BIG DRAWING CARD.

Another Chapter in the Sensational Police Raid.

CAPTAIN DONOVAN ON TRIAL.

Court Room Crowded so that Judge Wenger Expressed his Fears of a Building Crash.

The morbidly curious and otherwise interested persons thronged in and about the police court this afternoon in anticipation of the trial of Captain Donovan until ingress and egress to the building became well nigh an impossibility. The case has proved to be the greatest drawing card of any municipal court in years. All classes of people were present, among them Madam Evans and some of her girls, in whose unsavory domicile the captain was when the raid was made.

Conditions for a first class panic were extremely favorable and at one time it seemed imminent. Every inch of space in the court room was occupied by the great audience. The windows were closed and the atmosphere stifling. The doorway and aisle were blocked. Judge Wenger sensing the situation ordered that no more spectators be admitted as he had grave doubts as to the safety of the building with such a weight in it. A few persons crowded out into the fresh air but others apparently were determined to see and hear the proceedings even though they might be precipitated to the story below. In speaking to the question at bar Judge McKay said:

"If your honor please, in the matter which is now before us—the charge against Captain Donovan—I would prefer to have someone else prosecute the case, seeing that recently I have been in close consultation with the defendant. Besides I am not feeling well and consequently I suggested to Chief Pratt that he get someone else to prosecute the case. I suggested Mr. Parley L. Williams or other members of that firm, seeing that they had appeared legally in other cases for Mr. Pratt. The chief has refused to do this and I have got County Attorney Whittemore to take hold of it. Mr. Whittemore has suggested that the case be dismissed and that it be taken up under the Territorial statutes, but to this I emphatically say 'no.'"

"This case is brought under the city ordinances and it will have to be tried in this court. I want Donovan treated as any others would be in similar cases."

County Attorney Whittemore stated that in his request to have the case dismissed and taken up under the Territorial statutes, he had no desire whatever to cause delay. He had been called into the case but a short time ago, and if it was the desire of the city attorney to proceed forthwith, he would offer no objection.

Judge Powers, of counsel for the defendant, stated to the court that he objected to the manner in which the jury had been impanelled. He contended that the venire should have been served by the county sheriff instead of by a constable as had been the case.

City Attorney McKay—At whose instigation was the venire issued by the constable?

Judge Wenger—At the solicitation of Chief Pratt.

Judge Powers—I maintain that the mode of procedure in impaneling this jury was not as it should be. We object to the chief of police giving directions as to how and by whom a venire should be served.

Judge Wenger—The venire was issued under my direction and I claim that I have the right to direct in such matters.

Judge Powers—Well, we object to the proceedings and will reduce our objections to writing.

Judge Powers immediately set to work writing out his objections, after which they were read to the court and overruled, whereupon the defendants noted an exception.

The jury that had been impaneled was then called forth, their names being as follows: J. C. Cutler, C. J. Irwin, D. H. Wells, J. H. Brown and C. H. Parsons.

In the examination of the jury as to their eligibility to serve, Mr. Wells was excused, he not having been a resident of the city for a period of six months.

The remaining jurors were then subjected to a severe catechization by County Attorney Whittemore, who was followed by Judge Powers, in a series of severe questions testing their eligibility to serve as jurors.

In examining Mr. Irwin, Judge Powers learned that he was a resident of Waterloo, which was outside of the precincts of Salt Lake City, and consequently he objected to his serving, and Mr. E. F. Bauer was called upon to fill the vacancy and examined as the others.

At this point Judge Wenger directed the doorkeeper to allow none others to enter the room, because of the unsafe condition of the building, whereupon Judge Powers rejoined that it was all the more reason for allowing them to come in.

The members of the jury being satisfactory to both sides, the others who had been summoned were excused and witnesses for the prosecution taken into a private room, where they held a five minutes conference with County Attorney Whittemore.

OFFICER GILLESPIE TESTIFIES.

Officers Pack, Gillespie and De Young were then sworn for the prosecution and after the reading of the complaint by Clerk James, Officer Gillespie took the stand and testified as follows:

Had been a police officer in Salt Lake City over two years. On the morning of the 6th of February, about [illegible] o'clock, he and Officers Pack and De Young left the hall and went along State street to Third South, thence east half a block to a house known as a house of prostitution.

