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Thinking of Snow at Home One Elk Braves Mysteries of Ice Cream Parlor.

FOUR HOPEFUL CANDIDATES.

Go Into Training to Prepare Themselves for Membership-New Hotel Entertains Bunch of 700.

The Salt Lake Elks continue to en. joy themselves in southern California where the people are extending every hospitality. The only drawback has been a rainy day that kept them close to the hotels for the time being. But the visitors are penetrating everywhere, and everywhere are glad hands stretched out in welcome, so that they feel perfectly at home. The Los Angeles Herald of recent date has the following account of the doings of the Elks, which will be read with interest by their stay-at-home fellow citizens in Salt Lake

salt Lake: There were more than 700 of them and they stood around the corridors and lobby of the Hotel Alexandria yes-terday, and said things about a certain rainy condition which had sandwiched itself into Los Angeles when sunshine and balmy breezes should have been the order. the order

They were all Elks, every one of them. They were all **Kiks**, every one of them, and t. y had come to California to see sunshine in midwinter, so yesterday when they found it impossible to view the broad stretches of country from the top of Mount Lowe they decided to stay at home and view the interior of the batel

ONLY ONE GLOOMY DAY.

ONLY ONE GLOOMY DAT. Oh, it was gloomy standing around that hotel awaiting turns to go to the bas, and even the brightest of the herd grumbled as they watched the rain. But every cloud is said to have a silver lining, and whereas the Elks didn't go, they had more funds for a regular good old time last night and the theaters were crowded with them. Late yesterday afternoon one of the prominent members of the Salt Lake lodge was missed from the Alexandria, and as the particular member has a and as the particular member has a faculty for inventing something orig-inal the other Elks made a search for inal the other Elks made a search for him. They found him walking stealth-ily along South Spring street and pre-sently as they looked this brother slipped into an ice eream parlor. Knowing him as they did, the remaind-ed of the party tiptoed in expectant si-lence to the door of the place and tested in

looked in. Most of them encountered the same thrift a youngster does when he first thrift a youngster does when he first enters a theater or a circus, but there, sitting on the very front seat, not the second sea not the third stool, but the very first, was the lost elk, and perched in front of him was a great glass of fee cream soda from which he was gently sipping the beverage, while a strange wry expression stole over his free

face. Then the elks got real mad and charged him in a body. "Here, you child of the candy tooth, slip loose from that stuff," commarded one, and the victim turned on them with a scowl

of anger. "Aw, shut up," he said. "Isn't it bad enough to have to sit here and drink



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and banjo players and things, and out of all our members we havent a one who can do more than pick out 'Peter, Peter, punkin eater, or some other sim-ilarly intellectual gem on the plano by

ilarly intellectual gem on the piano by the painful application of one finger to the ivories," stated one of the officers of the local lodge yesterday. "Here instead of having a bunch of good singers, the only tilng the mem-bers can sing is 'Show me the way to go home, boys." There's Ernie Werdin, who was superintendent of streets; he ought to have a voice like a calliope, but he won't sing, and there are a number of members who can make a noise like an elk and won't." number of members who can make a noise like an elk and won't." It is suggested that from the excellent rendition of "The Star Spangled Ban-ner" by Doc Houghton at the meeting of the Republican league several nights ago, the Doc be asked to get up a glee club for the local herd. He might train them in the jungles in Hollywood. The visitors will probably make Los Angeles their headquarters for 30 days, and in the meantime they will visit all the near-by cities and take in all places of amusement.

HAVE YOU DYSPEPSIA, INDIGES-TION?

If to-day you suffer from impaired digestion, sluggish liver or impure blood, and you were told of a preparation which would cure you at a small cost would you try the remedy? There cost would you try the remedy? There is a mdicine-Green's August Flower. Go to your druggist's and buy a test bottle for 25 cents, or the regular size for 75 cents. If you have used all other dyspepsia remedies without satisfac-tion, or if you have never used any preparation for the distressing affec-tions: if you have headache, billous-ness, loss of appetite, sleepleseness ner-yousness, or any disorder of the stom-

Makes the lightest most delicious and tasty hot biscuit



Life.

INSTRUCTIVE AND AMUSING.

Tells of Peculiar Ideas Entertained By Easterners With Reference to Utah and the "Mormons."

