OUR OWN STATE.

OGDEN.

Fred L. Mackie, aged 36 years, a well known railroad man and for the past fifteen years an employe of the Central Pacific railroad, died Wednesday night about 10 o'clock of pneumonia, leaving a wife and two children and a host of friends to mourn his untimely taking off. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

The board of county commissioners yesterday confirmed the appointment of [illegible] Cave as deputy sheriff.

Sheriff C. W. McDeid of Humboldt county, Nev., and J. N. Thacker of the detective force of Wells-Fargo and Co., went north Thursday evening to [illegible], where two men are now in custody who are believed to be the parties who held up and robbed the Southern Pacific train at Humboldt House, Nev., on July 14 last year.

The hearing on the petition for probate of will of Stephen Smith [illegible] and issuance of letters testamentary thereon, has been set for hearing in the second district court on the 24th inst.

In the Second district court today [illegible], attorney for the Carpenter Paper company, filed a writ of certiorari against Justice of the Peace [illegible] Perrin, in the case of the Carpenter Paper company vs Tryed & Cadwell.

The Utah Eagle, the little paper published by the pupils at the State school for the deaf and blind, suggests that a separate building is needed for the blind, owing to the crowded condition of the present quarters; also, that the sanitary conditions should be improved and a hospital established.

A grand ball was given in the First ward amusement hall last night for the benefit of the Sunday school library, which was well attended and netted a handsome sum.

The National Union will hold an installation of officers in their hall this evening.

Sheriff Abbott of Farmington was in the city yesterday investigating the circumstances connected with the forged check passed upon the Boyle Furniture company.

The following named road supervisors have been appointed by the county commissioners: Garland road district, W. C. McFarland; West Weber, Joseph Hogge; Taylor, Joseph J. Gibson; Plain City, Wm. Knight; Warren, M. E. Willis; Farr-West, D. S. Wilbanks; North Ogden, Jens Vanderhoof; Randall, George J. Lindford; Kanesville, George Holmgren; Uintah, G. L. Walters; Roy, W. F. Robinson.

PROVO.

Provo, Jan. 20th.—In the Fourth district court yesterday, Edwin Doren entered a plea of not guilty to obtaining money under false pretenses.

John Herron, Hent Nielson, Sidney Steel and John Warnick each entered a plea of not guilty to an information charging them with creating a riot.

Marion Brown and George Wanlass entered a plea of not guilty to attempted rape.

In the case of L. N. Hinkley et al vs George T. Peay et al, a decision was rendered in favor of plaintiffs. They brought suit against George T. Peay et al to obtain possession of several hundred acres of accretion land situated on the borders of Utah Lake. They claim the land by reason of having bought some patented land, which previously belonged to George T. Peay et al, and which was sold under foreclosure of a trust deed, and their contention was that the accretion land follows the patented land. The defendants will appeal.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Elder Heber T. Booth, of the Fourth ward, has returned from a mission to England.

President and Mrs. C. O. Card of Alberta, Canada, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob F. Gates.

Joseph Stringfellow, of Salt Lake, a returned missionary, was in Provo yesterday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Chipman came over last evening to attend the concert given at the asylum.

Samuel Jepperson is at work on a painting of one of the battles of the Black Hawk war, which took place at Gravelly Ford.

Elders H. J. Grant, Rulon S. Wells and Jos. W. McMurrin came down to attend the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. J. William Knight.

Burglars went through some of the rooms of the Excelsior hotel a couple of nights ago and took away several articles from the rooms. The officers are trying to locate the thieves.

Notice of location of the Black Rock No. 1, situated in Camp Floyd mining district, has been filed by W. Tyler et al, and of the Remington situated in Tintic mining district by Jos. Wilson.

Marine York, who hauls freight from the branch of the Z. C. M. I. here, to the south, has had some articles of merchandise stolen from his wagon while camping over night at Santaquin. The officers are working on the case.

A mining deed from John B. Taylor of Bingham to E. H. Uhlis of Bingham for a half interest in the "No U Don't" No. 1 and No. 2 mining claims situated in Camp Floyd mining district, has been filed with the county recorder.

LOGAN.

Logan, Utah, Jan. 19.—The jury in the case of State vs J. H. Gill, accused of embezzling $25 from Cable Piano company, returned a verdict of guilty with recommendation to mercy, this morning after being out several hours. Sentence will be passed on Saturday at 10 a. m. The defendant's bonds were increased from $50 to $250, and being unable to furnish them he languishes in jail.

Case of State vs John M. Bird will come up this afternoon. Bird was convicted of larceny in the lower court and appealed. The value of the logs said to have been stolen by him is only four dollars.