Judge Powers—I move to strike that out as a conclusion of the witness.

The prosecution consented to having it stricken out and the witness proceeded.

The woman who keeps the house goes by the name of Lil Evans. Two other women reside in the house. All three were known prostitutes. The witness and Officer De Young went to the front door, while Officer Pack went to the back door. Witness knocked at the door and was asked by one of those on the inside, who it was and what he wanted. He stated that he was an officer of the law and had come with a warrant of arrest. The place was dark and it was fully fifteen minutes after he first knocked until he was admitted. When he and Officer De Young went in they found the three women and a man in the house. The man's name was Joe Richards.

The witness here drew a sketch of the house and its location to the streets of Third South and Franklin avenue.

A moment or two afterwards, Officer Pack and Captain Donovan came into the house from the back shanty. Witness asked Mr. Pack if the captain was found in the house. Officer Pack answered that he was, whereupon witness placed him under arrest and ordered Officer Pack to convey him to the hall. The witness wore a black slouch hat, and a large overcoat. He was very pale and nervous when found.

Upon cross-examination by Judge Powers, witness stated that the raid was made under directions of Chief Pratt. They were told to make it in the morning. It was just breaking day when the witness and the others left the hall. The chief gave no reasons as to why the raid was made. He simply ordered the officers to make the raid. It was a general round-up, and all were pulled with the exception of the one behind the jail which had been run in the day before.

The witness was still being cross-examined when the News went to press.

IN THE COURTS.

Cases Heard by Judges Young and Street Today—How They Were Disposed Of.

Judge Young disposed of the following cases today:

Margery Aldrich vs James Collins; foreclosure of mortgage; judgment by default for plaintiff.

James W. Eardley vs Gerda M. Andersen, motion to confirm report of referee argued and taken under advisement.

The following cases came before Street today:

H. J. Richards vs. Little, Bounty & company; judgment for lease and rent set aside.

Andrews vs. Marion Gold Mining company; ten days given to amend complaint.

Wright vs. Utah Central railway; transferred to Summit county.

S. F. Walker, assignee, vs. Joseph Dedricks; hearing on demurrer set for Saturday next.

Dennis-Robinson Case.

The scandal connected with the Israel F. Dennis and Mrs. Robinson adultery case has been on hearing in the district court for two days. The evidence so far proves the defendants to be considerably "off color" in their understanding and conduct regarding moral and religious propriety. The case will come up again on Monday at 10 a. m.

The Northern Light.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk today by the Northern Light Mining and Milling company. The capital stock is $2,000,000 divided into 400,000 shares at the par value of $5 each taken by the following incorporators: Gill S. Peyton, E. D. Woodruff, W. E. Hubbard, E. G. Hogason, E. H. Airis, E. E. Crooks and H. W. Brown. The officers of the corporation are, Gill S. Peyton, president; E. H. Airis, vice president, and E. D. Woodruff, secretary and treasurer.

M. I. A. Lecture.

Elder J. H. Ward will deliver a lecture in the Second ward meeting house on Tuesday evening, February 11th, under the auspices of the Mutual Improvement Associations. The subject will be "Religious Development in America—Mormonism a Necessity of the Age." The lecture will commence at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

MINOR MENTION.

Elder Joseph E. Taylor will deliver a lecture on Priesthood under the auspices of the Eighth quorum of Elders in the Thirteenth ward assembly rooms on Monday evening, commencing at 7:30. All persons holding the Priesthood residing in the Eighteenth and Thirteenth wards are especially invited to attend.

A farewell party will be given to Elder Orson Hewlett, in the Third ward meeting house, on Wednesday evening next. Elder Hewlett is about to depart for the Southern States on a mission and the affair is given as a testimonial of the esteem in which he is held by his associates. His friends from other wards are invited to attend.

In the Sixth Ward.

On Tuesday next the lecture by Elder David McKenzie on The Divinity of the Bible, will be given in the Sixth ward meeting house, under the auspices of the Mutual Improvement associations. The lecture will commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Will Speak.

