

BAGGAGE AGENTS TO GATHER HERE

Salt Lake Secures the Next Convention Which is Scheduled For Sept. 7.

G. L. ALLEY CAPTURES THEM

Oregon Short Line Official Returns From Chicago Meeting Victorious—Getting Busy on Advertising.

Through the efforts of a railroad official resident in this city, Salt Lake City has captured another convention, and on Sept. 7 the meeting of the Western Association of General Baggage Agents will assemble in Salt Lake City.

The fight for bringing the meeting to this city was headed by George L. Alley, general baggage agent of the Oregon Short Line and of the Southern Pacific railroad east of Sparks, Nev. Mr. Alley has just returned from a regular meeting of the association held at Chicago, which adjourned after adopting a resolution naming Salt Lake City as the place for holding the next meeting in Sept. 7.

The association is composed of all the general baggage agents on all the railroads west of Chicago. The meeting prior to the one just terminated was held at Omaha, and at that time Mr. Alley worked hard to have the last meeting held in Salt Lake, but the vote was a tie and on the shake-off it went to Chicago. Mr. Alley renewed the agitation for Salt Lake, however, with added vigor at the Chicago meeting, and won out.

"We were successful in landing the next meeting for Salt Lake," said Mr. Alley this morning. "These gatherings are of considerable importance, as the questions of complaints on the handling of baggage are taken up, and the causes for complaints are made possible are eliminated. The matter of claims, etc., is also considered, and any improvements suggested in the handling of baggage in any of the ramifications of the subject are discussed, and if feasible adopted."

"We are now busy mailing letters and advertising matter for the meeting of the association to be held in this city next September, which is bound to bring a large number of hustling baggage agents to this city."

BAPTIST PARTY HERE.

Three Cars Filled With New England Churchmen Arrive.

Three carloads of New England Baptists, en route to the Portland, Ore. convention, arrived on Rio Grande No. 1 today, and are being shown the town this afternoon by local Baptists prior to resuming their journey this night. Special services are to be held this evening in the Immanuel Baptist church in connection with the visit. Those who will go from this city tomorrow: Mrs. T. J. Nipper, Miss B. Armstrong, Mrs. J. D. Berkeley, J. J. Corum, Ben L. Corum and wife, Madam Elmore and Mrs. W. J. Elmore, C. J. Nitt and daughter, Helen, Rev. and Mrs. George L. White, Miss Clara Wilson, Edward Biglow, Miss F. F. Quinn, Miss Carrie Carey, Miss R. Maud Dillman, Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Bowerman.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

T. C. Davidson, general baggage agent of the Salt Lake Route, is in Salt Lake on a regular inspection trip.

T. H. Hunt, general agent of the Denver & Rio Grande railway at Butte, Mont., was a Salt Lake visitor on Monday.

Kenneth C. Kerr, district passenger agent of the Salt Lake Route, leaves today for a business trip to Montana points.

Ken O. Keyes, commercial agent of the New York Central lines, has returned to New York after a business trip through Montana and Idaho.

W. H. Bancroft, vice president and general manager of the Oregon Short Line, has returned from Los Angeles, where he accompanied former Senator W. A. Clark, president of the Salt Lake Route. Second Vice President J. Ross Clark and General Manager R. E. Wells on a tour of inspection of the line.

PAINTERS CANNOT AGREE.

Meeting Held Today Was Without Result.

Another meeting of the officers of the painters' union of Salt Lake City and H. M. Dinwoodey, representing the master painters and decorators' association, was held this morning at the Dinwoodey Furniture company's store, but no settlement of the difficulties between the two was effected. A number of propositions were made by the men, and some counter propositions were put forth by the master's association. All of which were practically agreed to excepting two or three.

The men ask that none but union men be employed by the members of the masters' association, and that the card system be abolished. As an effort to these requests the masters have asked that the members of the union work for no one else than a master of the master association, and that the union remit all fines incurred by the union men who have stood by the employers and accepted the card system. The above are the points at issue, and the prospect of immediate settlement was not considered.

