

CONVENTION FOR STATE HIGHWAY

Good Roads Movement to Take
Up Subject at Big
Gathering.

THE DATE IS JANUARY 14

Governor Authorized to Issue Proclamation for Assembly of Delegates in This City.

By official proclamation Gov. John C. Cutler will soon call for the holding in Salt Lake of a state good roads convention. Its delegates will come from all the cities and counties; its business will be to take counsel one of another on the best way in which to proceed to the making of a great state highway from Logan to St. George.

The unanimity of opinion on the matter of the state's need for better roads is not joined with nearly so much unanimity on the matter of the most expeditious way to get them. This field is that in which most of the discussion at the proposed convention is expected to lie.

A preliminary conference on the mat-

ter of roads convention was held yesterday afternoon in the office of Gov. John C. Cutler. There were present besides Gov. Cutler, Senator Smoot, Congressman Howell, J. E. Cogswell, O. H. Hewlett, C. A. Quigley, C. N. Dan- sie and J. E. Jennings, secretary of the Salt Lake Automobile club.

After an informal discussion, Congressman Howell moved that the governor issue a call for a convention, to be held in Salt Lake Jan. 14, 1909. Gov. Cutler was designated as the official to preside at this convention, and its delegates are to be selected by the mayors of Utah towns, and the presidents of commercial clubs. As honorary delegates the members of the legislature, state and national officials, and mayors of cities, were selected in the motion calling for the convention.

EFFORTS ELSEWHERE

O. H. Hewlett came to the conference with a collection of data on what is being done elsewhere to reinforce his arguments for a state highway. New York, he showed, has recently devoted \$50,000,000 to the improvement of the state highways. California has voted \$18,000,000. Los Angeles county alone has spent \$3,500,000. Minnesota, \$12,000,000, and Colorado is busy on a through state highway.

From this data Mr. Hewlett argued that Utah should bond herself for \$5,000,000 for a through state road from Logan to St. George. "You will appreciate the benefits," he said, "very shortly in the increased settlement. People are not going to settle down in a country which is marooned all winter from its neighbors. A stream of automobiles carrying Salt Lake down to the mid climates of our Dixie country to winter, would indicate what the value of benefits could pass over a main state road."

ONE OBSTACLE

County Commissioner Cogswell laid bare a situation in the county which was rather startling. It was in effect that the people cannot get over 37 per cent of the value out of each dollar that they spend on their roads. This he

explained was because of the cumbersome system that provided for 32 district supervisors, each making road in his own secular way, independent of all the others.

He outlined the list of expenditures for one of the road districts, and gave it as his opinion that the county had received good value for the money spent.

"I would suggest," he urged, "that the matter be taken up and the work of building the roads be placed under the supervision of one man, the state engineer, and all roads be built the same way. The matter of building roads should be taken out of the hands of the county commissioners and given over to someone else, for the men who hold the office—commissioners—are not road builders and cannot get the full worth out of money so expended."

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and it was felt by those who attended that results will come from the proposed mass convention in the nature of a plan for the next legislature to work upon, to be submitted as the desire of the convention.

NON-PARTISAN CONVENTION

Call Issued for Meeting to be Held in Second Municipal Ward.

A call for a non-partisan mass convention to be held in the Second municipal ward, indicates the manner in which a move is already shaping to keep the schools out of politics for another two years. W. A. Leatham, Republican precinct chairman, has called the meeting, joined by Democrats and people not allied to either party, among them being Geo. G. Smith, E. C. Lewis, E. H. Baird, D. B. Mann and Edwin Butterworth.

The present disposition over the city is to return incumbents to the board, the sentiment being especially strong in the Third and First wards, and may take shape in the others.

The convention called for the Second ward is to meet in the Sixteenth ward

amusement hall Wednesday evening, Nov. 18, at 8 p. m., "for the purpose of nominating a candidate for member of the board of education of Salt Lake City for the term of four years, to be voted upon at the school election to be held Dec. 2, 1908."

On the same evening a convention will be held in the First ward, a meeting called for last night having been postponed to that date. C. S. Martin, a member of the board, was renominated last night at the convention in the Ninth ward annex, but it was afterwards decided that on account of the small number present, a more representative gathering would result from wider announcements, for which reason the convention adjourned for a week.

