

ANNUAL SESSION OF ODD FELLOWS.

Grand Lodge of Utah I. O. O. F.
Will Conclude Its Business
This Afternoon.

SOME COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Installation of the New Officers—Rebekahs Held Their Annual Assembly in Adjoining Rooms.

The grand lodge of Odd Fellows is concluding its annual session this afternoon. This morning was occupied in the appointment of session committees on credentials, legislation, elections, returns, judiciary, appeals, Rebekahs, correspondence, thanks, grand representative report, state of the order, finance, ways and means, mileage and per diem, these committees to report this afternoon, and then be discharged. The committee on credentials reported the following grand lodge officers as chosen:

Grand master, C. A. Walker, Salt Lake; deputy grand master, T. M. Strickland, Park City; grand warden, P. M. Ulmer, Salt Lake; grand secretary, P. A. Simpson, grand treasurer, A. M. Pendleton, Salt Lake; grand representatives, J. T. Thomas, Salt Lake; J. A. Brown, Robert Wells, No. 21; J. A. Brown and John Shaffer, No. 4; J. Brummitt and Chas. Stout, No. 5; C. Goldman, No. 15; Henry James, No. 16; E. N. Evans, No. 21; W. H. Howard and J. E. Tate, No. 25; Edw. Sawley, No. 28; Geo. Parks and Fred Rugg, No. 33; Wm. Cross, No. 34; J. H. Hickman, No. 35; Wm. Muller, No. 37; John Williams, No. 38; K. H. P. Nordberg, Milan; G. Tilberg, No. 39; John Brown and Benj. Smith, No. 40; W. A. Cook, No. 42; E. D. Hogan, No. 43; R. R. Kelly, No. 44; W. B. Whitaker and Henry Grimm, No. 45; M. Parry, No. 23; R. W. Whitaker, No. 29; W. E. Price, No. 26; S. H. McDonald, C. E. Marks, No. 21; H. L. Lanyon, No. 7; D. M. Miller, No. 38; J. H. Jax, E. Barsley, No. 27; W. A. Goss, No. 45; Martin Thornton, No. 29; Geo. C. Moore, No. 12; Thos. Jones, No. 17.

This afternoon's session is being devoted to the installation of the new officers of the grand lodge, and the hearing of reports. This evening will be occupied by fidelity lodge No. 17 in working degrees.

The Rebekahs are holding their annual assembly in rooms adjoining the Odd Fellows, and chose the following officers this morning: President, Benj. Smith; grand warden, John Williams; grand secretary, Sadie B. Brecken of Provo; grand treasurer, Emma Stott of Eureka; secretary, Clara I. Moore of Salt Lake; treasurer, Nancy E. Proctor of Mt. Pleasant. These officers will be installed this afternoon. The Rebekahs have 40 delegates present, and the ladies are delighted with the success of the assembly. Grand lodge No. 17 will hold its sisterhood in New York, Vermont, Massachusetts, Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma. The membership in Utah now numbers 880.

SCHETTLER CASE.

Final Report Will in All Probability Be Filed Tomorrow.

Provided they can get a hearing before Judge Morse in the Third district court tomorrow morning, Messrs. J. R. Anderson, of the Schettler bank, will file their final report, and terminate the connection with the defunct bank. In the afternoon, Trustee J. R. Anderson, of the Schettler bank, will receive the books and papers of the bank from Judge Morse, and the entire matter will then pass to the federal court. Friday morning at 10 o'clock reference will be made to the examination of the books and papers of the bank, and the date was set, however, in the anticipation that Trustee Anderson could secure immediate possession of the books and papers, now probably that he will not be ready to carry the examination to a conclusion. Friday as was expected. The question of affecting a compromise of the entire matter which has been under consideration for some time, has not been given any developments, as the creditors have made no advances since the date for the examination of the books and papers. It is understood that the proposition regarded most favorably by the creditors is to reimburse all claims on the bank for a cash settlement of 50 cents on the dollar. Mr. Schettler to secure this amount by pledging his assets to the bank for consideration for a loan of the amount desired.