Special Correspondence. New York, Feb. 12 .--- In traveling from place to place I am so often struck with the varying phases of human life; each section of country through which one passes seeming to have its men and women who partake strongly of their surroundings. It has occurred to me that a letter describing people I have met on the trains might be both instructive and amusing to the readers of the Deseret News.

sessing faculties of observation can fail to be happy in this many sided world of ours; for humanity working at the mighty loom of fate always crosses the darker threads of tragedy with the golden strands of comedy and the tired sobs of the weavers are al-ways consolled by dear, restful laugh-

Last summer in an observation car in route from Kansas City to Chicago, I was a silent listener to a story about Utah which proved the old adage, lis-teners never hear any good of them-selves; furthermore, it was an illus-tration of the fact that a traveler must be served of the matter that a traveler must selves; furthermore, it was an illus-tration of the fact that a traveler must be very careful in relating any incident about places he has visited or people he has seen lest his accuracy and truth-fulness be questioned by other travelers. But to return to the observation car, it was filled with an unusually intelli-gent class of people, and from chance remarks made here and there I gath-ered that they were tourists from vari-ous parts of the country. One man, educated, evidently a gen-tleman, was more talkative than the others. He was the usual type of a traveling salesman, we immediately dub "a drummer." I was sitting to his left. He was conversing with a gentle-man opposite him. As this conversation was personal in character, I paid no attention to it until I heard him say. "Im from Chicago and I've just re-turned from Utah, the Mormon coun-try, and I want to tell you that's a good place to keep away from, for if you wish to settle there and you are not a Mormon, your vote is worthless, be-cause they run things politically; then if you wish to go there for business, you haven't a ghost of a chance, be-cause a few men and a Church organi-zation, known as Zion's Co-operative after speaking at the functal services of a dear friend of mine, my heart was also heavy from saying good-bye to home and loved ones, hence, after taking the train I was rather occupied with my own thoughts and failed to take any account of my fellow passen-gers until I suddenly found myself at Grand Junction station. The only pas-sengers entering our Pullman at this point were a pretty little dark-eyed woman' and her two bright looking children, a boy and a girl. They entered their compartments across the aisle from mine. Directly facing me sat a tall, lank, good-natured looking man of the Sol Smith Russell type. We passed a com-pliment or two, he remarked on the inconvenience of upper berths and crowded cars and settled back com-fortably to his magazine. I turned my

leze by a most unearthly yell. I had confusion of thoughts, the upper-most one being there has been an acident.

rat bounded out of the coat of my tall

and landed in my lap. I never did like rats, so naturally it was my next move, soon every per-son in the car was on the move. After the little boy and girl had successfully captured the rat and the noise had subsided it developed that the little thing was a pet which the children were taking with them to see "grandma in Omaha," and as each person busied himself with cards or newspaper. I know that he inwardly echoed my exclamation, "Ob rats!"

THE USUAL STORY.

The incident opened up a conversa-

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

DO YOU REMEMBER ?

Field Marshal Von Moltke of Germany was reported to be seriously ill. Count De Lesseps of the Panama Canal company arrived at Colon, and was enthusiastically received.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

A Southern Pacific train was wrecked near Winnemucca, Nev., by which six people were killed and many injured.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.

James C. Paget, a well known actor, died in New York.

In a revival meeting at Cedar Falls, Ia., W. H. Truesdell arose and confessed to having committed a murder.

character.

will find more polygamy to the square inch in any city of the same size than you will find to the square mile in Salt

Lake City." We then discussed Utah socially, ethically and politically with the result that the gentleman offered to help make it possible for me to express myself publicly on Utah should I ever visit Albany.

lady looking very intently at the pass-ing scenery and her pursed-up lips identified her as the musician. She

kept up her as the musicial. She kept up her sweet melodies until the dask had fallen, and seemed all un-conscious of listeners. Her repertoire included The Wearing of the Green, Annie Laurie, Home, Sweet Home and Nearer My God To Thee.

ANOTHER STORY OF UTAH.

cause a few men and a Church organi-zation, known as Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution, run the whole