PRESENTS FROM CANDIDATES

In recognition of their services during the recent campaign, the successful Republican candidates last night met at the Commercial club and presented to County Chairman J. T. Eldredge and Secretary Earl Armstrong, souvenirs of the campaign. For Eldredge a leather arm chair was provided, and for Armstrong a diamond watch.

In a neat speech of acceptance County Chairman Eldredge said: "From now on the 150,000 county committee has no functions so far as your offices are concerned. 'As officers of the county and state you are directly responsible to the people for your actions—regardless of party affiliations—and the people of Salt Lake county have the right to hold you accountable for the honest performance of your duties.'"

A leather chair provided for State Chairman E. C. Loose will be sent to Provo, as he was not present last night.

Earl Renshaw was giving his undivided attention to the marching of the

High school band and accompanying students yesterday afternoon, on Main street, as they were marching up and down in celebration of their football victory, and failed to notice that he and his wheel were being shut in between a construction train and a streetcar until too late to escape. Renshaw was struck by the engine and knocked against a pole, but was not seriously hurt, as the engine motorist stopped his machine very quickly.

UNIVERSITY CLUB MUSICALS

The reception rooms of the University club were well filled last night by members and friends of the club to hear the fine musical program presented under the direction of Prof. M. J. Brines, chairman of the music committee of the club. The artists were Prof. Brines, Mrs. Stanley Price and Fred Smith. The program included Bullard's "Hunting Song" for two voices by Messrs. Brines and Smith. Prof. Brines sang a group of songs by von Feltz, and later, he and Mrs. Price sang the Butterfly duo. Mrs. Price also singing an aria from the same opera, and the three giving a fine trio from "Faust." Miss Lorene Leary was the accompanist. Dancing followed the musicals, with music from an orchestra.

SHOT DOWN AND KILLED WHILE MAKING APOLOGY

Nashville, Nov. 12.—A dispatch from Waynesville, N. C., today announces the fatal shooting of David Vaughn, a traveling man of this city, at that place last night, by James Moody, son of former Congressman Moody of that district. The men had some words a few days ago, and meeting on the street last night, Vaughn attempted to apologize to Moody, when the latter shot him down. Vaughn died today. He was a member of one of the most prominent families in this section.

INDICTED FOR CARMACK MURDER

Nashville, Nov. 13.—The grand jury of Davidson county today returned a true bill in which Col. Duncan E. Cooper, his son, Robin Cooper, and ex-Sheriff John D. Sharp are jointly charged with the murder of ex-Senator E. W. Carmack and in which Sharp is also indicted on the charge of being an accessory before the fact. The names of six witnesses appear on the back of the indictment, follows: Mrs. Carey E. Carmack, Mrs. Charles Eastman, Cary Folli, Dr. James Wittenberg, Mrs. Martha Morgan and Miss Mary Skeffington. The Mrs. Carmack in the list is the widow of the former senator. It was Mrs. Eastman to whom Mr. Carmack spoke just before the shooting began. Cary Folli is deputy insurance commissioner and passed along the street near the time of the killing. Mrs. Morgan lives diagonally across from the scene. Dr. Wittenberg runs an optical establishment in the west end of the Arcade through which the Coopers, accompanied by Sharp, are alleged to have passed shortly before the tragedy occurred. Miss Mary Skeffington is state librarian.

There are two counts in the indictment, the first charging the three men jointly with the murder and the second one charging John D. Sharp with being an accessory before the fact.

The name of S. C. Carmack, a brother of the slain man, appears on the indictment as prosecutor.

Physicians attending young Cooper, who was wounded in the shoulder by a ball from Carmack's revolver, said tonight that their patient was doing as well as could be expected. The powder burns on young Cooper's arms are much better, and the wound on his shoulder is healing rapidly. Cooper will in all probability be able to be moved in several days to the county jail.

A NERVOUS BURGLAR.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—A nervous burglar, afflicted with the divine afflatus, scaled the walls of the Hemet Memorial hospital last night via the fire escape, took Dr. W. G. Sachs's belongings and left this verse "together with his old clothes":

"This is a model by which I spend cash
One day of turkey, and six of hash.
Then the burglar walked leisurely down stairs, talked with a guard or two and disappeared."