PUPILS DID GOOD WORK.

Celebrated Arbor Day in a Substantial and Profitable Manner.

According to reports received from the various schools of the city there were 19,119 trees, shrubs and plants set out on Arbor day by the pupils of the schools at their homes. In addition to that there were 4,653 yards cleaned by the children, and it was evident that the day was not spent in idleness but to the contrary was spent in beautifying many homes in this city. The report shows that there were 7,757 trees planted, 6,429 shrubs and 5,933 flower beds put in. Following is the report as received from each school:

SCHOOLS.	No. of trees planted.	No. of shrubs.	No. of flower beds.
Bonneville	400	23	219
Emerson	300	25	89
Franklin	492	24	421
Freemont	118	106	128
Grant	355	400	329
Hamilton	422	438	412
Johnson	257	310	919
Jordan	235	24	18
Lafayette	235	412	589
Lincoln	429	41	255
Lowell	270	309	215
Quincy	331	352	377
Riverside	42	97	177
Summer	610	599	497
Twelfth	32	62	46
Training	99	131	276
Utah	121	163	270
Union	197	316	332
Wasatch	218	359	279
Washington	343	411	425
Whittier	58	69	87
Eastside High	58	69	87
Totals	8,767	5,912	6,429

CHILD RUN OVER.

Driver of Delivery Wagon Ran Down The Decker Baby.

Today the police are looking for a man who ran over an 18-month old child in front of 305 west Sixth south.

street this morning shortly before noon. The child belongs to Mrs. Decker, who lives at the number stated. The little one was playing on the street when a delivery wagon running down the road struck the child and knocked him unconscious, but the brutal driver went on his way as fast as he could. A physician was summoned and found that the little one's injuries consisted of a few bruises and cuts, and that no serious damage was done.

THE CITY SCHOOLS.

Question of Selling Property and Raising Funds for the Year.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the committee on teachers and school work of the board of education will hold a meeting and on Friday afternoon at the same hour the committee on buildings and grounds will meet on open bids for the sale of the school property which has been advertised. The finance committee will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock to make an estimate of the funds necessary to run the schools for the next year. A special meeting of the entire board will be held just after the meeting of the finance committee to act upon matters suggested by the committees.

MRS. SCHUMACHER ILL.

Wife of Short Line Official is Steadily Growing Weaker.

Mrs. T. M. Schumacher, wife of the general traffic manager of the Oregon Short Line, is lying dangerously ill in Los Angeles and grave fears are entertained as to the outcome. Last week Mrs. Schumacher left Salt Lake hurriedly in response to a letter received and since then has been at her bedside. This morning she telegraphed a friend in this city to the effect that Mrs. Schumacher was "steadily growing weaker."

Recently Mrs. Schumacher was taken ill in Chicago and her husband, accompanied her to the coast in the hopes that the change would restore her to health. Mrs. Schumacher improved somewhat and her husband accordingly returned to Salt Lake to look after pressing business that needed his attention.

SAD DEATH AT SUGAR.

Wife of W. J. Deas Called Home This Morning in a Twinkling.

A sad death occurred this morning in Sugar ward, when the spirit of Mrs. Emily Evans Deas, wife of W. J. Deas, and daughter of James and Elizabeth Foster Evans, took its flight. The lady gave birth to a baby girl during the night and was doing so well that Dr. S. L. Richards, who attended her, pronounced her condition most favorable. A little later, however, Mrs. Deas was taken with excruciating pains in the region of the stomach, and before those around her could realize the exact cause thereof, the woman had passed away surrounded by a grief-stricken husband and six children. Death was pronounced due to shock and a rupture upon severe pains caused by a rupture. The deceased was a most estimable woman, with a wide circle of friends. She was greatly shocked at the death of her husband, who died in Salt Lake City Feb. 25, 1896, and died at 5 a. m., April 19, 1905, being a little more than 39 years of age. The funeral will be announced as soon as word is received from Joseph H. Deas, brother of the bereaved husband, who was this morning telegraphed to at Fruitland, N. M. Meanwhile the body is at the late home of the deceased, corner of Tenth East and Garfield avenues.