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to be very bright at the close of the meeting this morning.

A meeting of the master painters' association is scheduled for this afternoon, at which the points in dispute will be discussed. The ultimatum of the masters' association will then be conveyed to the men, and the union officers remain firm as they were this morning, the strike will be practically over where it was when the men went out.

ENCAMPMENT DETAILS CROWD PRESENT FORCE

Assistant Director O'Neill Arrives to Give Aid to Col. Sterrett at Headquarters.

Judge James W. O'Neill of Lebanon, O., arrived in Salt Lake yesterday to assist Col. F. M. Sterrett in the direction of the forty-third G. A. R. encampment to be held in this city in August. Judge O'Neill will take up his labors at once. Col. Sterrett says that the details of the work have become so numerous that the encampment of the G. A. R. is becoming absolutely necessary. Judge O'Neill says that interest in the encampment is widespread, and that heavy delegations will be sent here from all over the western states during encampment week.

Interest in the election of a successor to General Nevius as commander-in-chief of the Grand Army is beginning to run high, and at the recent state convention of the Minnesota former Governor S. R. Van Sant was strongly endorsed. It was a race last year between General Nevius and Governor Van Sant, and it is probably that Governor Van Sant will be elected at the coming encampment. He has a rival however, in the person of W. A. Ketcham, of Indianapolis, who is one of the strong aspirants to the office of commander-in-chief.

During the encampment week it is hoped to establish a branch postoffice in one of the rooms of the headquarters at the Commercial club rooms, as the convenience of G. A. R. visitors.

All the mail for the veterans will be placed in a sack at the Salt Lake City post-office, and delivered to the sub-post-office by special carrier. A postmaster of the G. A. R. will be stationed at the headquarters and hand it out to the veterans.

A bureau of information and a lost articles department will also be maintained at headquarters.

Officers of the women's citizens' committee are calling attention to the fact that the response of citizens to the plea that they open their homes to accommodate visiting veterans has been so far somewhat meager, and to the need for prompt action, so that the committee will not be handicapped when called upon to furnish accommodations for the visitors during encampment week.

"It will be absolutely necessary for every man in the city to open his home here next August and care for the people who come to visit the city," said one of the officers of the committee. "Many of the people have given assurances that they will provide quarters for numbers of the visitors, and in fact must be a larger number yet and in fact every one must open his home and do his best in the way of entertainment."

The county commissioners met yesterday afternoon and ordered the payment of \$5,000, which had been previously contributed to the G. A. R. encampment fund. The amount will be handed to the committee on July 1.

The board received a letter from the county clerk of Davis county stating that a bounty was paid on sparrow eggs. Tooele county has not yet sent an answer to the request of the commissioners for information as to the bounty on sparrow eggs.

AMUSEMENTS

COLONIAL.—That the popularity of Willard Mack has not diminished and that, if anything, the public has a warmer place in its heart than ever before for him, was demonstrated at the reception given him by the audience at the Colonial theater last night, where he opened in "Captain Swift." Haddon Chamber's problem play. Although the house was far from crowded, it was an audience that did not fear to voice its approval.

At the end of the third act the audience applauded Mr. Mack before the curtain. Then in an next address as has been heard in some time he thanked the public for its reception, told of his expectations and what the company would do during the summer months. His faults, he said, were quite well known, but that during the next two weeks that he will remain in Salt Lake City he asserted he would build up something better than he had before. It was an address that reached the public and brought applause and approval.

"Captain Swift" is one of the old time productions of Mr. Mack and the company put several new frills on it, that made it different and as interesting as ever before. In the selection of a cast of characters, Mr. Mack could hardly have done better. His skill has brought about him some of the well known players of Salt Lake.