WARD ENTERTAINMENTS

Eleventh Ward.—A grand vocal and instrumental concert will be given in the Eleventh ward assembly hall on Friday evening, Nov. 20, under the auspices of the Returned Missionary society, in honor of missionaries now in the field. This is an annual affair given for the purpose of raising means to aid in the program. New Zealand missionaries, Irene Done, Alvin Atwood, German quartet, Kitty Bowering, Nellie Penrose-Whitney, H. S. Busign, Winnifred Smith, Morris Andrews and Lorraine Poulton.

Liberty Ward.—There will be a fair in the Liberty ward amusement hall on Nov. 18, 19 and 20. The proceeds of the fair will be used to pay off the indebtedness on the building.

Salt Lake's Greatest Ready-to-Wear Garment House

EXTRA SPECIAL

Children's School Handkerchiefs 5c
Ladies fine linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Each Monday 2 for 5c

"The Paris."

EXTRA SPECIAL

50c Ladies Belts 25c
50c fancy box Writing Paper, best quality 25c
at 10c
20c Writing Paper at the box, Monday 10c
10c Hat Pins, Special 10c

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Of Coats, Suits, Waists, Furs, Skirts, Millinery, Hosiery, Underwear, Gloves, Wrappers, Kimonos

At the Most Unheard of Low Prices ever advertised. The warm weather holding back the selling of winter merchandise is the compelling force that brings about such action. We are determined and nothing will hold us from making this the most notable low price sale in the history of our store. This is an opportunity for every woman in Salt Lake to supply themselves with every article of up-to-date wearing apparel at most substantial and decidedly marked money saving on every purchase.

MILLINERY AT \$4.95

All our \$8 and \$10 Trimmed Hats go at the above ridiculously Low Price at this Great Sale. It is certainly worth your attention. Now is the opportunity. Attend the sale Monday—you'll find just the Hat you want.

\$3.50 Women's Ready-to-Wear Hats at \$1.95
\$4.50 Women's Ready-to-Wear Hats at \$2.45
Young Girls' \$5.00 Trimmed Hats at \$2.95

Extra Special

50c Muslin Drawers, made of good quality material, ruffles and tucks, open or closed, special 19c

Extra Fur Specials

\$15 FUR SET ESPECIALLY PRICED AT \$10.50

Made of extra fine quality French Coney, extra large pillow muff, large cape, offset scarf, entire set lined throughout with skin satin.

\$9.00 FUR SET, SPECIAL \$6.00

Large pillow Muff, extra long throw, lined throughout with skin satin.

\$10.00 Isabella Fox Scarf, special \$7.50
\$5.00 large Rug Muff, special \$3.75

Made of extra fine French Coney and trimmed with head and tails:

\$3.00 Brown Coney Scarf, extra long, at \$1.75
\$3.50 large Brown Coney Muff, large head in center \$1.75

The Largest Line of Children's Coats in all Salt Lake.

Priced away down for quick selling. One lot about twenty-five in all, children's fancy mixtures, ages from 6 to 12 years, regular \$5.50 coats, for Monday only, while they last \$2.95

One lot of young Girls' Coats in the all-wool mixtures and plain colors, nicely trimmed with velvet and braid, ages from 10 to 14 years, fully worth \$5.00, to sell for \$5.95

SALT LAKE'S GREATEST SALE OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COATS.

It's a sale that you cannot afford to miss. It's one of the largest lines of coats that has ever been shown in the city. There are coats for everybody: loose fitting backs, semi-fitting as well as the stunning Empire. All priced at a figure so low as to hardly cover the cost of the material alone. There are coats for the young girls, ages from 6 to 14 years, also for the young ladies from 16 to 20. All colors, all prices. A partial list of prices are mentioned. You'll have to attend the sale to be convinced. Read the following items:

Two Hundred and Fifty Long Coats, Empire, semi-fitting and loose box coats, all nicely trimmed, several different styles. Some full satin lined, others lined to waist. Colors Black, Gray, Brown, Navy, Tan. Sizes from 34 to 44. Special price

for the Greatest Coat Sale at \$9.95

Ladies' Long Kersey Coats, semi-fitting, collars and cuffs trimmed with velvet; colors, Brown, Red, Castor, Black; sizes from 34 to 44, fully worth \$9.50, especially priced for this sale \$5.95

Ladies' Long Semi-fitting Coats, Brown Mixture, velvet and braid trimming to match, regular \$7.50 value. Special for this sale \$4.95