Elder Nephi L. Morris will deliver a lecture upon the subject of Priesthood, at the regular meeting of the Fourth quorum of Elders next Monday evening, in the Sixth ward meeting house, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the Priesthood are invited, and especially the Elders residing in the Sixth and Seventh wards.

LITERARY NOTE.

"The Anglo-American Imbroglio" serves as the caption under which two most important articles open the February number of the North American Review. The first is entitled "The Venezuelan Difficulty," by Andrew Carnegie, and the second, "The British Feeling," by the Right Hon. James Bryce, the distinguished author of "The American Commonwealth." These two articles, from so eminent sources, characteristically describe the sentiment pervading England and America respectively over the subject of the boundary dispute between the former country and the South American republic.

MINES AND MINING.

A Light Day and Few Sales On the Stock Exchange.

NO SALES OF LISTED STOCKS.

A Higher Figure Demanded for Mercur—A $50 Rate From Denver to New York—Dips and Spurs.

When Caller Callahan of the mining exchange called time this morning very few of the brokers were present. Afterwards, however, they dropped in one by one, and when the call of the listed stocks was reached, nearly all interested were on hand.

Generally speaking, the day was a poor one, and not one share of listed stocks was sold. Active hostilities commenced on Mercur, and a slight advance in quotations was the result. Woolley appeared extremely anxious to get hold of some of the stock, and made offerings all the way from $6.75 to $7.15 for it; but Kenneth Donnellan, who seemed to be the most willing to sell, held out for $7.25, from which price he obstinately refused to recede. The movements on the other listed stocks were about as usual, as great amount of enthusiasm being manifest.

The calls of unlisted stocks opened with Camp Floyd, which Allen offered at 25 cents. This offer was quickly taken up by Conway, who succeeded in getting 1,000 shares—the first sale of the stock that has been recorded on the present exchange. A sale of 1,000 shares of Dalton was next in order, after which Little Pittsburg was taken hold of and worried to the extent of 5,000 shares being sold.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

MINES	ASKED	BID
Anchor		
Ajax	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alliance	[illegible]	[illegible]
Annie	[illegible]	
Bullion Beck	[illegible]	
Centennial Eureka	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly West	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eureka Hill		
East Golden Gate	[illegible]	[illegible]
Geyser	[illegible]	[illegible]
Golden Gate		
Hecla		
Horn Silver		[illegible]
Mercur	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mammoth	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mattom		
Ontario	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sioux Consolidated		
Silver King	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sunshine	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah	[illegible]	[illegible]

UNLISTED STOCKS.

NAME	ASKED	BID
S. A. Natural Gas	[illegible]	11
Dalton	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lucky Bill		
Tetro (Tintic)	4	[illegible]
Gold Belt		
Little Pittsburg	45	46
Shower Consolidated (Tintic)		
Eagle		
Fatima (Tintic)	40	
Rogue		
Morgan (Park City)	45	40
Rover		
Richmond Anaconda		
Utica		
Phoenix (Cottonwood)		
Cleveland (Tintic)	15	
Bailey		
Swansea		
Tetro (Bingham)		
Camp Floyd	25	22
Utah	[illegible]	
Golden Star	3	
Morgan (Henderson)	25	[illegible]

TODAY'S SALES.

One thousand shares of Camp Floyd at 25 cents; 1,000 Dalton at 7½ cents; 1,000 Little Pittsburg at 2 cents and 4,000 at 1¾.

Dips and Spurs.

Mining men who have just returned from Mercur state that the recent blizzard there was one of the most severe that they have ever encountered.

The assays of a car of ore taken from the face of the Ajax drift, show in the ton $1.30 in gold, eighteen ounces silver and twenty-three per cent copper.

High grade ore has been found in the Rover group in Camp Floyd mining district at a depth of seventy-five feet. The face of [illegible] reveals a cinnabar, which gives evidence of the continuation of high-grade ore between Mercur and Sunshine.