The debate last night between Elder Ballard and Condit of the Mormon and Josephite churches respectively was most interesting of any evening yet.

SPRINGVILLE.

The Fourth ward young ladies who call themselves the "widows club," made up a jolly sleighing party which made the welkin ring with their merry songs Saturday evening.

[illegible] Springville has had the "grip" during the past month. Most of the attacks have been very annoying and weakening, but so far have been without fatal results.

The Thorn and Chase families held their third annual reunion at the Reynolds hall last Friday evening. About 200 members of the family were present, many of whom came from outside towns to be present at the gathering. A fine literary program, interspersed with dancing and supper, gave entertainment to the people present. Richard Thorn, aged 74, and Mrs. Lydia Ann Chase were the two oldest representatives of the families present.

The congregation of the Presbyterian church was called in session last Sunday for the purpose of voting for a minister. Rev. Mr. Martin of Manti

acted as moderator. The name of Rev. Chas. M. Shepherd was proposed for pastor and was balloted on. The voting was very spirited, disclosing a very equal division of the congregation, the ballot standing 29 for and 27 against calling Mr. Shepherd. It was decided to elect a third elder for the church, and Robert Miller was elected to that office by a vote of 12 to 11.—Independent.

AMERICAN FORK.

Special Correspondence.

American Fork, 19.—Today, January 19th, was our old folks' annual gathering.

Our old folks' party this year had the age limit reduced from 70 years to 65, which change made quite a number more than usual eligible participants, and widows and missionaries' wives being also eligible, a larger number than is usual shared the good things contributed by the kind and hospitable citizens of American Fork.

12:30. After thanks had been returned by Bishop William D. Robinson dinner was served in the Opera House. The number of old people present was 140; of widows, 46; of missionaries' wives, 12 or 15.

After dinner, an impromptu program suitable to the occasion was rendered. It consisted of songs, recitations and speeches interspersed at intervals with choice instrumental selections, and with liberal servings of oranges, cake and candies.

Bishop W. D. Robinson and his counselors were present and spoke kind words of comfort and cheer to the aged.

Allusion was made by the various speakers to the many excellent qualities and virtues of one deceased friend and brother Geo. Goddard, and regrets were expressed that so earnest and capable a member of the Old Folks' central committee who used to be a steady and welcome visitor with us on these occasions, should have been so suddenly and unexpectedly removed from our midst by the grim reaper death.

Regrets were also expressed that through sickness and other pressing duties and circumstances, Brother C. R. Savage, William C. Dunbar and other old time friends and patrons could not be present with us. Secretary William Grant reported seven deaths since our last reunion, being one-half only of the deaths that occurred during the previous year.

After the afternoon program had been rendered and the old folks had been safely returned to their several homes, the various committees met at 6 o'clock p. m. to partake of supper, after which a dance was given them. During resting spells songs, recitations and step dancing were in order. Thomas Barratt, our old folks' illustrious friend and president, entertained the audience with one of his old English jigs, which was well received and vociferously applauded. The party was kept up till a reasonable hour and until all had tripped the light fantastic to their heart's content.

Our old folks' institution now owns its own dishes, forks, knives, spoons, tables and table cover and many other things which we used to have to borrow, and it is the purpose of the committee to still increase the stock of articles necessary for their wants and convenience.

The old folks' institution here is managed by two chief committees, the first of which is comprised of Thomas Barratt president, John Tracey, treasurer, and William Grant, secretary. The next is a standing committee of seven ladies, chairman of which is Emily Adamson, who is a thoroughly competent cook, a woman of sound sense and executive ability.

American Fork has the credit of being the first, excepting Salt Lake City, to inaugurate what is now generally known among our people as Old Folks' Day.

RICHFIELD.

Senator I. K. Wright came home from Salt Lake Saturday to hold a session with his new belt. He returned to the scene of legislative grind Monday.

The people of Sevier valley last Wednesday and Thursday mornings witnessed the very beautiful scene of everything coated white with hoar frost. The trees were especially beautiful, and made a picture, after the heavy fog dispersed, defying the imitation of an artist.

There is a great dearth in Richfield of suitable renting houses, in fact a scarcity of renting houses of any kind. A dozen or more cottages would find a number of applicants, and would command a good rent. This ought to be a good speculation for some one. There would undoubtedly be good money in a row of four and five room houses.

DISTRICT COURT.

The first term of the district court for Sevier county began last week, Judge McCarthy presiding. A number of probate matters received the attention of the court, but otherwise it was one of the lightest sessions for a new term ever held.

