Want advertising furnishes you "the answer" to the little "real riddle," even though it is a hard one.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1906. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

FIFTY-SIXTH YEAR.

# **ROOSEVELT DOUBTS** CHINA'S GOOD FAITH

Given Assurances Not in Keeping With Acts of Pekin Authorities.

RECALL ANTE BOXER TACTICS.

State Department Advising Mission Boards to Bring in All Missionaries.

U. S. Consuls Warning Americans Sitnation is Such as to Warrant Them In Taking Precautions to Fly.

Chicago, Feb. 26 .- A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says:

President Roosevelt has grown suspicious of the good faith of the Chinese government as a result of the policy of duplicity which it seems to be pursuing. He has been given assurances through Minister Rockhill which are not in keeping with the acts of the Pekin author. .es.

Apparently there has been adopted at the Chnese capital tacties such as were observed in 1900 prior to the Boxer outbreak. The diplomatic corps was told then in the most positive manner that the reports of a general uprising were without foundation, and that the government had taken ample measures to suppress local disturbances and to prevent injury to life and property. The result of this rep-resentation was the failure of foreign powers to take action for the protec-tion of their subjects and interests un-

tion of their subjects and interests until it was too late.

The administration sees in the present situation a parallel to that which existed prior to the outbreak with this single and important difference, that the present unrest is not confined to two provinces in the north but prevails all over the empire.

The state department is advising mission boards to bring in all missionaries stationed in outlying districts, inaccessible to warships or troops, and place them at points where they can be protected. Rear Admiral Train, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic fleet, is giving similar advice to the missionaries themselves.

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United States consuls are also warning missionaries and other Americans that the situation is of such a character as to warrant them in taking precautions to fly to points of safety the moment the disorders break out. Neither the navy nor the navy de-partment is abating its efforts to be ready to act the moment the president

AMERICAN MISSIONS DESTROYED.

Washington, Feb. 26,-Consul-Gen Rodgers at Shanghai cabled the state department under today's date that the American mission stations at Nan chang and Kienze have been destroyed. The probable cause is local. The tele gram received from those points states that 14 American missionaries at thospiaces escaped, but the Kingham fami ly, English, two adults and two children, are reported to have been killed The American gunboat El Cano at Nanking, has been ordered to proceed immediately to Kinkiang where she will probably arrive by Wednesday. The scene of the trouble is about 400 miles

up the Yang Tse river.

A later dispatch from Mr. Rodgers received today at the state department says that the island British missions are reported to be safe.

A cablegram from Commander Fletcher, the senior officer of the Ra-leigh at Shanghai, received at the navy department today, confirms substanti-ally Consul-Gen. Rodgers' report.

NO NEWS IN PEKIN.

Pekin, Feb. 26.—The American Methodist mission has a station at Nan-chang. No news of the missionaries has been received at Pekin. It is supposed that they escaped to Kiukiang,

## ANTI-STANDARD OIL CASE.

Kansas\_City, Feb. 26.—Herbert Hadlye, attorney-general of Missou and Rush C. Lake, assistant attorney-general, left here today for Oklahoma City to take depositions for use in the case against the proceedings to oust the Standard Oil and allied companies from this state.

## WHY JAPS ARE SMALL.

Sadazuchi Uchida Explains It's Because of an Ancient Fashion.

New York, Feb. 26 .- Custom is responsible for the comparatively small stature of the Japanese race, in the opinion of Sadazuchi Uchida, Japanese consul in New York. Fashion ruled ut 300 years ago that in sitting upon a mat one's feet must be crossed be-heath and behind the body instead of being crossed in front of the body, as had been the custom for untold gen-

erations, "Pictures of our forefathers of four "Pictures of our forefathers of four or five hundred years ago," said Mr. Ucaida last night, "show that they were considerably taller than my people are now, and invariably they are pictured as sitting with their legs beneath the body, which fact is, I think, more responsible for the smaller stature of the race than lack of sufficient nour-islument or of food of a room quality as sliment or of food of a poor quality, as Baron Takaki said in Philadelphia.