NOTED NURSE TO LECTURE.

Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, of Denver Last of Series at Barratt Hall.

On Monday evening, May 15, in Barratt hall, the M. I. A. Lecture bureau will bring its series of lectures for this season to a close, with the appearance of Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee, who lectures on "A Woman's Experience in the Japanese Army." Dr. McGee became nationally famous as the head of the women nurses for the Spanish-American war, and the first woman to secure a commission in the American army. She was an acting assistant surgeon from 1898 to 1900, reporting direct to Surgeon General Sherman, and assigned to duty "in charge of the army nurse corps," which she organized and which has since been made a permanent part of the army by Congress. This work Dr. McGee has done for a number of years. The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, in which she is now an enthusiastic worker, and for many years has been an officer. Her experience in the Japanese army she obtained by going to the orient at the outbreak of the war in charge of a party of nurses whose services had been accepted by the Japanese government. In her lecture she tells of life in the Japanese hospitals at Hiroshima, which was a base of supplies for early movements of the army, and of the character of the Japanese soldiers as she learned to know it.

WINS A FELLOWSHIP.

Alfred H. Upham of Logan Awarded One By Columbia University.

(Special to the "News.") New York, April 19.—The Columbia university has awarded more than 30 fellowships, Alfred H. Upham of Logan, Utah, comparative literature, receives a fellowship supported by the university.

Catarrh

Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and breaks down the general health.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

CITIZENSHIP AND UTAH LAND TITLES

Question that Department of Justice Official is Now Investigating.

WILL MAKE OFFICIAL REPORT.

Nothing New in the Subject, However—As to the Poland Law and What It Did in the Premises.

An investigation involving the citizenship and land titles of settlers who were naturalized in Utah prior to 1872, and especially during the early sixties, is now in progress in Salt Lake under the direction of Col. V. P. Van Dusen of the naturalization branch of the department of justice of the national government. Col. Van Dusen is engaged in copying the records of the old probate courts of Utah territory, which conferred citizenship upon aliens under a construction of a statute passed by the territorial legislature. It is the belief of the department of justice, which is investigating the naturalization procedure in all the states which were territories prior to 1872, that in all cases where citizenship was conferred except through a U. S. district court, the certificates are illegal, and consequently the citizens are not citizens. The securing of a record of all such cases of irregular naturalization for court some years ago, that the territorial probate courts exceeded their authority in assuming jurisdiction over citizenship matters, and granting citizenship to such cases null and void. Col. Van Dusen has been in Salt Lake since Sunday and expects to finish his work and render a final report to the department of justice by Thursday evening, when he will leave on his return trip to Washington. He has found conditions similar to those in Utah in several western states.

What the outcome of the investigation will be is causing interesting speculation today. The general opinion is that no local procedure will ever be instituted, involving land titles and irregularities established, the Washington authorities will submit the matter to congress in the shape of a special act to validate the titles acquired during the time of the territory. "It has never been the custom or practice of the government," said a local court official in discussing the situation with "to find legal technicalities on which to dispose any title of his holdings. Were it not for the fact that the original patents seem to be in violation of the title, the state law would protect the title on the grounds of undisputed possession for a term of years. In this case I think congressional legislation will be necessary for the government to correct the matter."

It is quite generally believed that the Poland law passed by Congress in 1861 to regulate the procedures of courts and courts cases in Utah also validated and confirmed its acts and in that manner avoided the points that are now sought to be made. The Poland law, however, does not fear that property titles will ever be damaged by any discovery or sensation that can now be found.

ANOTHER NEW BANK.

