DESERET EVENING NEWS.

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CONDITIONS AT DESERET.

Good Opening to Homeseekers, with Cheap Land and Plenty of Water.

Charles H. Wilkins is just up from Deseret in Millard county, where he has been the past few days looking into repairs on the big reservoir which has done so much towards the reclamation of arid lands in that section. The reservoir has its source of supply in the Sevier river and will hold 16,000 acre feet of water thus affording an abundance for irrigating the lands of Deseret, Hinckley, Abraam and vicinity.

Mr. Wilkins says the crops are looking well, made so by the ample water supply which is now an assured permanency. There is a good opening, he says, for homeseekers and land can be had on very reasonable terms. The people are highly pleased with their outcome in farming this season, and everything seems to be prospering. Mr. Wilkins will return in a day or two, to complete repairs on the reservoir.

REDUCTION OF INTEREST.

Salt Lake City, Utah,
August 3rd, 1898.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that it will, on October 1st, 1898, reduce the interest on savings deposits to four per cent per annum, payable quarterly.

ZION'S SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY,
I. S. Joseph
Salt Lake City, Utah.

LABOR DAY AT SALTAIR.

"Labor Day," Sept. 5th, Will be a Great Day at Saltair.

The Federation of Labor has contracted with the Saltair company for the day, and for every ticket you purchase you assist every organization under the federation. The source of the authorized committee for "Labor Day" are as follows:

Hugh McLean.
Fred DeWitt.
Fred W. Evans.
J. C. Hayes.
Manly Wardell.
Joseph Ward.

A fine program is being prepared, the best speakers and the best singers and the best music will be there. Games and sports of all kinds will be given. The place to celebrate Labor Day is Saltair.

The Workers of the World are the real kings and queens of earth, and the place to bring such people and such an organization as the Federation Trades is Saltair.

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Salt Lake & Los Angeles Railway Company.

TIME CARD IN EFFECT June 12, 1898.

Trains Leave. Salt Lake.	Trains Arrive. Salt Lake.
10:30 a. m.	1:00 p. m.
2:15 p. m.	4:35 p. m.
6:15 p. m.	8:45 p. m.
8:35 p. m.	*9:45 p. m.
7:35 p. m.	10:45 p. m.

*Sundays last train leaves Saltair 9:35 p. m.

Garfield Beach Trains.

Effective Wednesday, June 22nd.
Will on Trains as follows:

Leave Salt Lake.	Arrive Garfield.	Leave Garfield.	Arrive Salt Lake.
10:00 a. m.	11:00 a. m.	1:00 p. m.	2:00 p. m.
10:30 a. m.	11:30 a. m.	1:30 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
11:00 a. m.	12:00 m.	2:00 p. m.	3:00 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	2:00 p. m.	3:00 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	3:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	5:00 p. m.	6:30 p. m.	7:30 p. m.
5:30 p. m.	6:30 p. m.	8:00 p. m.	9:00 p. m.
7:00 p. m.	8:00 p. m.	9:30 p. m.	10:30 p. m.

*Daily except Sunday.

Round trip only 25c. Boating, bathing, dancing. Olson's Orchestra.

Depot, corner First South and Fourth West.

SALT LAKE AND OGDEN RAILWAY.

Daily Time Table in effect May 29, 1898.

Leave A. M.	Arrive A. M.	Leave P. M.	Arrive P. M.
7:00	10:40	1:00	4:40
8:00	11:40	2:00	5:40
9:00	12:40	3:00	6:40
10:00	1:40	4:00	7:40
11:00	2:40	5:00	8:40
12:00	3:40	6:00	9:40
		7:00	10:40

Excursions to Lagoon and return, including admission, 50c.

Dancing every Tuesday and Saturday night. Saltair cars.

Round trip to Brigham, including bath, 75c.

H. B. CLARK, General Manager.
Kenon Hawkesworth, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

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AWFUL TALES OF SUFFERING.

Shocking Stories of Distress Told by Soldiers Returning from the Front.

Regiments Who Never Saw the Enemy Endured More Agony Than if They Had Fought Through a Campaign.

Denver Post: "The American soldiers who came home from the South," said City Attorney Norris this morning, "looked as though they had been confined in a second Andersonville prison."

Denver's legal representative had just returned from a visit to Lowry on private business and he explained that while he was in that city and on some leave time he had an opportunity of meeting and talking with the returning Iowa volunteers and also some of those who were being returned to Nebraska.