Proof of the correctness of this thecry is found in the remarkable increase in stature of our young men since we began to use seats in the schools instead of mattings. It is not at all un-usual nowadays to see men 20 or 25 years old more than 6 feet tail, and the next generation will doubtless see

their number greatly increased."
"But I cannot see," he added, "where any great advantage is to be gained by having a race of six-footers. It is the brain that counts. A man six feet tall cannot aim a gun any better than one t, for instance, and now that of fighting at close range is

practically past, I cannot see where any advantage is to be gained in mll-ltary strength at any rate.

front, the Japanese are consciously making every possible effort in that direction. Various departments of the government, especially the department of education, are working together to this end, and within a comparatively few years there is hardly a doubt that several inches will be added to the average height of the Japanese."

#### MORLEY SIDES WITH **CURZON AGAINST KITCHENER**

London, Feb. 26.—John Morley's first official act as secretary for India has been to intervene in the thorny dispute which led to the resignation of Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the former viceroy. His decision, as indicated by dispatches just published, is strongly in favor of upholding the supremacy of the civil government in Indian military matters, which confirms the view taken by Lord Curzon as against Gen Lord Kitchener. In amending the proposal of the present viceroy, the Earl of Minto, as inspired by the late government, Mr. Morley takes the line of least resistance, and his decision is approved by most of the London morning newspapers. The Daily Telegraph, however, doubts whether this arrangement will compose a controversy and workley admitted by ment will compose a controversy and problem admittedly of great difficulty and considers that Lord Kitche in ought to be paramount.

#### THOMAS RENOMINATED FOR POSTMASTER AT SALT LAKE

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Feb. 26 .-- The president today renominated Arthur L. Thomas for another term as postmaster at Salt Lake, Gov. Thomas would have been named to succeed himself a month ago but for charges filed by a disgruntled former employe of the office. As announced in these dispatches last week, the department caused these charges to be fully investigated with the result that Thomas was completely exonerated. The only effect therefore will be to give him an additional month as postmaster for his four-years term which will begin from date of his year compression.

four-years term which will begin from date of his new commission.

Senator Smoot from the committee on pensions today reported granting a pension of \$12 a mon'h to Mrs. M. S. Groff, widow of J. J. Groff, and \$2 for her minor child.

Corydon H. Bevans has been appointed regular, and William M. Bevans substitute rural carrier route.

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#### THE STEUNENBERG SUSPECTS

None Will be Called Before Grand Jury At Caldwell Until Tomorrow.

Bolse, Idaho, Feb. 26 .- None of the suspects under arrest in connection with the Steunenberg assassination was taken to Caldwell today, and none of them will be called before the grand jury until tomorrow, Floyd R. Thompson, secretary of the Western Mine Owners' association, has arrived here from Cripple Creek, Colorado, and will appear before the grand jury to identify the prisoners. Mr. Thompson today stated that Harry Orchard's wife, who lives at Independence, Colorado, has denied that the man under arrest here is her husband. The preliminary examination of Moyer, Haywood, Petti-bone and Adams, which was set for tomorrow, will be postponed pending the proceedings before the grand jury.

The attorneys representing the West ern Federation of Miners continue to complain of the treatment accorded their clients at the state penitentiary. They are imprisoned under the same regulations, the lawyers say, as govern in the keeping of convicts. The electric lights have been taken out of their cells, and candles substituted. was done, it is stated, to lessen the opportunity for suicide.

The condition of Harry Orchard, which last week caused the prosecution some anxiety, has so far improved that his recovery seems certain. He is now without fever.

## MITCHELL ON STRIKE.

Endorses Opinion That There Will Not Be a General One April I.

New York, Feb. 26.-John Mitchell, resident of the United Mine Workers f America, today endorsed the opinion that there will be no general strike of coal miners on April 1 next, which was given out last night in Indianapolis by Vice President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine Workers. President Mitchell said:

"I guess that is right."

