

tions and causes so pending before such United States and Supreme Court commissioners, and to issue final process thereon and to receive such fees therefor as are now or hereafter may be provided by law in case of actions originally begun or prosecuted in said justices' courts: Provided, That nothing herein shall be held to prevent the issuance of final process by the several district courts, upon the judgments of United States and Supreme Court commissioners' courts, of which abstracts have been or hereafter may be filed in the said district courts in accordance with the provisions of sections 3602, 3603, 3604 and 3605 of the Compiled Laws of Utah, 1898.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon approval.

Approved February 7, 1896.

#### ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY.

An act to amend section 4, chapter xxiii, of the Session Laws of 1892, relating to the listing, assessment and valuation of real and personal property.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. That section 4 of chapter xxiii of the Session Laws of 1892 of the Territory of Utah be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4. All real property in this State shall be listed on said blanks and assessed as owned and valued on the first Monday of March at 12 o'clock m., or the year of which the assessment is made. All personal property shall be listed and assessed any time after January 1st of each year and valued as of the date of its assessment.

Sec. 1. This act shall take effect from and after its approval.

Approved February 12, 1896.

#### LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

An act to amend section 2122 s. 1. of the Compiled Laws of Utah, 1898, relating to legal holidays.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. That section 2122 s. 1. of the Compiled Laws of 1898, be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2122 s. 1 The following named days are hereby designated and declared to be legal holidays in the State of Utah, to-wit: The first day of January; the twenty-second day of February; the fifteenth day of April, commonly known as Arbor Day; the thirtieth day of May, commonly called Decoration Day; the fourth day of July; the twenty-fourth day of July, commonly called Pioneer's Day; the first Monday in September, known as Labor Day; the twenty-fifth of December, commonly called Christmas; and all days which may be set apart by the President of the United States, or the Governor of the State of Utah, by proclamation, as days of fast or thanksgiving; Provided, that when any of said days shall fall on Sunday, the following Monday shall be the holiday.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon approval.

Approved February 15, 1896.

#### COURT SEALS.

An act to provide seals for clerks of the district courts and county clerks in the several counties of this State.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. The county court of each

county in this State shall, within sixty days after the passage of this act, provide a seal for the clerk of the district court of its county, the impression of which shall contain the following words: "District Court, State of Utah," together with the name of the county in which the same is used.

Sec. 2. The county court of each county in this State shall, within sixty days after the passage of this act, provide a seal for the county clerk of its county, the impression of which shall contain the following words: "State of Utah, County Clerk," together with the name of county in which the same is to be used.

Sec. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its approval.

Approved February 17, 1896.

#### REDEMPTION FROM TAX SALES.

An act to amend Section 2032, Chapter x, Compiled Laws of the Territory of Utah, 1898, as amended by Sec. 3, Chapter lxxv, Session Laws of 1894, relating to the time and manner of redemption from tax sales: Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. That section 2032, s. 21, Compiled Laws of Utah, 1898, as amended by section 3, chapter lxxv, Session Laws of 1894, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2032, s. 21. Real estate sold for taxes, may be redeemed by any person, interested therein, at any time within four years after the date of the sale thereof, by such person paying into the county treasury for the use of the purchaser, or his legal representative, the amount paid by such purchaser, and all costs, as aforesaid, with interest at the rate of one and one half per cent, per month, on the whole, from the day of sale to that of the redemption, and all taxes that have accrued thereon and which have been paid by the purchaser after his purchase to the time of redemption. The county treasurer shall, when any property is redeemed make the proper entry in the record of tax sales filed in his office by the collector, which entry, or a certificate of the fact of redemption properly certified by the treasurer, shall be prima facie evidence of such redemption.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved February 17, 1896.

#### CERTIFYING WARRANTS.

An act authorizing and requiring certain public officers to certify bonds, warrants and certificates of indebtedness of counties, cities and school districts, and prescribing penalties for neglecting same and for false and fraudulent certificates.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Utah:

SECTION 1. The county clerk of each county, the recorder of each city, the clerk of each board of education and the clerk of each school district in this State shall endorse a certificate upon every bond, warrant or other evidence of debt, issued pursuant to law, by any such officer, that the same is within the lawful debt limit of such county, city and school district respectively, and is issued according to law. He shall sign such certificate in his official character.

Sec. 2. Any person mentioned in the

foregoing section who shall neglect to endorse any certificate required thereby, or who shall make any such certificate falsely and fraudulently, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and punishable by a fine, not exceeding one thousand dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail, not exceeding one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect thirty days after approval.

Approved February 21, 1896.

#### HONORS TO A S. S. SUPERINTENDENT

WEST WEBER, April 21, 1896.

The calls for missionaries are coming with remarkable frequency. We have a number in the field from this place, and on Saturday next Elder Nathan Hawks Sr. will leave for a mission to England. He came here from England about 1870, and has been a permanent resident, except for a period of four years which he spent working on the Salt Lake Temple, and an absence of two years as a missionary in the Northern States. He has labored efficiently in various callings in the ward and stake, and has always been found at his post of duty. About 1883 he was called to act as assistant superintendent in the West Weber Sunday school, holding this position until 1889, when he became the superintendent. He has labored with great success in this calling, and has brought the school to a condition of excellence approaching the best we have in the Weber Stake. Since receiving the call to fill a mission he has resigned the position of superintendent, and the school has been reorganized with Hyrum McFarland as superintendent and Edward Green and N. Hanks Jr. as assistants.

A farewell party and picnic was given in honor of Brother Hawks by the new superintendency last Friday evening at which an excellent program was rendered. During the evening he was presented with an elegant gold watch—the gift of the school over which he has presided for so many years, and a token of the loving remembrance in which he will be held while he journeys beyond the sea. His ceaseless ticking will justly remind him of innocent hearts that beat in unison with prayers for his safe return.

Respectfully yours,

JUNIUS.

#### NOTES.

A drunken tramp was cut to pieces by a train at San Jose, Cal., Sunday night.

A meeting was held in Bakersfield, Cal., recently for the purpose of organizing a home-product club.

An artillery company, to be known as the Okanogan Mounted Rifles, has been formed at Vernon, B. C.

The Arizona agricultural experimental station has made success of experiments in the culture of ramie.

Frank S. Koebels, a German, died in the padded cell at Oakland, Cal., Sunday night, from excessive drinking.

A horse thief named Clark, serving a term in Yuma, Arizona, proves to be a Texas murderer and will be taken to that state and placed on trial for his life.