A telegram to Broker R. L. Colburn was read at the exchange today, bearing the information that a special train for the opening of the New York Mining exchange, would leave Denver on the 12th inst., for which a round trip of $50 had been quoted. A meeting of the exchange to appoint representatives to attend the New York opening, will be held shortly.

Mt. Pleasant Pyramid: M. G. Ralph returned last week from an extended trip down into southern Utah. He reports a new and important gold discovery in the western part of Iron county which is attracting much attention, and where the State Line mining district has just been organized. Several properties are already giving great promises, and Mr. Ralph himself has one over which he feels very sanguine.

Cripple Creek As It Is.

Most mining camps are dreary, bleak and cold in winter and not over cheerful in summer; but Cripple Creek is an exception to the general rule. Here the hills are rounded, grass grown and pine-clad, with miles of carriage roads and hundreds of miles of good trail, or bridle paths, little sunny vales full of wild flowers where crystal brooks gurgle through the tall grass. Leaving Cripple Creek, the Florence railroad winds away through forests of pine, while the Midland, after crossing an open park, drops suddenly into dark canyons, deep gorges and wild glens. The scene from Cripple Creek at morning, when heaven's searchlight teeters up over the shoulder of Pike's Peak, catching the summit of Sangre de Christo range and turning its way down to the base, showing every gorge and peak—almost every pinon—fifty miles away, is worth crossing the Atlantic to see. More gorgeous still is the scene at evening, when the sun teeters down across the western range and burns its way up to the top of Pike's Peak, turning the trees to torches and the crags and spires to splinters of gold. The thousands of tourists who will go to the top of the Peak next summer can, by the aid of their glasses, look down into these great gold fields and count a half dozen busy towns, holding no less than twenty-five thousand souls, that have been built up around the original camp of the cripples. Last summer they ran suburban trains every hour out of Cripple Creek, and now they are to have a free delivery of mails and there is talk of another railroad direct from Denver. This latter enterprise, it seems, would be a senseless undertaking, not at all necessary to the prosperity of the camp nor the country at large. The sharp competition between the rival roads already there will insure low rates, probably lower than the railroads can afford. What more do they need?—February Review of Reviews.

Sixty Miles 'Tween Earth and Moon.

The magnifying power of the telescope can be made by more change of eye piece to range anywhere from about two hundred to four thousand. This highest power will bring the moon, optically, to within just about sixty miles from the observer's eye; but he will see her surface much more clearly than one can see the details of a terrestrial landscape at that distance from the top of a mountain, because in the latter case the surface is viewed very obliquely, and through the densest and haziest portion of our atmosphere.

Any lunar object five or six hundred feet square would be distinctly visible—a building, for instance, as large as the capitol at Washington. A line much narrower than this, especially if it differed much in color or brightness from the background, would at once attract attention, and so would any brilliant object, even if no larger or brighter than any ordinary arc light.—North American Review for February.

Personal Paragraphs.

Horse Shoe Jake, of Denver, is at the Templeton.

J. L. Smith and wife, of Chicago, arrived at the Templeton this morning.

J. E. Bradley, a well known business man of St. Louis, can be found at the Templeton.

John T. Lelyland, of Denver, and J. S. Walters, of Hailey, Ida., are guests at the Walker.

W. L. Eastman, a prominent citizen of Omaha, Neb., has his autograph on the Templeton register.

H. D. Brown and F. P. Hanlon, of Omaha; M. J. Hillier and H. F. Reit, of St. Louis and H. L. Gorral and A. L. Payne, of Chicago, are among the late arrivals at the Knutsford.

Dunraven Will Apologize.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The Saturday Review today publishes a rumor that a fitting and ample apology from Lord Dunraven to the New York Yacht club is on the way to the United States.

Odd Mention.

The new machines for husking and shredding corn are having a big run in the middle and central states.

Mr. B. S. Russel of North Dakota is quoted as saying that "the corn belt is moving northward, following the civilization of the soil by wheat."

A very valuable addition to the list of fodder plants for sheep is the crimson clover that may be sown in May and will be ready to pasture off in August.

Oregon Agriculturist claims that mutton, which can be grown cheaper than beef, is the least affected with infectious diseases.