#### ROOSEVELT SENDS CON-GRATULATIONS TO KAISER.

Berlin, Feb. 26,-Ambassador Tower today presented President Roosevelt's message congratulating the German emperor and empress on their silver wedding anniversary. The emperor, in expressing his thanks, mentioned the wedding of, Alice Roosevelt to Mr. Longworth and the marriage of the Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenberg to Prince Eitel-Frederick, which occurs tomorrow, and said he hoped these young people would be as happy as he and the empress had been.

## MIKKELSEN'S EXPEDITION

Preparations Well Advanced and He May Leave for West Tonight.

May Leave for West Tonight.

New York, Feb. 26.—Capt, Ejnar Mikkelsen's preparations for his arctic expetition to the north of this continent nave advanced so far that he will probably leave New York tonight for Chicago and San Francisco, His siedges and supplies are arriving from England, and on the Pacific coast he will purchase the vessel he needs for his two years' work. On his arrival here Capt, Mikkelsen was confronted with an unexpected difficulty. The Royal Geographical society and a few individuals had provided him with ampie funds for the equipment of a small experition. His supplies and other equipment were prepared under his personal supervision, and he had made arrangements to be taken north on one of the whalers that leave San Francisco every season for the Alaskan coast and the mouth of the Mackenzie. Unfortuately, it of these whalers were frozen in the tee on the arctic coast just as they were preparing to return home. Only two whalers will leave San Francisco this year, and neither of them would engage to land Mikkelsen at his destination. tances of money in the shape of money oders, checks and cash. As the letter box at the postoffice had been found unlocked two or three times, the police were notified of the occurrences, and a lookout was kept for the guilty party. Saturday the officers arrested a 15-year-old boy named Harry Persell, upon whom was found a key to the box and who admitted that he had for some time been plifering his employers' mail. Checks and money or ders he destroyed, and only cash went into his pockets. This, he said, amounted to 340. The boy will probably be handled by the federal court, as the offense is against the United States postal laws. The widowed mother and a sister of the accused reside in Sait Lake.

them would engage to such a service his destination.

A few days after his arrival here Capt. Mikkelsen laid his plans before the American Geographical society, with a statement of the unexpected situation in which he was placed.

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After due consideration the society decided to present to him the entire sum required to enable him to leave for the north-on the part of the Japanese to increase tasis stature is beyond question. By returning to the use of chairs, which were common a few hundred years ago, and even by reverting to the old custom of sitting with the legs crossed in

## Bold Charges Made and Grand Jury Asked For

Scathing and Serious Arraignment Made by Ex-Mayor Glasmann of Ogden Against District Attorney George Halverson-Latter, Smarting Under Assault, Asks for Impaneling of Grand Jury.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, Feb. 26 .- What promises to be one of the biggest sensations Ogden has known for a long time, was sprung here yesterday morning and today, growing out of the serious charges made by Ex-Mayor William Glasmann against District Attorney George Halverson. The charges were made publicly, in the Ogden Examiner, yesterday morning, and over the signature of Ex-Mayor Glasmann.

Several articles appeared, all charging Halverson with grave offenses. One of the articles is headed: "Why Are Minor Offenders Punished While Brutal Criminals Go Free?" It is charged that Halverson has allowed murderers, robbers, bounty fraud thieves, forgers and perjurers to go free, while from mo-tives of malice he has prosecuted counclimen for "taking money for honest

District Attorney Halverson is smarting under the wholesale denunciation, and when seen this morning, stated

Will Make Further Concessions to

French Views on Moroccan

Question.

Emperor and Chancellor Von Buelow

Do Not Want Serious Situation

To Drift.

Berlin, Feb. 26 .- The German govern-

ment has decided to make a further

concession to the French views on the

Moroccan question provided France

will also yield something. The extent

of Germany's proposals will become

known only at Algedias, where they

will be communicated to the French

delegates. Emperor William and

Chancellor von Buelow, it is under-

stood, would rather make an effort to

reconcile the French aims and Ger-

many's interests than allow the serious

Some effort has been made here by

certain small financiers to create a

war scare out of the emperor's reply

generals yesterday on the occasion of

his majesty's silver wedding, in which the emperor remarked that he prayed

God that war would not come, but if i

came he was convinced that the army would acquit itself as efficiently as it

did 35 years ago.

