

## LAST WEEK QUIET IN TRADE CIRCLES

Merchants Look Forward for  
Better Weather to Help  
Business.

### BUILDING MANY APARTMENTS

Financial Circles See Practically a  
Resumption of Conditions Obtain-  
ing Before the Recent Flurry.

This has been a comparatively quiet week in local commercial circles. Financial matters remain generally unchanged. Prices for the best local stocks and bonds remain very firm and practically have got back to the figures obtaining before the panic. But any securities, the reputation of which is not firmly established, find a dull trade. General conditions are far from discouraging, and a healthy demand keeps up for money at normal rates, but borrowers without undoubted security can scarcely secure accommodations. In the outside world, conditions are various and conflicting. It must be acknowledged that financial matters at the large eastern money centers, as well as in European centers are indeed stagnant. The very highest priced securities find a market at fairly good figures, but anything that is not true and tried finds a meager sale. All large business concerns of the country are curtailing expenses to the utmost, so as to minimize their losses.

The real estate men report a quiet week, the only ripple of which is the sale of 50 flats at South Temple and Third West streets at \$44 per front foot. A. Fisher, there is a general deal of building going on, mostly east of Main street. This includes not a few new flats, as for instance, two on Brigham street, between State and Third West streets, to cost \$70,000; one at First and D streets, one on Third South, between Fourth and Fifth East, and one between Fifth and Sixth East street; one on Second East street, between Second and Third South streets, to cost \$125,000. These with the numerous apartment houses already built, ought to ease up the rental situation considerably. There is a host of moderate sized dwellings building on the east bench and in the south-eastern section of the city.

### ON NORTH BENCH.

The north bench, too, is being built up, so that by another year, it will not be inopportune to talk about a street car line on Twelfth avenue. This could easily be extended east around the city cemetery to Fort Douglas, a very fine ride. The Judge building is soon to be occupied, most of the offices in the building being spoken for. The brick and stone work on the Newhouse buildings is now well up to the fourth story.

The lumber trade is becoming more and more cheerful each week, but the bulk of the material going out of the yards is going at about what it cost in the first place, being the last of the year's purchases. Shipments are running freely, except on orders for special sizes. The wholesale market is becoming more normal and steady, but must depend on purchases from the railroads, which consume 40 per cent of the lumber cut in this country. There is no general resumption of saw mill operations until the railroads begin buying again. The trade reports that the lumber cut in timber, particularly to the Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad and allied concerns, for the protection of a railroad supply for the roads for years to come.

### HARDWARE TRADE BRISK.

The hardware trade reports the increase of the April business over that of the March previous, as about the same as last year. The trade is being over the month prior to that. Business has increased so that it requires all the help the local firms can command to handle it with anything like promptness. There is a good sale of all kinds of reasonable goods, including builders' hardware, steel goods, garden tools and hose, fishing tackle, sporting goods of all kinds, automobile and bicycle tires, rubber and canvas goods, and some shipments of mining machinery the demand for which is picking up, though somewhat slowly. In wholesale dry goods, the trade reports dress goods sales up to the normal, most of the styles being largely in Copenhagen, peacock, navy and royal blue shades. Browns are being also taken in a fair range of colors. In woolens and worsteds for the heavy-weight season, the olive and myrtle green tints are proving popular, with broadcloth holding up strong. For early fall styles, checks and stripes are being worked up into suits and skirts. For the trade making garments for misses and children, the call is for plaids and novelties in high colors. Cheviots and tartan cloths in black and solid colors are moving slowly. Though well distributed, with fine tailored suits for fall up to the average for any recent year. Jobbers say the broadcloth coat will be a leader this fall and so will the other staple lines of kerseys and meltons for medium grade outer garments. The demand for additional stocks of lingerie, waists and complete suits for misses and women substantiates the predictions of the designers. Lingerie suits elaborately trimmed with embroidery are being sold in quantities that last year. Sales are holding up well in solid color suits in wash fabrics and in fine white goods with colored braiding for trimmings. In fact, jobbers

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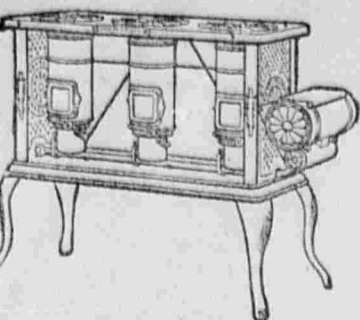
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Seasonable Weather Causes  
Better Demand for Light-  
weight Wearing Apparel.

STILL WAITING ON THE CROPS

Haven't Made Enough Progress to  
Encourage Normal Preparations  
For Future Business.