Two divorces were granted, one to Bertie Nelson from Peter L. Nielson, and one to Alice L. Higgins from Martin J. Higgins.

Mrs. C. W. Hopkins brought suit to recover some 470 head of sheep and 78 lambs from Mary A. Brown, which she claimed were being unlawfully withheld from her, but after hearing the evidence for the plaintiff, the court granted the motion of the defendant for a non-suit.

Olaf Lund brought action to have a lien established against the tabernacle. It was demurred to on the general ground that the plaintiff had failed to set out the terms of the original contract between the trustees and the main contracting. The demurrer was sustained.

CANALS AND RESERVOIRS.

The annual meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Sevier Valley Canal company was held last week, and several matters pertaining to the business of the company received attention.

This canal is a very important feature of irrigation matter in Sevier, and ultimately, when completed, will be one of the leading irrigation enterprises in southern Utah. It will redeem thousands of acres of dry land on the western slopes of Sevier valley and make possible hundreds of new homes.

If there is any class of enterprises in Utah deserving and worthy of State aid, it is the bona fide reservoir and canal undertakings. These enterprises are doing more to increase the productiveness of Utah and increase the accommodations for homes than almost any other kind of enterprises. The Otter Creek reservoir of Piute county is an enterprise involving an outlay, when completed, of upwards of $50,000. It is not for speculative interests at all. Its stockholders are residents of the county, home-builders and developers of the county's resources. Through their efforts thousands of acres of land now arid because of lack of water for irrigating purposes will become productive. Hundreds of new homes will be sustained, and the value of the interests of the county greatly increased. A committee to ask legislative aid for the enterprise has been appointed.—Richfield Advocate.

MOAB.

Special correspondence to the News:

Moab, Grand Co., Utah, Jan. 18, 1899.—There is one thing I do not understand. The favorable reports of fruit tree inspectors and then letters from parties inquiring for fruit and making the statement that all the fruit is wormy.

I do not know much about spraying, as we have not done much of it. We have sprayed a little for the green lice, but the codling moth seems to be the worst plague to the apple, and they have commenced on our orchards here. If there was some way of fighting them in the winter to kill the worms before he turns to the moth it would be well. I am going to try scalding. It may kill the bark, but I will try it on trees that are not of much worth. Most of the apples in this neighborhood were sold last fall to Chicago parties, so there are not many apples to market this spring.

We have had a fine winter so far, with very little snow. The health of the people is good. Great preparations are being made for mining in the spring. We have a milling country here without a doubt.

O. W. WARNER.

HOOPER.

Hooper, Jan. 18, 1899.

Special to the News:

We have a flourishing settlement of about one thousand inhabitants, all of whom are industrious farmers.

During the holidays our people were thrown into grief through the death of two of our most respected young [illegible] the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Munsee. The other was the beloved son of Mr. William Belnap. The young man was accidentally shot while herding sheep in Wyoming. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the whole community.

On the 11th of January all the old people over seventy in Hooper met in the meeting house and had a very enjoyable time. There are in the settlement 27 people over 70, and all of them were given presents.

On the 15th of January our Sunday school gave their annual review which showed very commendable progress. All the other ward organizations are in excellent condition.

DAVID H. JONES.

WHAT SHE WANTED TO KNOW.

[Cleveland Plain Dealer.]

A car on the Euclid line going west was signaled by a woman at one of the East End cross streets. She waved her arm vigorously and the motorman did the best he could to slacken the speed of the car. The rails were slippery and the brake was slow to act. The car passed the woman and left her perhaps 100 feet behind. The conductor beckoned to her with his hand on the bell rope.

The woman did not move, but she called to him.

"What is it ma'am," he cried.

"Come back," she called.

"Can't do it, ma'am," he answered.

The woman looked black. Then she deliberately strode forward. As she reached the step the conductor leaned down.

"I don't want to get aboard," said the woman.

"Wh-why, what do you want?" stammered the conductor.

"I just want to ask you," said the woman in a high, clear voice, "how much time you're lost by not picking me up where you should have stopped."

Then she turned back to the sidewalk.

The conductor's face moved convulsively as he sharply rang the bell.

THE UPPER REGIONS OF THE AIR.

[Prof. John Trowbridge in the January Forum.]

Above us there extends a vast unexplored space far more interesting from a scientific point of view than the icy regions around the North Pole. No one can reach the limit of the upper regions of the air and live, unless he carries with him air to breathe and fuel to warm him; for at the paltry distance of ten miles above the earth the air is too thin to support respiration, and the thermometer would register far below zero. It would be a region of perpetual snow on a peak of the earth if it should rise to such a height. A person in a balloon could not hear a friend in a neighboring balloon, even if they were near enough to shake hands. There would be no medium for the propagation of sound waves. There would, however, still be a medium for the conducting of electricity, a medium in fact of general conductibility—almost as good as metal, and it is this medium at even a less height which Tesla proposes to use in his methods of transmitting power hundreds of miles through the air without wires.