The tone of the boerse was not affected by these reports, although the mar-

ket was weaker owing to the uncer tainty over the effect of the new Ger

man tariff and the commercial treaties

CASTRO'S NEXT MOVE.

Will be to Ask U. S. to Arbitrate the

Trouble With France.

Willemstad, Island of Curacoao, Feb.

26.—It is learned from official sources at Caracas, Venezuela, that President Castro's next move in the French ques-

tion will be to call upon the United

States to arbitrate the question of the amount of damage done by France in permitting the filibustering steamer

Ban Righ at Fort de France, Island of Martinique, to prey upon Venezuelan commerce, and transport troops during

the Matos revolt.

The United States claim against Great Britain in the case of the Alabama will be cited as a precedent.

ASSEMBLY TO MEET MAY 10

St. Petersburg, Feb. 26.-An imperial ukase was issued today announcing that the national assembly will meet May 10.

AN HONORED MAN DEAD.

Moses Franklin Farnsworth of Manti

Died Last Night.

(Special to the "News.")

Manti, Feb. 26 .- Manti lost one of her

best known and respected citizens last

night at 11 o'clock when Moses Frank-

lin Farnsworth died after a serious ill-

Mr. Farnsworth was born in Edin-burg, Ind., Feb. 5, 1835. He joined the

Church in 1854. He came here from St. George in 1888, and since coming here

has been head recorder in the temple

He leaves a large family. Arrange-ments for the funeral have not been

STOLE FROM EMPLOYER.

More Serious Because Money Was Tak-

en From Postoffice.

For some time past the management of

Auerbach' store has been greatly puzzled

over the non-arrival of expected remit-

tances of money in the shape of money

ness of some time.

completed as yet.

RUSSIAN NATIONAL

going into effect March 1.

situation to drift.

CONCILIATORY.

IF FRANCE WILL DO LIKEWISE. PROF. EBAUGH ALSO SPOKE.

GERMANY IS

that he regarded the arraignment as most grave, and said he had asked Judge Howell that a grand jury be empaneled at once to investigate the accusations which, he says, are too serious to parmit to go unchallenged, Judge Howell has taken the matter under advisament, but it is believed that the Howell has taken the matter under advisement, but it is believed that the grand jury will be called to investigate the matter. Among numerous other charges made by Glasmann against Halverson is that, some time ago, a woman was arrested by the chief of police for robbing a man of \$1,500. It is charged in the Examiner articles that Halverson permitted this woman to go scott free after she had returned the stolen money. It is then alleged that the man from whom the money was stolen, received only about half of the money given back by the woman.

Mayor Glasmann reviews at some length, the proceedings against the city councilmen, charged with misap-propriating city funds, and he defends the councilmen, claiming that Halver-

the councilmen, claiming that Halver-son, in assisting in the prosecution, has done and is doing so maliciously. Some of the articles are couched in decidedly strong language. It is charged that a man who beat another to death, actual-

DEAN PENNIMAN

Institution This Morning

At Devotional.

And the Student Athletes Received a

High Complement From the

President.

Dean Penniman of the college de-

partment of the University of Pennsyl-

vania was a visitor at the Latter-day

Saints' university this morning, and

certain phases of that institution. He

"Light of Some Modern Explorations,"

DR. PENNIMAN'S REMARKS.

The doctor began by telling of the

difference he observed here and in the

University of Pennsylvania. The latter,

he said, is not a co-educational insti-

tution. He had therefore in his work

in the university very little to do with

college girls-nor with any other sort,

for that matter. This remark created

a ripple of laughter and applause, which

was repeated more enthusiastically

when the doctor went on to say that

this reminded him of the man who said

he had five children, and that half of

them were girls. How that could be

people were wondering, till he informed

them that all were girls. Pennsylva-

nia is precisely similar, the doctor re-

marked, only that her children are practically all boys. The University, he said, was afraid to admit girls lest

so many would enter that they could not be managed.

experience could never include.

PROF. PAUL ON ATHLETICS.