Launched Last Night at Bingham Junction, George A. Goff Cashier.

With its entire capital stock bought up within an hour after being offered, another new bank was last night added to the list of Utah's financial institutions. The principal place of business will be at Bingham Junction, Utah, and to judge from the geography of its stock sales, it will do the commercial and savings business of the south end of Salt Lake valley. The new bank is the Bingham National Bank, its president is O. P. Miller of Union; its vice president, William Cooper, of Bingham Junction; and its cashier, George A. Goff, of Bingham Junction. The bank is organized by the Bingham National Bank of Salt Lake, George A. Goff of Bingham Junction was elected cashier but so far no other officers of the bank have been chosen.

The organization of the new bank, its promoters say, has been made necessary by the steady but rapid growth in population and wealth of the south end of Salt Lake valley. It came not as a promotion scheme of any particular class, but as a concerted move on the part of the merchants of the entire community, and every one of whom holds some portion of the capital stock, of which there are 150 shares, owned by 60 different purchasers. The incorporated stock is placed at \$100,000 in shares of the value of \$100 each. The largest individual owners hold only blocks of 10 shares.

The meeting last night to complete the organization was the first one of a series which have been held during the past two weeks. It occurred in Goff's hall, Bingham Junction, and was attended by about 70 merchants and other business men of the town surrounding Bingham Junction. There was no hitch in the final plans, and no opposition to the propositions drawn up by a committee which had been previously appointed with O. P. Miller at its head, to formulate a practical plan of organization.

George A. Goff, the newly elected cashier, is a man who has gained his financial experience in the general merchandise business. When interviewed by the "News" today he stated that the bank was to have its headquarters, but that a meeting of the directors would be called at once to decide whether to build or to rent a suitable building in Bingham Junction.

BANK FOR TONOPAH.

Comptroller of the Currency Approves Application of Citizens.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., April 19.—As evidence of the growth of the town of Tonopah, Nevada, the comptroller of the currency approved the application of Kenneth M. Jackson, J. P. Hennessy, T. W. Kendall, Chas. Morris and T. E. Broughton to organize the National Bank of Tonopah, with \$100,000 capital.

BIG FILING FEE.

It is \$1,500 and Was Paid Today Into Office of Secretary of State.

The largest fee yet received under the administration of Secy. of State Tingley will be paid by the Fleischmann company of Cincinnati for the filing of

its articles of incorporation, which were left in the secretary's office today. The state will receive the net sum of \$1,500 for filing the papers. The company is capitalized at \$5,000,000, divided into 60,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each. Julius Fleischmann is president. H. J. Kalkbrenner, secretary. R. V. Hunt of this city, resident agent for Utah. The object of the corporation as set out in its articles is to manufacture yeast, vinegar, whisky and wines and transact all business pertaining to such industries.

PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED

Reception to First Presidency and Apostles at Bishop Cutler's.

The First Presidency and five members of the Council of the Apostles, with their wives, were pleasantly entertained at the home of Bishop T. R. Cutler in Sugar ward last night. Dinner was served at 5 o'clock, after which the party was regaled with musical selections by members of the Theater orchestra, recitations and interesting anecdotes. The spread was a most sumptuous one and the evening throughout was one of rare enjoyment. The affair was attended by members of the Granite state presidency, who with Bishop John M. Whitaker and their wives, also joined in the festivities.

TELEPHONE EXTENSIONS.

Subscribers Will be Able to Talk to Bingham in About 10 Days.

In 40 days Salt Lake people will be able to ring up Oakley, Albion, and all the smaller towns south of the Snake, and which will be under the ditches and canals of the Twin Falls company. The Bell construction gangs are continuing the lines between Twin Falls and Minidoka on to Burley, and there will include the line built by I. B. Perrine, and in various directions built to include the lines of smaller centers and farms. The company has just received from Chicago its 200 subscriber switchboard for Bingham Junction, and the same will be in operation in 10 days, and free communication with Salt Lake and Murray. An exchange has been ordered for Garland, as 60 subscribers have been secured there.