The scenery in "Captain Swift" has been tastefully selected and there is both finish and style about the production. Harry G. Blanchard makes an excellent Mr. Seabrooke. James Rennie as Harry Seabrooke is a well sustained part. Among those in the cast are many well known to Salt Lake. They are T. N. Heffron, Arling Aline, Joseph Kennedy, John C. Davis, Mrs. Anna A. Adams, Ruth Perry, Callie Gates and Anna Cleveland.

In the role of Mrs. Seabrooke, Mrs. Anna Adams has been a most successful actress. In the heavy part given her, the portrayal of the most stirring scenes in the play, she carried the role to perfection.

MORAN TO PAVE IN THIRD SOUTH

Councilman Hall, However, Wants A Wide Street to Accommodate Traffic.

WATER FOUNTS ORDERED.

Twelve Drinking Places Will be Placed In the Business Section Before Encampment.

P. J. Moran was awarded the contract for paving west Third South street by the council last night. Before it was approved, Councilman Hall attempted to have the plans changed to make for a 22-foot street instead of an 80-foot street. He declared that with the new passenger depot which is being built for the Rio Grande Western and the Western Pacific that the street would be one of the main arteries of the city. For this reason he said that it ought to be as wide as the other business streets. He moved for a reconsideration of the question next Monday night. At this time one of the property owners will probably be present to ask the council to widen the street.

The council approved the contract of J. W. Mollen for the grading of Fourth North street from East Capitol street to Wasatch drive. The city will receive \$1,319 for his privilege of selling the gravel and stone for the work.

The building inspector reported that the corrugated iron structure which L. J. Bowers proposed to construct for a city market did not conform with the building ordinance, and that he had denied him a permit. His communication will be acted on next week when Bowers will be heard.

The council approved the recommendation of the street supervisor to wash down the bridges which have been washed out by the high water on North Temple street with concrete structures re-inforced with steel. These will cost about \$2,000.

Horace A. Heath, a policeman, made charges against Delos R. Blackmar, a driver of a sprinkling wagon, to the effect that he was sprinkling in the Salt Palace grounds before 5 o'clock in the morning and after 5 o'clock at night, and that he was sprinkling in the grounds of the city's time.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

The Royal Burial Vault company of Salt Lake filed its articles of incorporation yesterday with the county clerk. It has a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into shares at \$10 each.

Articles of incorporation of the Klammock and Sons company of Salt Lake were filed with the county clerk yesterday. The corporation has a capital stock of \$500,000, divided into shares of \$1 each. Of this amount \$200,000 is to be used for development purposes. The officers of the company are: J. P. Shreck, president; L. P. Elliott, vice president; and G. H. Hutchinson, secretary and treasurer.

The Merchants Produce company of Logan, Utah, has filed its articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. It has a capital stock of \$50,000, divided into shares of \$50 each. The officers are: Joseph Davidson, president; C. J. Sorenson, vice president and secretary; and Christian Rasmussen, treasurer.

The People's Trading company of Grantsville has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The company has a capital stock of \$10,000, divided into shares of \$10 each. R. T. Brown is president; C. J. Stromberg, vice president; and W. K. Selberg, secretary, treasurer and manager.

The Boston Hide company, to carry on a general hide business, with main offices both here and at Nephi, Utah, has filed its articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The company has a capital stock of \$25,000, divided into shares of \$25 apiece. Joseph W. Summers, president, manager and director; Robert Morris, vice president, treasurer and director; George R. Emery, secretary and director.

The Blingham Central Mining company, amended articles, giving the company power to acquire, hold or otherwise distribute among its stockholders, in the discretion of the board of directors, stock in any other corporation or to exchange any or all of its stock for stock in other companies; also giving the directors, upon subsequent ratification by two-thirds of the issued outstanding stock, power to sell or transfer any or all of the company's property for reasonable and proper consideration.