I wish to say, said Prest. Paul, some thing definite, and, in my way of think-ing, something highly complimentary, of the basket ball team and their train-

er, Instructor Milne. As you know, they have won the last two games they played, and all but won the recent

game with the state champions. They lost the latter game by only two points,

and these were two points awarded to their opponents by the referee because of the conduct of some of the onlookers.

But what I wish to say of our boys is this: Though in height and weight they are by far outclassed as compared

with most of the teams they are play-ing against, yet in the true science of

the game and in physical condition they seem to be superior to any of their op-ponents. It is this fact of which I am

proud in relation to our boys. They show the true effects of real training

-team-work and endurance. Of course

it is a satisfaction to win, but winning counts mostly for outside show, and

often some trifling accident or perhaps the physical condition of a single play-er. We are also proud of the fact that

er. We are also proud of the fact that our players are all students, well abreast of their class work and in no sense delinquents. Not the least noteworthy is the fact that one of these players has recently been elected by the votes of his fellow-students to the position of president of the student-body.

Clyde Lindsay is a real student and every inch a gentleman. (Prolonged applause.) His associates on the team are

f similar quality. Clyde Lindsay was then called upon

ly committed murder, was "permitted to escape punishment" by Halverson. Reference was made to the fact that Chief of Police Browning was interviewed on the matter of the robbery referred to. He stated, according to the article, that the robbery was not committed during his administration as chief of police, and further than that recused to discuss the case.

When Mr. Halverson asked Judge Howell to Issue an order for a grand fury, the court summoned Chief Browning. Capit. Brown. Detective Pender. Sheriff Balley and Deputy Sheriff Sebring before him, and requested them to meet with the court in executive session this evenence at 7:30 o'clock, and make an explanation of what they may or may not know about the case involved.

It is believed, though that a grand.

It is believed, though, that a grand jury will not be impaneled until the city auditor has finished auditing the city books.

The appearance of the articles in the

Examiner has stirred up the city from center to circumference, and the grave charges so boldly made are being almost exclusively discussed in business and official circles today.

## ARGUMENTS HEARD AT THE L. D. S. U. IN TYREE CASE.

Addressed the Students of that Judge Powers Read Extensievly From Reports Bearing On Points.

SAID INSTRUMENT WAS GOOD.

Declared Action Had Been Brought in The Wrong Way-Offense, if Any, A Misdemeanor, He Said.

The hearing of the case against Hiram Tyree was resumed before Judge C. B. Diehl this forenoon, Judge Powers sent word that owing to the fact that was much interested in the work and he had a suit to conduct in the supreme court, he could not be in attendwas accompanied by Prof. Ebaugh of ance at the city court until later in the University of Utah, who announced the forenoon. A recess was taken unthe lecture on the Old Testament in the til 11 o'clock. At the hour named the court re-

tonight in the free library, by Dr. Penconvened. Assistant County Attorney Job Lyon asked that his honor pass Dr. Penniman was introduced to the upon the introduction as evidence of d students by President Paul, Life Insurance company for 1904, and and he delivered a brief, thoughtful adhe was advised that the report would be received.

Judge Powers submitted a Utah re

port of the company for 1905, prepared, he said, with the assistance of the Utah state secretary's office, and requested that the same be accepted as evidence Mr. Lyon objected, on the ground that the report for 1905 had nothing to do with the report for 1904. The objec-tion was sustained.

Judge Powers resumed the line argument pursued by him before the adjournment of court on Saturday. Counsel read extensively from state reports, bearing upon points set forth by him as to why his client should be discharged. The first of these was that the document filed by the de fendant was not a "false and forged" instrument, but was a "genuine" re-port, as testified to by the secretary of Secondly, if an offense had been committed, action should be taken un-der the provisions of the insurance laws enacted by the Legislature of Utah, After submitting a number of authorities, Judge Powers asked for the dismissal of his client, for the follow-

not be managed.

The doctor proceeded to tell how limited life would be were it not for the fact that through the study of records we are enabled to live, as it were, in the ancient world and to realize the life of distant countries and peoples; to know what Shakepseare knew, simply by a study of what he wrote; and to enlarge our own confined experience till it comprehends much that individual experience could never include. First, that the state had not shown probable cause for the holding of de fendant to the district court. Second, that the statute under which the defendant is being tried does not cover the offense alleged against him, namely, that the accused had filed a "false and forged" instrument.