MEETING OF YOUNG FAMILY.

The Young Family association will hold a meeting at the residence of Walter J. Beattie, 55 north West Temple street, tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock sharp. By order of association.

REYMOUR B. YOUNG, President.

WEST SIDE DOUBLE TRACK.

Short Line Files Answer to Butterworth Injunction Suit.

The Oregon Short Line Railroad company today filed its answer to the injunction suit filed against it recently by Alice Butterworth and other residents on Third West street between second and Ninth South streets, in which they seek to enjoin the company from constructing double tracks on that street. The company denies that it is unlawfully occupying and obstructing the use of the street or greatly interfering with the property or business of the citizens or that it will deprive them of the uninterrupted ingress and egress to their property.

Everything around the Theater today bears evidence of the bustle and preparation incident to a big event. The carpenters are extending the platform so that the full orchestra of 40 and the soloists can be seen and heard to good advantage this evening. A new program is promised and one that will show off to beautiful advantage not only Mr. Shepherd's fine aggregation of instrumentalists, but the three soloists as well. These are Mrs. Catherine Ellerbeck, pianist, Mrs. Catherine Trumbo McGurkin, harpist, and Mr. Hugh Douglass, baritone.

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As this will be the last chance that friends of the Symphony orchestra, its patrons and subscribers, and the music loving public will have to hear the fine organization this season, it is to be hoped the opportunity will not be neglected.

At the Grand tonight "The Moon-shiner's Daughter" winds up its engagement.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Tonight the last Symphony orchestra of the season will take place, and the event promises to be the most largely attended yet. A number of parties have been arranged to be present, and the Lenten devo teas will welcome the wholly permissible and appropriate diversion from their abstinence.

A pretty affair of last night was the party given by Miss Pearl Rothchild in honor of Miss Rita Meyer of St. Paul. The entire affair was carried out in the Easter idea, the tables in the card game being tiny Easter eggs in baskets and the score cards tiny chickens. About 30 guests were present.

Miss Darlene Buckingham was guest of honor yesterday at a Kensington given by Miss Sarah Alexander. The rooms were prettily decorated, and a delightful afternoon was spent.

Miss Addie Zane has returned from Chicago, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John M. Zane.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Porter entertained at an elaborate dinner at the Kenyon last night in honor of Mrs. Edward Deheny of Los Angeles, who is visiting Mrs. Thomas Kearns.

A large reception is to be given on April 28 by the Daughters of the Confederacy, the event to take place at the Kenyon hotel.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Irene Kant and Mr. Breton M. Sears of this city, the ceremony having been performed at Ogden.

Miss Marguerite Taylor will entertain tomorrow in honor of Miss Nell Culien.

JUVENILE COURT IN FULL SWING.

Eight Boys and Six Adults Faced Judge Willis Brown Today.

REFORM SCHOOL CANDIDATE.

Youngster Was Committed but the Court Suspended Sentence Pending Good Behavior.

Eight boys and six adults were before the juvenile court this morning and one of the boys was committed to the state industrial school at Ogden, but sentence was suspended during good behavior. The boy had been before the court on a previous occasion and had promised to go to school and report to the court as requested. It appears that he failed to do either, so was again arrested, and if he does not keep his word now he will have to go to Ogden.

The boys up this morning were charged with drunkenness, truancy and petit stealing. The adults in court were the parents of some of the boys and were charged with contributing to the delinquency of the boys. At this afternoon's session of court the proprietor of a store on the west side will be given a hearing on the charge of having contributed to the delinquency of some boys by selling them tobacco and cigarettes.

Carl Jennings, the young man, who was caught while attempting to break open a trunk several days ago and who said that he was only 15 years of age in order that he would come under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, was handed over to the police again and will have to answer before Judge Diehl to the charge of housebreaking.

IN HANDS OF JURY.