Ladies' long, tight-fitting back, semi-fitting front, Oxford and black stripe effects, velvet collar and button trimmed. Sizes from 34 to 44, regular \$7.50 values, special at \$3.89

Muslin Underwear

Ladies' Skirts, made of good quality material, trimmed with three rows of insertion and lace, deep dust ruffle, Special Monday at 50c

Ladies' Gowns, made of good quality material, yokes and tucks and embroidered ruffle in neck and sleeves. Special at 50c

Ladies' Corset Covers, made of good quality material, handsomely trimmed with lace, insertion and medallions three styles to select from, all sizes. Special while they last at 50c

Ladies' Drawers, made of good quality material, trimmed with tucks and wide embroidery 50c

Ladies' Chemise, made of good quality material, yokes of tucks and embroidery, also embroidered ruffles in neck and sleeves, open in front. Special 50c

Corsets Reduced

Empire Corsets, long and medium lengths, front and side supports. Regular 75c 49c

G. D. Justine Corset, short and medium length. Special at 39c

Children's Bear Skin Bonnets

40c Bonnets, colors red, navy and gray, at this sale 25c

SKIRT SPECIAL \$2.95

Seventy-five in all, regular \$5.00 in the plain and fancy mixtures in the all-wool. A good many large sizes among them. Hurry along.

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Especially priced for this big sale.

Ladies' fleeced cotton union suits, gray only, regular 60c quality. Special, the suit for this sale 39c

Ladies' heavy worsted union suits, gray only, regular 75c quality, to go at 59c

Ladies' mixed wool and cotton vests and tights, colors pink and blue, regular \$1.25 quality, special at 98c

Misses' fine cotton fleeced union suits, cream or white, ages from 2 to 14 years, special for this sale 50c

HOSIERY SPECIALS

Ladies' fine fast black seamless cotton fleeced hose, double heels and toes, special for this sale 15c

Ladies' fine fast black cashmere seamless hose, double heels and toes, special 3 pair for \$1.00

Misses' fine ribbed black cotton fleeced hose, double heels and toes, special the pair 25c

Boys' heavy cotton ribbed fleeced lined hose, double heels and toes, special 3 pair for 50c

ONE LOT OF CHILDREN'S COATS \$1.95

Consisting of Bear Skin, Coney, Astrachan and the plain all-wool cloths. The Bear Skin sizes from 1 to 5 years; others from 1 to 6; colors red, brown, green, navy, tan. This is a great value the prices formerly \$3.00 and \$4.00. We advise an early call.

Our Entire Line of Evening Costumes at One-fourth Off

Handsomely and exquisitely fashioned in the modified Directoire and Empire Effect, the body of the costumes trimmed with lace and also the full length. Mosquaire sleeves.

\$22.50 Evening Costumes at \$16.85
\$25.00 Evening Costumes at \$18.75
\$27.50 Evening Costumes at 20.65
\$30.00 Evening Costumes at 22.50
\$32.50 Evening Costumes at 24.40
\$35.00 Evening Costumes at 26.25
\$37.50 Evening Costumes at 28.10
\$40.00 Evening Costumes at 30.00
\$42.50 Evening Costumes at 31.85
\$45.00 Evening Costumes at 33.75
\$47.50 Evening Costumes at 35.60
\$50.00 Evening Costumes at 37.50
\$52.50 Evening Costumes at 39.35
\$55.00 Evening Costumes at 41.25
\$57.50 Evening Costumes at 43.10
\$60.00 Evening Costumes at 45.00

Extra Special

50c Corset Covers, made of fine quality muslin, lace and insertion trimming, special at 19c

Flannelette Night Dresses

Ladies' Flannelette Dresses, made of good quality material in the plain and fancy stripes. Made extra full and long, are priced especially for this big sale.

75c Gowns \$1 Gowns \$1.25 Gowns

To sell for— To sell for— To sell for—

59c 79c 89c

Flannelette Petticoats

Four extra specials for this big sale are made of fine soft fleeced material, extra good width—they come in the fancy stripe, the solid, pink and white, also the polka dots, all made extra full and good length, priced as following for this big sale.

45c Skirts 75c Skirts

Special at— 59c

65c Skirts \$1.25 Skirts

Special at— 89c

Golf Glove Special

A large assortment of Ladies' and Misses' 30c and 35c Golf Gloves, especially priced for this sale at 19c

One lot Children's Mittens, all sizes, all colors. Special, for 5c