AT THE RESORTS

Wanderers.—The people of Summit stake are at Wanders today in force, the occasion being the annual outing of the residents of that stake. Tomorrow the people of Jordan stake are scheduled for a big time at the resort, and on June 24 the Thistle club will celebrate the anniversary of their independence. The entertainment will consist of vocal and instrumental music, dancing, and a program of athletic sports, etc. There will be Scottish airs by the orchestra, song by John Donaldson, dance by Bessie Craig, recitation by Ed McClelland, dancing by Jennie McNeil Morris, song by William Cook, dance by the West End Dancers, song by (Nico) Hood, sword dance, by Miss Bessie Craig, and Janet McNeil Harris, a trio by James Neilson, David Neilson and William Cook.

Salt Lake—Tomorrow the butchers

and grocers of Salt Lake will have their annual outing and barbecue at Salsair. Roast beef and bread from the Vienna Bakery will be given away to the guests of the organization, and a big time is looked for. The aerial ballet is still drawing large crowds at the lake resort, as are also the big Symphony orchestra concerts.

Lagoon.—The midsummer feast day of the Swedish D. S. societies of Salt Lake City, Salt Lake county, Ogden City and Weber county will be held at Lagoon tomorrow. The committee in charge of the event is as follows: John Lawrence, Hugo Peterson, Harimar Erickson, John L. Chering, Salt Lake City; James Erickson, Ogden. Among the leading features of the celebration will be a maypole dance, in which special dancing and decorations will be shown. The program will include singing by the English Swedish choir, declamation by Mrs. Nelson, and a contest of songsters and singing of "America" by the congregation. There will be Swedish dances in national costume, and prizes will be given for the best dancing and the oldest woman, and the oldest man on the grounds.

STRICKEN SUDDENLY WITH LOCAL NEURITIS

E. Lord Simpson Finds Himself Helpless and With No One Near To Aid Him.

Stricken last Saturday night with an affliction that rendered him helpless, and caused him to lie throughout a night and almost a day without aid, E. Lord Simpson, an employee of the F. W. Gardiner Printing company, is confined at the Holy Cross hospital, and is slowly recovering the use of his limbs.

The case of young Simpson is of the rare order, his affliction being local neuritis, and the circumstances of the case one of the strangest to come under the notice of local physicians.

Simpson, who is a member of company C, N. G. U., spent Saturday evening in the company of his friends, and for several hours, played cards with a number of friends. Tiring of playing, he picked up a magazine and lay down on a sofa to read. When the social party broke up and the members left the room, Simpson was deeply interested in a story and said he would finish it before leaving the quarters.

Shortly after he was left alone he was stricken with the attack of neuritis, and when he attempted to rise he found himself helpless and unable to move. The army was deserted by him, and he lay on the sofa for several hours of the night, succeeded by the longer hours of the forenoon Simpson was compelled to lie on the couch with his limbs paralyzed.

It was not until several members of the company, headed by Corporals Melbos, returned to the army during Sunday afternoon, finding the sign of a man lying on the sofa, that Simpson was discovered. Dr. J. O. Evans was hastily summoned and the patient removed to the Holy Cross hospital.

Simpson was attacked at 10 o'clock in the left leg and right arm, but today it was stated that he had practically recovered the use of both limbs and that his complete recovery was expected within a few days.

BUSINESS AND REALTY

Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$1,381,102.88, as compared with \$523,092.63 for the corresponding day of last year.

The Salt Lake Security & Trust company held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon, when a semi-annual dividend of 7 per cent was declared, making a total of 14 per cent for the year. This is the tenth annual dividend declared, leaving in the company's strong box over \$100,000 in surplus and undivided profits.

Dr. Thomas B. McGowan, regimental surgeon at Fort Douglas, has purchased 82x115 feet of ground at the corner of Main and Ninth South streets for \$7,000. The purchase has been made as an investment. The sale was made by A. E. Hyde, Jr.

