pair of $5 shoes as second prize.

Mrs. P. P. Jennings offers a premium of $10 for the best piece of china painting done by an amateur, $10 for the best drawn hair by a boy under eighteen years of age, $5 for the best piece of hand sewing done by a child under eight years of age.

At the meeting of the board of directors to be held this evening the judges of the various departments at the fair will be decided upon.

Good for Utah.

Commissioner Lannan has secured for Utah the choicest site in the World's exhibition, and it is suggested by him that the territory avail itself of this advantage and make the grandest exhibit that its vast and varied resources will allow. To that end it is proposed to organize for the event during the fair and conference, when people from all over Utah will be in Salt Lake and able to meet and discuss the matter. As systematic work is the safest means to success, the suggestions should be taken up and acted on by those having the work in hand and the interest of this Territory in view.

County Convention.

HEADQUARTERS COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE,
SALT LAKE CITY, September 25, 1891.

A mass convention of the Democrats of Salt Lake county is hereby called to convene in the rooms of the Central Democratic club, No. 45 east Second South street, Salt Lake City, on Saturday, October 3, 1891, at 7:00 p. m., for the purpose of electing thirty-eight delegates to attend a Territorial Democratic convention to be held in Salt Lake City on Saturday, October 10, 1891, at 11 a. m., for the purpose of organizing the Democratic party of Utah.

ELIAS A. SMITH, Chairman.
CALVIN W. WEST, Secretary.

Winding Up Steps.

The Foot Refrigerator and Mantle Manufacturing company, of Utah, made an assignment yesterday afternoon. Liabilities about $4,000; assets, $16,000. Nathan Sears, of Sears Liddle & Co., is the assignee. We are informed that the assignment was made for the chief purpose of winding up the affairs of the company. The company was formed from the Foot Refrigerator company and the Salt Lake Mantle company on April 1, 1891, and had its office in the Board of Trade building. The officers were L. C. Cohn, president; H. C. Goodyear, vice president; W. H. Gibbs, secretary, and J. A. Taylor, treasurer. The stock, real estate and a large plant of machinery at Seventh South and Twelfth West, will be sold to satisfy liabilities, most of which are foreign, and the balance will be divided among the stockholders.

THEY ARE DISSATISFIED.

A Protest Against the Action of the Joint City and County Building Committee.

It will be remembered that the joint city and county building committee recently accepted the bid of Mr. J. H. Bowman, contractor, for the erection of the new building. The lowest bid was sent in by Barber & Co.; nevertheless, that of Mr. Bowman, being several thousand dollars higher than theirs, was accepted. Messrs. Barber & Co., through Attorneys Stephens and Schroeder, received permission to take steps to prevent the Bowman contract from being entered into by the county.

The following complaint was drawn up yesterday afternoon:

Edward S. Gilbert, in his behalf and in behalf of all others similarly situated, plaintiffs, vs. Harry Hardy, John Burton, John C. Cahoon and George W. Burton, the duly elected, qualified and acting members of the County court, defendants.

For complaint herein, plaintiff alleges:

1—That he is a resident of and taxpayer in the Territory of Utah, and County of Salt Lake.

That he brings this action in his own behalf and in behalf of all others similarly situated.

2—That all others similarly situated are too numerous to bring all of the property of said Lake and Territory of Utah, and that each of said persons may become parties plaintiff to this suit by making application for the purpose.

4—That the defendants, Harvey Hardy, John Burton and John C. Cahoon, are the duly elected, qualified and acting members of said county, and that the defendant, George W. Burton, is the duly appointed, qualified and acting judge of said county, and that together these defendants constitute the county court of Salt Lake county, Utah Territory.

5—That these defendants, as such County court, threaten, in violation of law and of their duty as such officers, to enter into an agreement with one John H. Bowman and Salt Lake City corporation for the erection of a building to be used for county and city purposes as a county court and city court.

6—That said contract so threatened to be entered into will create in the part of said county court a liability which exceeds the income and revenue of said Salt Lake county for the last two years next preceding the time of incurring the proposed liability, which the plaintiff alleges to be the 25th day of September, 1891.

7—Plaintiff further alleges that said proposed contract is not awarded into in accordance with section 187 paragraph 15, volume 1, compiled laws of Utah, in that the lowest responsible bidder was not the party to whom said contract was awarded, and that said John H. Bowman, to whom the County court proposes to give said contract, is not the lowest responsible bidder.

8—That said members of the County Court unlawfully and fraudulently refused to enter into said agreement with Barber & Co. for the reason that said Barber & Co. were unknown to them, and for the reason that the person who received the contract would carry the election in the First precinct of Salt Lake City, against the dominant party in Salt Lake City, and for the purpose of giving an unjust and unlawful advantage to John H. Bowman.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays judgment for an order restraining the defendants to show cause why a permanent injunction should not be granted restraining them permanently from entering into the proposed agreement with said John H. Bowman for the erection of said court houses and for costs of suit.

STEPHENS & SCHROEDER,
Attorneys for plaintiffs.

Last evening Attorney Schroeder went before Judge Anderson and obtained an order requiring the defendants to appear in his court and show cause as prayed. The proposed contract was afterward amended, limiting the liability of the county to one-half of the cost of the building. This does away with the ground of the complaint.

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FROM A PASTURE ON WEST EIGHTH South, last week, a bay mare, 7 years old, branded Bar, between Lt Waters. Any one giving information concerning same could get a reward by addressing the undersigned or at the Gardo House or in office of the deseret Evening News. Liberal reward.

GEORGE Q. CANNON.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Mount Nebo Association will be held at the Scientific Work Schoolhouse on Monday evening, September 28th, 1891, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing the annual reports of the officers, the election of officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ARTHUR FARNSWORTH, Secretary.
September 24th, 1891. 4 sep 28d2t.