Celery can be kept in the cellar without wilting by setting the roots in sand and keeping the roots, not the tops, damp.

OBITUARY.

ELIZABETH E. HARRIS.

MENDON, Feb. 7, 1896.—Yesterday, at 2 p.m., our ward meeting house was again filled with people, having been notified that another funeral would be held, this being the third one since December last. This time it is our organist, she having played for our ward meetings for a number of years.

Sister Elizabeth Ellen Harris, daughter of Thomas F. and Elizabeth Dearden, was born August [illegible], 1872, and died Tuesday morning, February 4, 1896, leaving a grief-stricken husband and a baby girl two weeks old.

Brothers Steven Beard, Robert A. Jones, James Fowler and Bishop Peckett made appropriate and consoling remarks.

J. L.

SARAH THOMPSON PHELPS.

Died, at Mesa City, Ariz., January 31, 1896, Sarah Thompson Phelps, relict of Patriarch Morris Phelps, born March 20, 1820, in Pompey, Chautauqua, N. Y. She received the Gospel in 1833; was at Kirtland to witness the construction of the Temple and its dedication and to often hear testimony of the Gospel therein. With the poor and persecuted she fled to Missouri in 1838, there to endure the terrible persecutions and poverty of the coming winter and the expulsion the following spring of 1839. She was among the first at Nauvoo; was married to Bro. Phelps at Macedonia in 1841 and witnessed all the persecutions resulting in the Prophet's martyrdom and in our expulsion from Nauvoo. She arrived in Utah, settling at Alpine in 1851; moved to Montpelier, Idaho, in 1864, and when her husband died in 1876, with her son H[illegible] and she came to Arizona in 1877. She was president of the first organized Relief Society in Maricopa Stake and has been truly a mother and matron in Zion. She has gone crowned with the love and blessing of the poor and all who knew her. She left two children, twenty-eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren to bear her name through all ages to come.

Elders Hawks, Openshaw and Patriarch B. F. Johnson gave words of consolation and of hope to the mourners at her funeral, hoping that the close of their earthly probation might be like with hers in their having so good a record.

B. F. Johnson.

COMMERCIAL.

SALT LAKE CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's clearing house exchanges amounted to $122,860; same day last year, $171,562. Week's clearings, $908,034; same week last year, $935,052.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

New York.—Silver, 67¼; lead, $2.90.
London.—Silver, 30 14-16d.

ORE AND BULLION.

Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Penn. bullion, $3,985.

W. S. McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and lead ores, $5,600; Hanauer bullion, $4,400. Total, $10,000.

T. R. Jones & Co., received today, Ores, $1,200; base bullion, $3,500. Total, $4,700.

STOCKS AND MARKETS.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 8.—Share speculation opened active and irregular, with only slight variations. Dealings in industrials were very heavy the first fifteen minutes. Sugar receded [illegible] per cent and then rose [illegible].

Trading in railways was light.

Later trading became strong on light dealings. Industrials received good support. The railroad list shared [illegible] with [illegible] most conspicuous in the movement. Toward 11 o'clock a general upward movement was inaugurated. Missouri Pacific sold up 1 per cent and other shares a smart fraction.

Buying orders for round amounts of stocks were executed after 11 o'clock, resulting in substantial improvements throughout the list. Sugar rose to 113¾.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, noon, Feb. 8.

Wheat—February, [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Corn—February, [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Oats—February [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Pork—February, [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Lard—February, [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Ribs—February, [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Rye—[illegible].
Barley—[illegible].
Flax—[illegible].
Timothy—[illegible].

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 8.

Hogs, receipts today 13,000. Market fairly active, 5c lower.

Cattle, receipts, [illegible]. Market quiet, unchanged.

Sheep receipts, 1,000; market quiet and steady.

Silver, Lead.

Silver [illegible]; lead, $2.90.

Weekly Bank Statement.

New York, Feb. 8.—Reserve, increase, [illegible]; loans, decrease, [illegible]; specie increase, [illegible]; legal tender, increase, [illegible]; deposits, increase, [illegible]; circulation, decrease, [illegible]. The banks now hold [illegible] in excess of requirements.

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