The City Trust & Investment company of Chicago, Ill., is president and B. F. Bauer, is treasurer, has purchased 187½ feet in Second South and 120 feet in Third South streets for \$7,000. The property was bought from Zion's Savings Bank and Trust company. Part of the ground has buildings on it, which are occupied by the McMillan Paper company and the J. P. Paulson company. It is the intention to further improve the property.

A warranty deed was filed in the office of the county recorder yesterday afternoon, conveying from George S. Taylor and wife, Frank D. Taylor and wife, and Theodore Nystrom and wife to John Sinder a portion of 2½ blocks 59, plat A, Salt Lake City survey, 67½ feet by two rods, for \$20,000. The property is located in Third South between West Temple and First West streets.

LATE LOCALS.

Daughters of Pioneers.—A business meeting of the Daughters of Utah Pioneers will be held in the business room of the Pioneer hotel tomorrow at 3 p. m. All members are requested to be present as business of importance will come before the meeting.

Refreshment Committee G. A. R.—A meeting of the refreshment committee of the Women's Citizens' committee of G. A. R., will be held on Saturday afternoon, June 26, at 4 p. m. in the committee rooms of the headquarters at the Commercial club building. Miss Van Cote, chairman of the committee, desires a full attendance of the members, and that their importance are to come before the meeting.

Officers of the Pioneer stake Relief society will hold their regular monthly meeting Friday, June 25, in the stake house commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. A full attendance is desired.

The regular monthly meeting of the Salt Lake stake Relief society will be held in the Fourteenth ward chapel Saturday, June 26, at 2 p. m.

An Evening's Visit

Walk in the park, auto ride or at the opera, the pleasure is thrice as keen with a box of Starups' Fruited Bitter Sweets. 25c to 50c everywhere.

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DECISION IN AN IMPORTANT CASE

Question of Furnishing Marketable Title to Real Estate Is Ruled Upon.

LOWER COURT SUSTAINED.

Action of Trust Company Against Adeline Stout and M. H. Walker Was Dismissed When on Trial.

The supreme court affirmed the judgment of the lower court in dismissing the action of the Utah Savings & Trust company, appellants, against Adeline Stout and Matthew H. Walker on a general demurrer in an opinion handed down this morning which was written by Justice Frick and concurred in by his associates.

The action was brought to recover on a bond which had been given by Mrs. Stout with the appellant as security to protect Adolph Fleishman against loss and damage on the purchase of a piece of land from the respondents, to which they did not have a clear title, an action then pending in the district court. Fleishman bought the property on a contract which warranted him a marketable title. Fleishman also sold it on certain conditions in regard to the title. When Fleishman was unable to deliver a clear title, Lichtenstein, who bought the property from Fleishman, demanded the \$2,500 returned which he had paid on the purchase price. Fleishman refused and Lichtenstein secured judgment against him.

Fleishman had no cause of action against the Utah Savings & Trust company to indemnify his loss, the supreme court holds, therefore, the trust company had no cause of action upon the indemnifying bond against the respondents.

OPINION IN LEASE ACTION.

Mrs. Anna E. Bowe's suit against O. J. Stillwell and Annie Palmer, a chambermaid, to retain possession of a lease of the Tanner block in Ogden, which was furnished as a rooming house, was remanded to the district court for a new trial in an opinion handed down this morning by the supreme court. In the lower court Mrs. Bowe secured judgment by default against them and O. J. Stillwell had the judgment set aside in his case. An appeal was taken from this judgment and a reversal of the lower court was ordered.

From the evidence in the case it was shown that Mrs. Bowe rented the Tanner block and furnished it up for a rooming house. She had a lease of one month on the premises, and the owner of a lease by the owner J. Goldberg of New York. Before the lease arrived duly signed Mrs. Bowe was called away to attend her mother, who was sick. When she came back Annie Palmer, who she had employed as a chambermaid, was in possession of the place and refused her admittance. The testimony shows that when the lease arrived, Mrs. Palmer told Stillwell that Mrs. Bowe had sold out to her and he rubbed out Mrs. Bowe's name and made the lease over to her. When Stillwell refused to transfer the lease after he found out the facts in the case, Mrs. Bowe began an action against them in trover for the conversion of the goods and furniture.