New York, April 24.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Lightweight wearing apparel is in better demand in response to more seasonable weather, but retail as a whole shows little alteration and the crop have not made sufficient progress to encourage normal preparations of the future business in wholesale and jobbing departments. Payments are a little more prompt owing to the ease of money.

Dullness continues in the iron and steel industry, the outlook for the year being indicated by a deduction in the estimate of ore shipments to 20,000,000 tons.

Several mills have resumed, including some of the leading rail plants, but those are not started at more than one-third full capacity. Light receipts of cattle and increased tanning by packers supply greater strength in the domestic hide market, nearly all varieties advancing more or less.

A "BLACK HAND" THREAT.

Made in Courtroom, and Was to Kill  
A Witness.

Chicago, April 25.—Threats against the life of a witness in a "black hand" case on trial before Judge Kersten were made in the courtroom yesterday. Tony Rosetta, a state witness, ran into the office of Asst. State's Atty. Vent, after court adjourned, trembling with fright. "They are threatening to kill me," he said.

"Twice in the courtroom they said they would get even with me. Then as I walked through the hall from the courtroom some one came up behind me and said in Italian, 'We'll kill you, yet.'"

"I looked to see who said it, but no one near me seemed to be looking at me."

Asst. State's Atty. Vent at once placed the matter before Judge Kersten, and Judge Kersten will be asked to take action today. A detective was assigned to guard Rosetta.

PORTO RICAN CHURCH CASE.

In San Juan President's Intervention  
Considered Quite Inexcusable.

San Juan, P. R., April 24.—The intervention of President Roosevelt in the Porto Rican church case is regarded as quite inexcusable in San Juan. The legislature has authorized an appeal of the case and its dismissal or settlement would require another legislative act. It is thought here that President Roosevelt may influence Gov. Post to call an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of recommending the passage of such an act.

The case involves the right of the Roman Catholic church to control the estates formerly owned by the Dominican and Franciscan orders in Porto Rico. The property embraces several convents and rural homes and is valued at about \$1,000,000. A dispatch from San Juan yesterday said that President Roosevelt had instructed Gov. Post to bring to Washington all the documents relating to this case. The insular courts have decided points in favor of both parties and appeal has been taken to the supreme court of the United States.

FRANKLIN A CANDIDATE.

Denver, April 24.—Charles W. Franklin, an attorney of this city, who is chairman of the local committee on arrangements for the Democratic national convention, today formally announced his candidacy for the gubernatorial nomination by the Democratic state convention.

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## BOND ISSUE MAY WIPE OUT DEBTS

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Been Thrust Worries  
"Americans."

### TRYING TO FOOL THE PEOPLE

Instigators of Latest Plot Would Have  
Public Believe Improvements  
Are Contemplated.

In his message to the city council recommending that the city shoulder a bond issue for improvements, Mayor Bransford cited a number of instances wherein the municipality should spend money for this purpose. The amount of the proposed issue is \$500,000, while the improvements suggested by the mayor will no doubt require more than that amount to complete. The city engineer is figuring on them now.

The idea is being carried that if the bonds are voted by the taxpayers, the money will be devoted to consummating the improvements mentioned. But will it?

### RECORD OF THE PAST.

The question naturally arises, what about the bond issue of 1907? Was the money raised at that time expended for the purposes intended? Echo answers no. The bonds were voted under the Morris administration. The plans for the expenditure were made under the Morris administration. Who spent the money? The "American" administration, and it is interesting to figure out how the money was spent.

The Morris administration planned to spend the money as follows:

Big Cottonwood conduit	\$350,000
Power plant, at Parley's canyon	40,000
Flat lake development	200,000
Repairing city canal	20,000
New water supply mains	100,000
Money in exchange for water	50,000
Extinguishment of power rights and incidentals	50,000
Engineering preliminaries and supervision	50,000
Total	\$500,000
Intercepting sewer	150,000
Total	\$1,000,000

WHERE MONEY WENT.

And how did the money go? The city records show the following expenditure of the most of the fund:

Big Cottonwood conduit	\$441,681.27
Intercepting sewer	160,815.21
New water supply mains	250,632.58
Water exchanges	50,000.00
Total	\$903,251.04

Nearly \$100,000 more was expended upon the big conduit than was apportioned for that purpose; the cost of the intercepting sewer will exceed the estimate in the end about \$22,000, and this with the fact that there is an overdraft of more than \$200,000 starting the city in the face from the expenses of last year's city work, the question arises, will the money raised by the proposed \$500,000 bond issue be used for making the improvements recommended by the mayor?

After the issue is authorized, the city officials will probably do what they like with the money.