By this time he had raised his voice

and had the attention of the whole

rowd. As I listened I thought of Utah's

I couldn't stand it any longer, so very unobtrusively holding up my K. of P. badge, I said quietly, "What you are saying isn't true, 'old man;" it isn't true." To which he replied, "Oh, yes During our conversation we had for an accompaniment some most excellent we paid no attention to this, gradually it pleasantly obtruded itself upon our notice. We looked about the car, but failed to locate the whistler. After a

time as the sound continued my gaze caught the sweet face of a little oid

It is" "I say it isn't." "I tell you I've been there." "So have I." "I tried to sell goods all over Utah, even went down to that jumping-off place-St. George." "I also have travelled all over Utah as a salesman-even down to St. George, only I sold my goods, one of my wares helng an anti-Mormon publication. While thus employed I was entertained in Mormon homes, and I know the peo-ple." ple

es a charm on my watch chain, and it passed through my mind: "Brother, we are both pledged to tell the truth." Story after story followed, humorous and horrible, all villifying in their

ple." "But, I was there six weeks, and know all about it." "Well, I know a little bit about it, too: I've been there 36 years." A general laugh followed and one gen-tleman spoke up and said, "Speak a lit-tle londer and tell us more about Utah." There was a chorus of "yes, do." So I had the novel experience of addressing an audience on a moving train. Openan audience on a moving train. Open-ing with the well known lines,

Breathes there the man

With soul so dead Who never to himself hath sam, This is my own, my native land?

For while Utah is not my native land I found my wife there, and I have fty sons born there, who if they desire to grow up with our growing state. I wish to help in common with all other sons of Utah, to have every possible chance unhindered by the tongue of stander and ridicule slander and ridicule.

ONE VOICE IN DEFENSE.

So I lifted my one voice before that small audience, as I always will lift it wherever I go to defend an honest as-

wherever I go to defend an honest as-piring state. When I adopted America as my coun-try, I adopted it because I was born free and believed in freedom and equali-ty embodied in its Constitution. And I appeal to all those citizens of Utah who really love their home to help free Utah from the bondage of prejudice and misunderstanding by proudly telling the truth at all times and everywhere. I had proposed writing this letter in a lighter vein, but have gotten upon my

I had proposed writing this letter in a lighter vein, but have gotten upon my old hobby horse, liberty and freedom for every creed and every race, and so space forbids my telling the amusing stories I had meant to tell, for My country! timof thee, Sweet land of liberty, Of thee I sing. JOHN P. MEAKIN.

As I listened I thought of Utah's Commercial club, the Real Estate as-sociation and other organizations for the development of trade and com-merce. I longed for Fisher Harris and Orlando W. Powers, for with their elo-quent tongues they might have dis-pelled the conviction which was begin-ming to settle upon the minds of all present that Utah was no place to live or invest money. Duniap Hats For Spring.

We place this celebrated maker's products and designs on sale Saturday, February 17. They exhibit the same air of exclusiveness of shapes that have always been shown in Dunlap

or invest money. I casually noted my friend wore a K. of P. badge similar to one I wear, CO. reations. BROWN, TERRY & WOODRUFF CO. Tel. 193. 166 Main street.

Attorney Edwards Brings Suit **Against Companies Organized** By The Defendant.

FRAUDULENT ACTS ALLEGED.

It is Therefore Asked That a Certain Contract be Rescinded-Wants Note of \$500 Cancelled.

Another chapter of the transactions of Hyrum Tyree and his three allied companies, was brought to light yesterday afternoon when Attorney H. C. Edwards brought suit in the district court, against the Western Agency company, and the Western Securities company, which were organized by Tyree, to have rescinded a certain contract wherein plaintiff agreed to pur

trace of him, and hence believe him dead. ANOTHER CHAPTER IN THE TYREE CASE.

The hearing of the regular weekly

Public is Aroused.

relief, and in a short time I was en-tirely cured." Guaranteed at Z. C. M.

, drug store, 112-114 south Main street

HEAD CONSUL OF WOODMEN.

I. I. Boak of Pacific Jourisdiction to

Deliver Lecture in Utah,

The local Woodmen of the World will

listen next Tuesday evening to Head

Consul I. I. Boak of the Pacific Juris-

diction, who is touring the intermoun-

tain states in the interest of the or-der. He is lecturing on "The Principles of Woodcraft," and will speak first in Utah at Provo, Monday night: Tuesday in this city, Wednesday at Bingham, Thursday at Mount Pleasant, Friday at Ogden, Saturday at Murray, After that Mr. Baak will on to Wyoming. The

Mr. Boak will go to Wyoming. The order is now 15 years old, and has a membership of 400,000. The function

The public is aroused to a knowledge The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 545 St. Clair avenue, Co-lumbue, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after begin-ning to take Electric Bitters. I obtained

My leave taking of Salt Lake some six weeks ago was of a saddening na-ture, as, I drove directly to the station after speaking at the funeral services of a dear friend of mine, my heart was

fortably to his magazine. I turned my attention to the scenery and my own thoughts, and was soon slumbering peacefully.