Third, that the insurance laws of the

State of Utah provide a penalty for the infraction of its provisions; and that the offense in this case, if an offense had been committed, is a mis-demeanor and not a felony, as charge i in the complaint,

in the complaint.

Mr. Lyon stated that owing to the lateness of the hour, he did not wish to begin his argument until the afternoon, as it lacked but a few minutes of the hour of adjournment. A recess was accordingly taken until 2:30, at which hour the assistant county attorney be gan his argument in behalf of the

## NO SUCCESSOR YET.

No Hurr'y Over Naming of Man to Take Place of Colonel Geoghegan.

The date fixed by Col. Joseph Geoghagan as the latest time he could continue to serve as acting adjutant general of the national guard of Utah, expires Wednesday, but as yet no agreement seems to have been reached as to his successor. A meeting of the Salt Lake officers, with whom Gov. Cutler has promised to leave the matter of choospromised to leave the matter of choosing a successor, was hell yesterday, but it is stated that no names were formally discussed. It was decided, however, that the guard need not be in a great hurry, as the duties of the office can easily be performed by the senior officer for a time, and this will give an opportunity for the guardsmen to better investigate the signation and formulate. investigate the situation and formulate plan for future action.
The names of Col. Willard Young. Ray C. Naylor, and Sam Purk are talked of most generally as available material, and it is probable that the names

Richard P. Merris this morning. Mayor | Weber ....... 86

Morris returned to Salt Lake yesterday morning from Portland, where he went in company with Fisher Harris 10 days ago, with the object of attending a ser-jes of See America league meetings, the first to be called after the conference in Salt Lake in which the league was or-ganized ganized, "At Portland," said Mayor Morris,

there were two meetings, both well at-tended, and in fact every meeting on tended, and in fact every meeting on the coast was a large one. After leav-ing Pertland we went to Seattle, then to Victoria. British Columbia, and then back to Tacoma for the last meeting, which was held the night I left. Mr. Morris went on from Tacoma to Spo-kane where he speaks tonight, while I came direct from Tacoma, leaving Thursday night."

#### MR. METCALF RETURNS.

Says Finances for the League Are Commencing to Pour This Way.

At the See America office Chief of Pub licity Metcalf is again at his desk, after an absence of a few days. Mr. Metcalf went to Pueblo and returned with Mrs. Metcair and child, Mrs. Metcair comes Metcaif and child. Mrs. Metcaif comes to Salt Lake to become a permanent resident, provided this city is retained as the See America headquarters, and it is probable that Mr. Metcaif will also make this city the place of publication of the "Western Homeseeker" of which he is editor, although no announcement has yet been made on the subject.

A letter was received this morning from Funk and Wagnalls, stating that a handsomely bound copy of the Standard dictionary had been forwarded, with a stand and fixtures, for the league offices, the dictionary to be presented with the publishers' best wishes.

Finances for the league are coming in from commercial organizations throughout the United States, each one of those represented at the recent conference sending checks for \$50. A contribution from the local Merchants and Manufacturera' association was voted at a meeting Saturday night.

#### SCHIFF ORGAN RECITAL.

Prof. McClellan Gives Fine Program For Noted Financier and Party.

Jacob Schiff and party were given a

special organ recital in the Tabernacle

this morning at 9:30 o'clock, by Prof.