### OBJECT TO STRONG MEDICINES.

Many people object to taking the strong medicines usually prescribed by physicians for rheumatism. There is no need of internal treatment in any case of muscular or chronic rheumatism, and more the use of strong medicines in cases of these varieties. When there is no fever that it is only necessary to apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely to get quick relief. You are sure to be pleased with the quick relief which it affords. Price 25 cents; large size, 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

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### TAX APPOINTMENT.

County Auditor Frank Heginbotham has made up the apportionment of the tax sale redemptions for the period between October 1, 1907, and March 31, 1908, as follows:

State	\$1,822.69
County	1,062.53
County schools	87.33
Salt Lake City schools	3,674.51
Murray City schools	2,553.39
Murray City schools	147.54
Granite schools	232.29
Jordan schools	201.20
Forest Dale schools	1.25
Sandy schools	2.50
Total	\$13,459.40

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

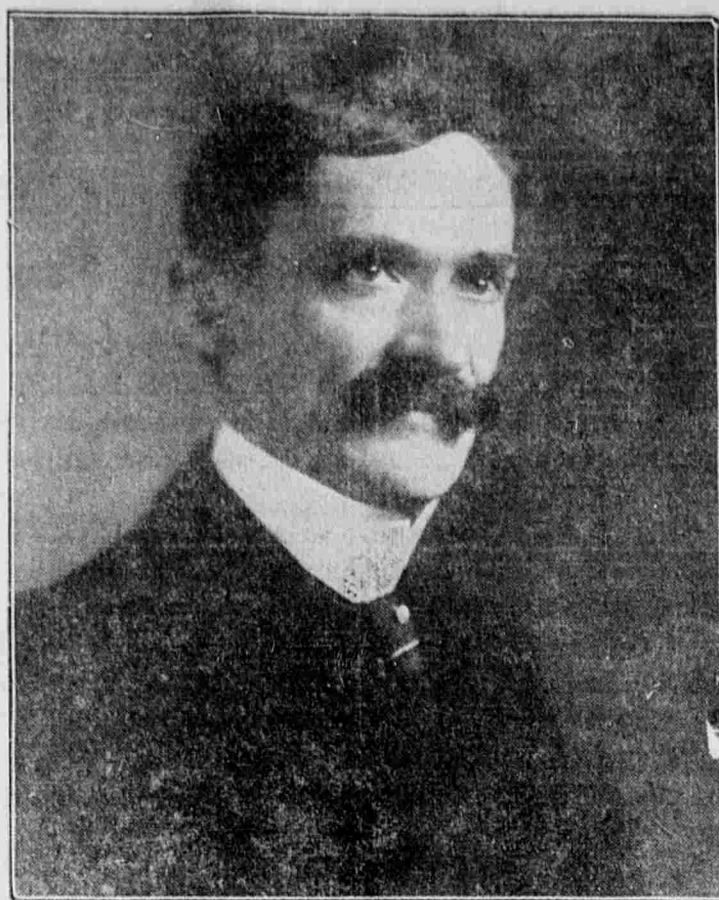
YESTERDAY'S.  
J. C. Elgerton to Esther E. Morrison, part of lot 7, block 9, plat B, 4, block 73, plat C, 1, block 10, lot 12, etc., block 6, Seventh South Sub., 1,000.  
H. C. Hoffman et al to Paul Zemanek, lots 12, etc., block 6, Seventh South Sub., 1,000.  
H. C. Hoffman et al to Anna Jurko, lots 10, etc., block 5, Seventh South Sub., 1,000.  
Alfred Gardner to Ole Gulbrousen, part of lot 3, block 53, plat C, 1, block 73, plat C, 1, block 10, lot 12, etc., block 6, East Waterloo, 1,350.  
Salt Lake Investment company to F. M. Tens, lots 16, etc., block 1, Wilkinson's Sub., 1,000.  
Joseph D. Lyon to W. S. Henderson, part of lot 8, block 8, plat B, 1,000.  
L. E. Phelps to Bertha P. Phelps, part of lot 4, block 74, plat D, 600.  
S. W. R. Brown to Salt Lake Security and Trust company, part of lot 4, block 73, plat C, 1,000.  
Jennie H. Lomax to James H. Leyland, part of lot 4, block 67, plat D, 1,175.  
George Marriott to B. Ferguson, part of lot 9, etc., block 64, Sandy plat, 1,000.  
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### BANDIT HOLDS UP STUDENT STAKE HOLDER

Butte, Mont., April 24.—A Miner special from Montana states that Edward A. Trainor, a student at the state university, was held up and robbed by a lone highwayman of \$195, representing a number of bets placed in his hands as stakeholder on the different track meet contests between the universities of Montana and Washington this afternoon. Trainor with three students, two of them young ladies, was stopped, the men compelled to throw up their hands while the bandit rifled their pockets. The students later gave chase but the robber outdistanced them in a short sprint.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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