TWO DIVORCES SOUGHT.

Wife in One Case Wants Relief: Husband Aggrieved in the Other.

Mrs. Louise Gessford seeks a divorce from Rich Gessford on the ground of cruelty in a complaint filed yesterday in the Third district court. Both in public and in private, she says, he has called her vile names and charged her with infidelity. Several times he has expressed a wish that he had never married her.

When they were married he had property valued at \$1,000, but this has been dissipated, she says. For the last six months she alleges that she has been compelled to support herself. Mrs. Gessford asks for reasonable alimony and costs. They were married on Sept. 1, 1906, in Sacramento and have no children.

T. J. Maloney charged his wife, Hazel Molony, with immoral conduct, in his complaint for divorce filed yesterday in the Third district court. For seven months, he alleges, she mistreated him and then packed up and left home, going to a house of ill fame. She took her two children away and placed them in the State street orphanage. He asks for the custody of the children, claiming that she is not a fit person to have charge of them. They were married in Pocatello on July 12, 1906.

DANIELS FILES ANSWER.

Max Daniels, a tailor, denies that he attacked Carmine Hirabelli, a coat-maker, in his shop, with a pair of scissors on May 11 last, in his answer to the suit which he filed yesterday in the Third district court. He declares that Hirabelli was the aggressor and that he only used his fists on the coatmaker to drive him out of his shop. Daniels asks that the suit be dismissed. Hirabelli sues for \$5,000 damages.

TO EXAMINE MYRTLE ARNOID.

Miss Myrtle Arnold, who enticed two little children to accompany her home from the Salt Palace last week, will be arraigned on the charge of larceny tomorrow morning in Judge Ritchie's court. Her case was set for hearing this morning, but she was not present and a warrant was issued to bring her into court. It is stated that for several years the girl has been feeble-minded.

When she brought the children home with her, her parents had considerable trouble to persuade Myrtle to let them return to their parents. Since that time she has been under the care of the probation officers.

COURT NOTES.

G. F. Johnson, who alleges that James Hughes is attempting to evade a judgment secured against him for personal injuries, filed suit against him again yesterday in the Third district court. He seeks to annul the transfer of Hughes' property to his wife which was made on July 3, 1907. The conveyance is without consideration and asks that it be set aside. Hughes accidentally shot Johnson on Dec. 1, 1906, in Sugar City. Johnson brought suit and secured a verdict of \$7,150.

Sarah E. Jetter, aged 15 years, has been committed to the state mental hospital at Provo by Judge Ritchie. She has been feeble-minded for several years. Ole Berkhoff, who was charged by his relatives with being insane, was discharged yesterday. The physicians had examined him several times. He is suffering from a nervous affliction.

IN POLICE COURT.

George Hubble, a physician, was freed from the use of drugs, pleaded guilty

But 800 Ounces of Opium Left For Salt Lake Dreamers

The long lethargic slumber of the opium-smoker is coming to its end, and even now the shadowy dreams coming from the seductive pipe are beginning to dissolve and fade away.

The awakening from the centuries' sleep, however, will take at least three years. In other words, three years is the limit in which opium may be used. This is guaranteed by the actions of at least two governments who have determined to obliterate the opium evil.

Beginning January 1 last, the importation of opium in the United States was forbidden under such penalty that made the order effective. Warred of the impending law, Chinese importers laid in stocks, but it is estimated today that the stocks on hand will be consumed within three years.

At the same time China itself took drastic measures to prohibit not only the use of opium but the production of the drug. With that grim obligation upon the mental has of dealing with lawbreakers it is nothing less than strangulation for the user or producer of opium, although the proletariat is given the chance of three years to overcome the habit.