We live under a blanket of air which protects us from the extreme cold of outer space. This low temperature besets without [illegible] fifteen thousand feet above the surface of the earth, and would, as I have said, reach a point far below zero at a height of ten miles. At this height we should no longer observe the twinkling of the stars, for this scintillation is due to the movements of our atmosphere, which at the height I have mentioned would be extremely rarified. If one could photograph the sun's spectrum at this altitude we could greatly extend our knowledge of the shorter wave-lengths of light, for the atmosphere completely absorbs such wave-lengths as are concerned in the X-ray phenomena. That this absorption really takes place, can be proved in a laboratory.

The heat and light which we receive from the sun are thus greatly modified by this blanketing layer of air. The long waves of the energy from the sun are called heat-waves. The intermediate waves are termed light waves, and we receive these in full measure. The very short waves, however, are stopped by our atmosphere, and are transformed into—what?

ANOTHER CASE OF REFERENDUM.

(Indianapolis Journal.)

The congress of mothers will meet in Washington in February. The congress of fathers is in session there now. If between them they cannot regulate the affairs of the nation—domestic, social and political—they might call in the children.

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The Three White Sales.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Night Gowns.

At 50c

Neat, serviceable gowns, made double yoke back, yoke front of clusters fine tucks bolero effect, embroidery edge finish.

At 75c

Pretty Gowns of Cambric, double yoke back V front yoke of dainty hemstitched beading and fine tucks, hemstitched ruffle at neck and wrists. Also muslin gowns, nice quality, made double yoke back, high yoke front of fine tucks, sailor collar has embroidery insertion, 2½-inch ruffle, tucks and ruffle on wrist.

At $1.00

Many styles, just two are given here. Muslin Gowns, double yoke back, front yoke of all over embroidery, neck and sleeve ruffles hemstitched. Pretty Cambric Gowns, back double yoke, front yoke of clusters of fine tucks and an embroidery ruffle, sleeve ruffle of embroidery.

Chemises.

At 25c

Good plain muslin, with stitched neck and arm bands, button front.

At 35c

Chemises of Muslin, neck and arms finished with neat cambric ruffle.

At 40c

Made of muslin, yoke front of pretty open embroidery, stitched band.

At 50c

Plain Cambric Chemises, stitched neck and arm bands.

At 75c

Chemises of excellent muslin, square yoke front of open all over embroidery, neck and arm ruffles of embroidery.

Drawers.

At 20c

Neat Drawers with cluster fine tucks and wide hem, good width, made of good quality muslin.

At 35c

Semi-Umbrella style Drawers, wide ruffle hemstitched, good muslin.

At 50c

Cambric Drawers, good width, cluster of fine tucks and 3-inch embroidery ruffle. Also same style Drawers with 3-inch torchon lace edge. Many other styles in the 50c kinds.

Corset Covers

At 25c

Good muslin, with V neck of 2-inch pretty linen lace.

At 35c

Muslin Corset Covers with V neck of dainty open embroidery.

At 50c

Cambric Corset Covers, square neck edged with pretty embroidery and ribbon.

Petticoats.

At 35c

Neat Muslin Petticoats, umbrella style, good width, 10-inch ruffle.

At 50c

Muslin Petticoats, umbrella style, good width.

At 75c

Muslin Petticoats, umbrella style, good width, wide ruffle finished with 5-inch embroidery.

At $1.00

Muslin Petticoats, umbrella style, good width, 12-inch lawn ruffle, cluster of fine tucks and wide hem.

Household Linen's Sale.

Entire Stock, 16 2-3 Off.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

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$4 and $5 Women's Shoes. $2.65.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

This is an occasion we know some having acquaintance with makers will [illegible]. They are Wright & Peter's very best, that sell regularly for $4.00 and $5.00, but alas! they have pointed toes, so if you don't mind old style goodness. **$2.65**

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Qualities That Usually Demand Higher Prices

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Extra good Ink Tablets, reduced from 10c each to— **5c**

Box correspondence paper, cream wove, reduced from 8c to— **4c**

Hurlbut's Superfine box paper, tints only, the regular 25c a box, two days— **12c**

Soap Specials.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Cake Olive Oil Castile Soap, superior quality, with wash rag, regular price 8c, two days— **5c**

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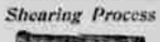

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