was awakened from my pleasant

I came to quickly for a large white friend, who was gesticulating wildly, and landed in my lap.

between my long friend and m

His estate consists of \$500 on deposit in McCornick's bank, and a life insur-ance policy for \$1,000. MRS. KIRK AWARDED \$3,000. MRS. KIRK AWARDED \$3,000. In the case of Mrs. Alice J. Kirk against Salt Lake City, which has been on trial in Judg Echie's court for the past three 6 the jury yester-day afternoon reached a verdict in favor of piaintiff for \$3,000. The action was brought to recover damages for injuries received by Mrs. Kirk, in Oc-tober, 1904, when she fell into a hole in a defective sidewalk on Eighth South street.

FOUR DIVORCES GRANTED.

divorce calendar yesterday afternoor by Judge Morse resulted in four de-crees of divorce being rendered as fol-Raiph E. Brown was divorced from support: Gertrude B. Yearsley from Gerald R. Yearsley, failure to support; Edwin O. Olson from Arena Olson, cru-eity; M. F. Freebairn from Millie G. elty; M. F. Freeball Freebairn, desertion.

I cannot see how any person pos-

this stuff while real people are liable to look at you? I tell you I'm doin' this out of sentiment, because there why snow on the ground when I left home and I want to say I have sipped ice cream soda when others were freezing. Now you know why I'm here." The others admitted they did and then

with shy glances at one another they all sat down and Angelenos were for once treated to a sight of Elks drinking soda

It is even stated that today when the Elks take the balloon trip to the beaches some of them will insist on going in swimming, and if they do they may be disbarred.

FOUR HOPEFUL CANDIDATES.

But tonight, away with dissipation, for the work of war is at hand. Four would-be Elks will be taken in hand by the local lodge and put through the performance necessary to secure admission to the order

At present the hopeful candidates are hardening their bodies, butting their heads against brick walls and taking copious rub downs with witch hazel, for

the performance is for the visitors and the candidates will be given the limit. There is only one regret in the hearts of the local Elks, and that is because they have no quartet to sing nor any member to make the night somber with strains from a plane or stringed instru-

"Its a shame that here all the school kids in the country have singing classes

100 TIMES

He Read the Pamphlet to Keep Up His Courage.

This letter was unsolicited: Salt Lake City, Utah. March 31, 1905.

Jno. J. Fulton Co., San Francisco-Dear Sirs: It is with the greatest pleasure that I write to tell you that your Compound for Bright's Disease has saved my life. I had dropsy. Was tapped twice, last time just as I started on the Comp. I read your pamphlet about 100 times. When discouraged I would read it again to give me hope. It was slow, but I am now on my 3rd doz. and consider myself well. I am just today back to business. Every onewill tell you my recovery was a miracle. Without this Comp. I'd have been

dead. Yours, ANDREW, C. LARSEN. Of Sorensen & Larsen, 145 West Sec-ond South.

P. S.-My partner Sorensen wants to add this line: "I telephoned to doctor daily. He said you had no chance to recover and for me to arrange your business. When you showed improvement under the Comp. I telephoned the Dr. He replied: 'It makes no difference; it is as impossible for him to recover as to empty the ocean.'

M. SORENSEN." Bright's Disease and Diabetes are now curable in about \$7 per cent of all F. J. Hill Drug Co., local agents, Sait Lake City. gases by Fulton's Compounds. Send for

literature. literature. When to suspect Bright's Disease-weakness or loss of weight; puffy an-kles, hands or eyelids; dropsy. Kidney kles, hands or eyelids; dropsy. Kidney trouble after the third month-Urine may show sediment; failing vision; drowsiness; one or more of these.

vousness, or any disorder of the stom-mach or liver, cure yourself quickly chase 200 shares of stock of the West ern Securities company for the total using the infallible August Flower, is not an alcoholic stimulant but quite harmless for general use. Get a copy of Green's Prize Almanac. At all druggists.

PICTURE BEING PAINTED.

That of Former Mayor Morris Will Be Hung in Council Chamber.

The city council chamber now contains the pictures of all of the mayors of Salt Lake with the exception of that of former Mayor Richard P. Morris, which will soon be added. Yesterday the picture of former Mayor James Glendinning, which was ordered by the last council, was delivered and placed on the wall in the council chamber. A neture of ex-Mayor Morris is now he picture of ex-Mayor Morris is now being painted.