Arguments Close in Case of Harris vs. Consolidated Mercantile.

At noon today arguments in the case of Harris vs. the Consolidated Mercantile Mining company were concluded in the federal court, and the matter was submitted to the jury. The closing arguments by Judge W. H. King for the plaintiff, and Atty. E. M. Allison for the defense were marked with a great deal of oratorical force, both men being convinced apparently, that the jury's decision belonged to them without question. The fight has been a long one, and has been bitterly contested. Mr. Harris is suing for \$25,000 damages in consideration for injuries received in the defendant's mine. His hearing began before the court Friday last. This afternoon the work of securing a jury for the case of Thompson vs. the Utah Consolidated Mining company was begun.

INJUNCTION SUIT.

John W. Reid et al. File One Against Local Hardware Company.

John W. Reid, on behalf of himself and all other stockholders of Brubaker-Campbell Hardware Co., filed an injunction suit in the district court today against Charles E. Brubaker, the National Bank of the Republic and the Brubaker-Campbell Hardware Co., to enjoin defendants from attempting to sell 73 shares of the capital stock of the Brubaker-Campbell Hardware Co., and also to set aside a certain contract alleged to have been entered into by the Brubaker-Campbell Hardware Co. which delivered the 73 shares of stock to Chas. E. Brubaker to secure a pretended loan of \$7,500. It is also alleged that defendant Brubaker is compelled to pay to the Brubaker-Campbell company the sum of \$305 which was wrongfully paid to him by the managers of the company. It is alleged that the contract in question was authorized at a pretended meeting of the board of directors Feb. 6, 1905. Said meeting is claimed was secret and not regularly called and hence the action of the directors is void.

Was Good for Two Months.

Judge Morse today granted Lottis Paulin a divorce from Albert Paulin on the grounds of desertion and non-support. They were married in this city on Dec. 31, 1903, and defendant deserted his wife on Feb. 24, 1904, not quite two months after their marriage. Plaintiff is allowed to resume her maiden name, Lottis Pickering.

WEATHER REPORT

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today:

Barometer reading at 6 a. m., 25.303 inches. Temperature at 6 a. m., 43 degrees; maximum, 70; minimum, 48; mean, 57, which is 6 degrees above normal.

Excess of the daily mean temperature since the first of the month, 24 degrees. Excess of daily mean temperature since the first of the month, 24 degrees. Precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m., 0.1 inch.

Precipitation since the first of the month, .28 inch, which is .43 below the normal.

Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1, .69 inch.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. THURSDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Rain or snow tonight or Thursday; colder tonight; freezing temperature.

Tuesday—Forecast taken at Denver, Colo.:

Rain or snow and colder tonight; freezing temperature.

Wednesday—Forecast taken at Denver, Colo.:

Shower tonight and probably Thursday; colder.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The barometer is highest over the South Pacific and Atlantic states; and lowest over the plateau region, Rocky mountain slope and upper lake region.

The temperature changes were generally unfavorable.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecaster.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

6 a. m. 43
7 a. m. 48
8 a. m. 52
9 a. m. 57
10 a. m. 62
11 a. m. 67
12 noon 70
1 p. m. 75
2 p. m. 78
3 p. m. 75
4 p. m. 70
5 p. m. 65
6 p. m. 60
7 p. m. 55
8 p. m. 50
9 p. m. 45
10 p. m. 40
11 p. m. 35
12 m. 30

YESTERDAY'S RECORD.

Highest 70
Lowest 44

LATE LOCALS.

The work of excavation began this morning on Commercial avenue for the erection of the new Orpheum theater.

Justice of the Peace George E. Lee of Bingham is in the city today to turn in the receipts of his office to the county.

The state board of examiners is holding a special meeting today to pass upon claims and bills against the state.

Gen. Park and Col. Keeler of the governor's staff, will go to Farmington tonight on business in connection with the guards.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Leona Miranda Steward will be held at the Emerson ward meeting-house at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.