Although three years, however, is given for the abandonment of the use of opium, the effect of the legislation to suppress the evil is already being felt in Salt Lake—the Chinamen are themselves the first to drop the use of the drug. This has been brought about by the fact that the price of the drug has reached a figure that is becoming prohibitive to the thrifty and the penny-wise Chinaman alike.

On January 1, when the prohibitive importation law went into effect, the price was quoted in San Francisco at \$7.25 per can of 6 and one-half ounces. In February the price had risen to \$9. In March to \$10, and today \$12.50 is demanded with the prospect of a constant increase as the supply diminishes. That means that where six months ago the "pipe-dreamer" could satisfy his craving for about 25 cents, he now has to pay from 50 to 75 cents.

A round of the underworld of Salt Lake, where opium dens are prohibited but still exist, brought out the fact that although there has been a noticeable decrease in its use during the last few months the falling of the price on the part of the Chinamen, the "white trade," the most lucrative to the dens, still remains about fixed. As the stock decreases, however, and the price increases a gradual falling off is expected.

The confirmed opium smoker will drop from the "pure" opium to the "second" or "third" grade, or to the first opium and try to get to Morphine, the substitute for opium.

This morning before Judge Bowman to the theft of several bars attachments from a D. & R. G. engine, and was bound over to the district court. The Western Securities company is to furnish the money needed for an examination and is to receive all the expenses leading on the premiums paid, amounting to 80 per cent of the first year premium, and 25 per cent of all subsequent years, the complaint states.

The indictment was returned against the company, which is now stated to be \$120,123.26, to secure which the 12 shares of Continental life stock held by it has been deposited as collateral.

The complainant states that he asked to see the books of the company but has been refused.

The Continental Life Insurance company recently asked that an examination be made of its affairs, and the examination, which was made under the direction of a well known Denver attorney, was completed on Saturday.

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FILES SUIT AGAINST CONTINENTAL COMPANY

Geo. S. Kimball of California Asks Appointment of Receiver as Alternative in Action on Securities.

A complaint directed against the Continental Life & Investment company of this city, the Western Securities company, T. R. Cutler, John Derr, F. J. Hagenbarth, H. C. Edwards, W. Rice, W. S. McCormick, H. N. Mayo, and W. H. Cunningham, was filed this morning in the United States district court by George S. Kimball, a resident of Berkeley, California.

Mr. Kimball, who asserts that he is a bona fide stockholder and policyholder, alleges that the Western Securities company, which is said to be controlled by the same men controlling the Continental Life Insurance company, is indebted to the insurance company to the extent of \$120,000 to secure which 17,734 shares of Continental Life company's stock owned by the Western Securities company, has been deposited with the Continental Life company. He also alleges that the defendants were not acting in good faith in attempting to distribute the assets of the Continental Life among the Western Securities company in the first place, and has demanded that the life insurance company sell, and for close the 17,734 shares held as security, which has not been done, and he now asks that the defendants be compelled to make an accounting to the Continental Life, or that a receiver be appointed to take charge of all securities returned and money paid by said defendants to the Continental Life Insurance company, and apply the same under the direction of the court.

The complaint, which covers 15 typewritten pages, says that the Continental Life has written upwards of \$6,000,000 worth of life insurance upon the lives of about 3,000 persons. It also deals with the charter of the Western Securities company and states that on and prior to Dec. 17, 1907, the Western Securities company owned 17,734 shares of the capital stock of the Continental Life out of a total of 2,785 shares.

It is also alleged that the Western Securities company then owned all stock of the Western Underwriting association, which was later retired the complaint states, because it borrowed large sums from the Continental Life, endangering its life. A copy of the report of the examination between the Continental Life and the Western Securities company is given, which is dated Dec. 17, 1907, in which that company is made the sole general agent for the Continental Life.

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Every body