McClellan. Rabbi Freund accompanied

the party, and they were escorted from the bureau of information to the Tabernacle by Elder Benjamin Goddard. The party occupied the rear gallery, where they could hear to the best advantage. The organist played the church scene from the "Cavaleria Rusticana," Baptist's "Communion in G," "When the Swallows Homeward Fiy" (as the old melody), the "Divine Evening Star" and the "Pligrims' Chorus" from "Tannhauser," and "Die Wacht Am Rhein." As the latter selection was played, the party rose to their feet. The performer was at his best, and his efforts were happy and effective, both in registration and execution; and the party, after walking over to the organ console, warmly congratulated The party occupied the rear gallery, organ console, warmly congratulated Prof. McClellan on his achievement. They spent some time listening to explanations about the great instrument, and expressed their admiration both of the same and for the remarkable acceptate of the building. The coustic properties of the building. The ladies in particular thanked the or-ganist for what they declared was one of the pleasantest experiences of their trip. Mrs. Schiff said the Tabernacle organ reminded her very much of the instrument at Lubern, Switzerland, And instrument at Lubert, Switzerland, And it may be remarked here, that Mrs. Schiff gave half a million dollars to-wards the establishment of an institution in New York, of which Dr. Frank Damrosch is the head, for the educa-tion of promising young American exe-cutants by bringing noted instructors over to this country from Europe to teach them here, instead of their havng to cross the ocean to finish their nusical education

Musical education.

After registering their names, and listening to the dropping of the pin, the party repaired to their special train and left for San Francisco, whence they will sail shortly for Japan.

## "WILDCAT" WHISKY.

Three Washington County Young Men Are Given 30 Days and \$100 Fine.

Roswell De Mill, Jesse De Mill and

Byron Millet, three young men who reside at Rockville, Washington county, Utah, appeared today in the federal court and entered pleas of guilty to a charge of maintining an illicit distillery in the neighborhood of their home town. The accused were arrested Nov. 30, 1905. charged with two offenses, first, of conspiracy, consisting of the setting up of the unlawful concern, with intent to defraud the government. As it was shown that the "still" had an existence before the defendants had anything to do with it, the charge was withdrawn. To the other charge they pleaded guilty, as stated, and were sentenced to serve a term of 30 days in the county jail, and to pay a fine of \$100 each. The costs of the suit are to be borne equally with the county and they will be conby the three men, and they will be con-fined in the jail of Salt Lake county, the sentence taking effect today. The case of Ralph M. Kellogg versus Prove Mining company

gued in the circuit court today, upon the testimony taken before the examin-er, and was submitted for decision.

## MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.

Utah Making Good Record in Small Number of the Latter.

Utah is making a good record for divorce, as is evident from the facts as compiled by State Statisticion Price, showing that the number of divorces granted in this state last year was only per cent of the number of marriages that were solemnized in the same time. The total number of divorces was 312 as against 3.968 marriages, Grand, Iron, Rich and San Juan counties had no divorces last year. It is chaimed that the divorces in the country at large average is per cent of the marriages. The figures by counties are as follows, one county alone, Kans, not having been heard from: Divor- Mar

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# YOUNG BABE HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

Gasoline Explosion Causes Concern and Takes it Close To Death.

#### SAVED BY FRIGHTENED WOMAN

Fire Department Called to Residence Where the Flames Did Only a Nominal Damage.

Was at Beer Home on Fourth East Street Where Child Had Been Left by a Neighbor.

A blaze that did not amount to much from a damage point of view, but which came very nearly costing the life of a little child occurred about 10 o'clock this morning at 37 Fourth East street, A Mrs. Beer, who resides in part of the double frame house belonging to the Donaldson estate, emptied a quantity of gasoline into a tub containing clothes which she was about to wash. She stepped outside the house for a moment, and upon returning closed the door rather hard. The draft thus occasioned caused the gasoline to be ignited by the stove, which was near by. Instantly there was an explosion. and he house was filled with flame.

CARRIED INTO OPEN AIR.

A lady living next door had left her little one was in the room where the accident happened. Mrs. Beer selzed the child and fled to the open air. After safely depositing the baby, although its hair was singed and its face red from the flame, the dazed woman forgot what she had done with it, and fran-ticelly imagined that it was still in the burning house. It was some time be-fore she could be calmed and pacified.

DAMAGE ONLY NOMINAL.

In the meantime the fire department had arrived upon the scene, and the biaze was quickly under control. The damage to the building and its contents did not exceed \$75.

### THE LAST SAD RITES.

Imposing and Largely Attended Funeral Services for Mrs. Walter J. Lewis.