"There was bold me," continued Judge Norris, "that the Chickamauga camp, where they were quartered for weeks and weeks, was worse than Andersonville. As the men appeared in the cars they contained all boldness that this statement must be not exaggerated. A few days before I was at Lowry I met a number of men who said they were without money, and that when they went into the service he weighed 180 pounds and now weighed 120 pounds. I met one of the men in question and he was one of six men who had come in the same car. The men were in the most pitiable condition I ever gazed upon. Their clothes, hands and faces were filthy, and their glassy looking eyes indicated that few of them had any flesh or vitality left, and it was certain that a great many will never recover. They expressed most severe condemnation of the treatment received at the hands of the government, and it will be very serious if the abuse of the American volunteers is not reported to the President and the national administration in the campaign this Fall. The soldiers are going into the problem in large numbers to do all they can to humiliate those who have managed the war, and what they tell of the conditions which the soldiers were forced to live at Chickamauga ought to enough to make everybody hot with indignation.

"The Nebraska boys said they were camped out far below the Seventh Regiment of Illinois, and thought nothing of it until they compared it to sick with them. They had the water that was available for drinking purposes analyzed and the men showed that it was polluted beyond comprehension. Some of the Nebraskans decided to take a look at the source of their water supply and they found that it came from the river and that not far below where the Volunteers were camped, and that the washings of that camp drained into this river, carrying all the filth that is accumulated in a camp. Efforts to secure a change in the situation were unavailing, and there remained nothing for these men to do but stand it and take their medicine.

"Complaints of being sick were met by the army physicians with prescriptions, all the same. It was pills all the time, one of the soldiers remarked to me, and he further said that there was no difference what the symptoms, only they were given each day had an assortment. If the soldiers were fortunate enough to cure 'dys' were taken into the hospitals and Green Mas Hills comfort in these institutions and usual chance of recovery for the reason that nurses were scarce and the men were not attended to. I was told that frequently patients suffering from fever and who were delirious were allowed to lie in beds made filthy by the sufferers themselves, for there was could not help this state of affairs. These comrades also were revolted at these horrible spectacles of suffering day in and day out, and there were increased daily without hope of relief.

"Things were then fast approaching revenge against the administration. They said that they would never have altered a complaint had they been in Cuba living in the trenches or fighting under circumstances where better treatment should have been expected, on the fact that they were forced to undergo the treatment at home, in sight of plenty, of food and clothing and within easy distance of proper accommodations for the sick, that has turned them.

"As the men passed through the states of Iowa and Nebraska they were greeted with cheers and kind words from the citizens and everywhere that the sights were witnessed severe criticism of the treatment of the men were universally heard. No man can realize how badly these men looked unless he had seen them, and words can never adequately describe their terrible condition."

A private telegram received in Denver this morning from Washington announces that it is the intention of the President to mustered out of the service 50,000 volunteers during the next week or ten days. The Second volunteer cavalry, Torrey's Rough Riders, is now at Panama park, Florida, and Battery A, Colorado volunteer artillery, now at Fort Russell, will be mustered out. The list of the organizations to be mustered out of service is not yet made public. The saving to the government will be $1,000,000 a month in pay alone.

Petitions are being circulated about Denver in behalf of the Second Colorado by to return the Colorado regular and volunteer soldiers in Cuba and the eastern camps to this state. The petitions are found at all the hotels and public buildings and are receiving scores of signatures. The petition reads:

"To His Excellency, William McKinley, President of the United States—If the sentiment of the undersigned citizens of Colorado and Wyoming that the physical well-being of the volunteer soldiers from this section of the United States, now encamped in scores of regiments and battalions in the vicinity of Jacksonville, Fla., and the remnants of the Rough Riders, now encamped in camps at Montauk Point, L. I., and Camp Wikoff and other camps and forts in the United States, which have contributed to the support of these troops have to this section, we do hereby respectfully request that all such soldiers of the regular or volunteer army, be sent back to their states of the earliest possible date."

When the Colorado soldiers return from Colorado further instructions will be issued. Enough is known of the matter, at the present to know that the idea of having all the troops sent home to recuperate from the effects of camp life and fever.

Salt Lake Stake Conference.

The quarterly conference of this Stake will convene in the Assembly Hall, Salt Lake City, on Saturday, September 3, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.; and in the Tabernacle on Sunday, the 4th, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

A general attendance of all officers and members is requested.

ANTON H. LANGON,
JOSEPH E. TAYLOR,
CHARLES W. PENROSE,
Presidency of Stake.

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