LOST.

ON MONDAY LAST, A SMALL BAY Horse, three years old. Right mane on white foot. Two bald face marks. Were last seen near Jordan on Fort Val. Ring bone on right hind foot. Return to

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SALE OF Z. C. M. I. STOCK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of a decree of the Probate Court of Salt Lake County, Utah Territory, made on the 15th day of September, 1891, in the matter of the estate of David H. Cannon, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will sell at public auction, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, the 10 shares of Z. C. M. I. stock belonging to said estate, on Tuesday, the 29th day of October, 1891, at the hour of 10 a. m., at the law office of Richards & Williams, room 211 in Herrick Block, corner Main and Second South streets, Salt Lake City, Utah, the following personal property, to wit: Ten shares of the capital stock of Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution.

ANN M. CANNON,
Administratrix of the Estate of David H. Cannon, deceased.

WHE CANNIBAL LOBSTERS.

Over Fifty Crews in Food, Whence They Come to the Fearful Battle.

By invitation of a well known naturalist I had not long ago an opportunity to witness a curious sight in an aquarium in which about a hundred young lobsters had been placed.

Young lobsters are cannibals of the very worst type, and can give points to the most terrible monsters in all Africa.

The lobsters had just passed out of the swimming stage and were seen crawling about in the tank. The tank had glass sides, giving an excellent chance for observation, and it had a capacity of about fifty gallons of water. At one edge of the interior of the aquarium had been piled large stones, with flat sides, resting on sand. The sand was about two inches deep, covering the bottom.

My informant said that the first performances of the young lobsters when put into the tank were very interesting. They gathered around the edge of the rocks and with their antennae almost against the stone, crowd their claws in front of them and moving sideways, they dragged pieces of sand away from the stones. This was repeated again and again until a hole had been made big enough to hold the little lobster with space to spare.

Then the contestants climbed over the heap of sand into the excavation, and, turning to tail to the stone, proceeded to push the particles from the bottom of the hole to the top of the heap by placing its two claws together with the tips tapping so that the sand could not slide back. In effect the claws served as a shovel.

After the lobsters had in this manner built for themselves caves for defensive purposes they pointed themselves with their backs to the stone and kept their little black beadlike eyes roving outward in every direction.

When I took my place to watch nothing was stirring.

Now and then a lobster would climb out of his retreat and explore the immediate neighborhood.

Suddenly, finding an intruded lobster, the arrant adventurer would assault it. There would cause the biggest kind of a rough and tumble, catch-as-catch-can contest. It was a fight to the death.

When the struggle was between only two lobsters the result was usually a drawn battle, each retreating to his hole with the loss of a claw or of one or two antennae.

But when two or three lobsters attacked one in his shallow cave the fight was open every. The unfortunate victim was dragged out on the stone by the sharp pieces of the besiegers, and in a trice he was killed. It required but a few minutes for the cannibals to dismember and eat up their victim, dragging the bits to different parts of the aquarium, as dogs would bones.

These attacks are always made at night. I was so fortunate as to see another raid, but it was not like that described above. One of the lobsters that had emerged from his lair in pursuit of food was himself pursued in turn. Caught napping away from his castle by three or four comrades, it scuttled over the sand toward one corner of the aquarium. After him went the pursuers better shelter, and while the pursued resorted to dodging tactics that would be admired by a football rusher, the pursuers separated and closed in around the doomed creature.

It is by a curious instinct that the pursuit is made in the night, because it is evidently to the advantage of the pursuer, on the principle in war that night attacks are more successful than those by daylight.

Morts of these midnight forays were to be found in the morning in the fragments of shells. The result of cannibalism among the young lobsters is that out of a hundred about twenty-five survive, a demonstration of the Darwinian law of the survival of the fittest.

In the cannibal stage of their existence they are about three-quarters of an inch in length, and when the survivors grow to be two and a half inches in length from the tail to the tip of the claws they have outgrown their bloodthirsty instincts.—New York Herald.

Sleeping on a Crown.

An old gentleman living in India said to his wife one morning:

"My dear, I have had a very strange dream. I dreamed I was sleeping on a zebra."

"What nonsense!" was her retort. "How could that be?"

"Well, my dear," he responded meekly, "I did dream it, and I only hope it wasn't true."

The next night he had the same dream, and in the morning announced the fact, only to encounter his wife's ridicule on the score of his weak nerves. Nevertheless he had the same dream once more.

Thereupon the mattress was ripped open, and there, snugly coiled in its middle, was a zebra. He had entered one day through a rip in the cover while the mattress was lying in the garden to air. Probably his immense weliness beneath the sleeper had given rise to the dream.—Youth's Companion.

Some Modern Apostasts.

It is nearly 300 years since London drew her first gallon of drinking water from New River. Almost 250 years have elapsed since Marcellus built her aqueduct sixty miles long, delivering water to the city at the rate of 180,000 gallons per minute.

Within the present generation Glasgow has tapped the almost classically pure water of Loch Katrine, and Manchester has abandoned her entire system of water works to construct a new aqueduct sixty miles long from the Lake district.—New York Evening Post.

A special committee of five from the American Jersey Cattle club will superintend the competitive tests of butter cows at the World's fair. The test is to continue six months.

Scrofula

is more especially than any other hereditary disease, and for this reason parents affling from impure and humor-and blood, the disease lurks from 3 to the population, which are composed of white tissue; there is a period of twelve years when the whole body consists of white tissue, and therefore the minors child is especially susceptible to this dreadful disease. But there is a potent remedy for scrofula, whether hereditary or acquired. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which expels every trace of the disease and gives to the blood the quality and color of health. Get Hood's.

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