A most eloquent tribute was that paid to the memory of Mrs. Emily Lewis, wife of Walter J. Lewis, when friends gathered by the hundreds in the Sixteenth ward meetinghouse at noon yesterday, to pay their last respects to one whom they dearly loved in mortality.

The large auditorium was thronged.

The large auditorium was thronged to its capacity by those who had known and honored her in life time and who were there to sympathize with the bereaved husband and grief-stricken children and other relatives. Representatives of the Cambrian association, stake and local Relief societies, Primary associations and Religion classes were in attendance, and floral offerings, both heautiful and numerous, covered the stand and the casket in which the remains of the deceased in which the remains of the deceased

The services were presided over by The services were presided over by Eishop Edwin F. Parry, and the opening prayer was offered by Patriarch Angus M. Cannon. The following speakers addressed the vast congregation, in the order naned: Elders C. W. Penrose, George R. Emery, D. L. Davis, W. N. Williams, Edward T. Ashton, Edwin F. Parry and Nephi L. Morris. Nearly all of the speakers were not only acquainted, but intimate friends and associates of Mrs. mate friends and associates of Mrs. Lewis and her husband. All testified to her worth as a woman, and ex-pressed deep sympathy for the family and others who were called upon to

mourn. The music was furnished by the ward choir, led by George W. Timpson, Edna H. Coray, organist. Mrs. son, Edna H. Coray, organist. Mrs. Bessle Newman sang most feelingly the solo, "Some Day We'll Understand," and a quartet composed of Messrs. Timpson, Spry, Bywater and Winter, sang "Not Dead but Sleepeth." Benediction was pronounced by Elder Rudger Clawson. A large concourse followed the body to its final resting place in the family burial plot in the city centetery, where the quartet sang. "When the Swallows Homeward Fly," and where the flower govered grave was dedicated by Elder George R. Emery. ered grave was of George R. Emery.

## FEMALES AHEAD THIS TIME.

Report of Salt Lake Board of Health For the Week Ending Feb. 24.

There were 23 births reported during the week; 9 males and 14 females; 21 deaths were reported, 13 males and

females.
There were 38 cases of contagious diseases reported, consisting of 25 cases of smallpox; 1 case of scarlet fever; I case of diphtheria; 1 case of measles; 5 cases of chicken pox; 3 cases of whooping cough; 1 case of tuberculosis and 1 case of typhoid fever. There are remaining in the fever. There are remaining in the isolation hospital 17 cases of smallpox: 15 cases of smallpox and 1 case of scarlet fever under quarantine.

## OFFICER AND PRISONER.

On Way to Nevada Were Detained by Ogden Police.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, Feb. 26 .- When Sheriff W. J. Murphy of Austin, Lander county, Nev., arrived here this morning from Chicago, having in his custody one James E. Finnegan, charged with obtaining money by means of false pretenses, the shoriff and prisoner were stopped and taken from the train to the courthouse by Deputy Sheriff Sebring and Sergeant taken from the train to the courthouse by Deputy Sheriff Schring and Sergeant Chambers. The Nevada officer was stopped by a writ of habeas corpus, and the matter will have to be fought out in the courts here before the sheriff can take his prisoner back to Austin. It is said that Finnegan escaped from Nevada and went to Chicago, Sheriff Murphy secured regulation papers and went after him. He caught the man and started home with him, but the day after leaving the requisition papers were revoked. The matter will be heard by Judge Howeli on Wednesday mornby Judge Howell on Wednesday morn-

#### Clyde Lindsay was then called upon and gave an account of the games, the students applauding his modest and clear description of the playing of his of one of these men provided he will accept, will be forwarded to the governor a within a short time. THIS EVENING'S LECTURE. EX-MAYOR MORRIS HOME. After Dean Penniman's lecture this Returns From Pacific Coast "See evening, in Library hall, a banquet will be given him at the University club, America" Trip With Fisher Harris, when he will speak on "Franklin and His University." The distinguished vis-His University. The see America movement is certainiter called at the High school and State university today, and temorrow will ly a live issue among the people on the uriversity today, and temorrow will visit the L. D. S. and Brigham Young Pacific coast, declared former Mayor