No Pill is as pleasant and positive as DeWit's Little Early Risers. These Famous Little Pills are so mild and effective that children, delicate ladies and weak people enjoy their cleansing effect, while strong people say they are the best liver pills sold. Never gripe... Sold by F. C. Schramm, druggist; where the care stop by Tyree, who has not even paid for his stock. The said company, it is claimed, is wholly irresponsible. Mr. Edwards asks that his contract be rescinded on the ground of fraud and that his note for \$500 be cancelled and that has have undernant against the where the cars stop.

ARMSTRONG HOME ROBBED. Burglars Secure Valuables to the Amount of \$250.

One burglary and at least one or more attempts were added last night to the recent list of depredations on the part of adept manipulators of the "skeleton key" and "jimmy."

Wearing apparel, silverware and jew-elry to the probable amount of \$250 were taken from the residence of W. W. Armstrong, 68 G street, during the ab-sence of the family last night. A rear sence of the family last hight. A rear upper window had been pried open, and several rooms were ransacked in the search for valuables. Among other things taken was the sealskin jacket of

things taken was the searskin jacket of Mrs. Armstrong. At the residence of A. H. Boxrud, 48 Sixth East street, some one tried to open the front door, but a servant, who was alone in the house, suddenly turned on the light, and the prowler field. Diligent search is being made by the police for the parties guilty of the oft-recurring burglaries. oft-recurring burglaries.

HORSES ARE GOOD ENOUGH.

Autombile and Walked Four Miles.

Hereafter, it is very likely that members of the city council will rely upon the old faithful horse as a means of transportation when they go out on tours of inspection of the city's property and work. Yesterday six councilmen and two city of-

terday six councilmen and two city of-ficials started out in an automobile to in-spect the Jordan & Salt Lake canal, but very little of it was inspecied for the rea-son that the automobile went wrong and all efforts to repair it were unsuccessful, and the members of the party were com-pelled to walk four miles in the mud to Sandy, and from there they took a train back to the city. To say that they were weary with their long walk through mud-dy country roads hardly express their feelings, and they have little to say about their trip. Those who went are Councilman Crabtree. Carter. Barnes, O'Donnell, Hobday and Fernstrom, and City Engimeer Keisey and Land and Wa-ter Commissioner Mathews and Foreman A. S. Little.

sum of \$1,000. Mr. Edwards paid \$500 in cash for the stock and gave his note for the balance of the agreed pur-chase price. He now asks that the contract be rescinded on the ground of alleged fraudulent representations made at the time of the sale of the

stock. Plaintiff alleges that on Oct. 1, 190

representatives of the securities com pany represented to him that the com

pany would do a general banking busi-ness and would handle all of the funds of the Continental Life Insurance & Investment company, organized by Ty-ree, and would thus make large profits Upon such representations he was in duced to purchase 200 shares of stock Instead, it is alleged, of the Securi ties company handling the funds o the life insurance company it fraud ulently entered into an agreement with the Western Agency company to han-dic the money and the total sum of about \$100,000 of insurance money has been turned over to the agency com-

of Tuesday evening will include a re-ception for the noted visitor, pany by the Securities company, and it is alleged that the money is being dissipated. The agency company, if is alleged, is incorporated for \$10,000, and the inajority of the stock is owned

Ladies, read this catalougue of charma. Bright eyes, glowing cheeks, red lips, a smooth skin without a biemish, in short, perfect health. For sale with every package Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Store, 112-114 Main Street.

DR. COBURN'S FAREWELL.

Rev. Dr. Coburn preached last night, in the Y. M. C. A., to a good audience on the theme of judgment, with Dan-

iel's attitude as the text. It was announced that the evangelist would

nounced that the evangelist would preach Sunday morning before the First Methodist church, before the Y. W. C. A. at 3:30 in the afternoon, at the First Presbyterian church, and in the evening at the Presbyterian church, before the combined congre-gations of the First Presbyterian, First Methodist and First Baptist churches. This evening service with churches, This evening service will be Dr. Coburn's farewell appearance, as he leaves for the east Monday.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and bil-ousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills, He says: "They are a perfect remedy, He says: "They are a perfect remedy for dizziness, sour stomach, headache constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Z. C. M. I. drug store, 112-114 M. I. drug store, 112-114 south Main street; price 25c.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

That of the Salt Lake Stake Will be Held on Monday.

The regular Sunday School Union of the Salt Lake stake will be held in the Six teenth ward chapel, Monday evening, Feb 19, commencing at 7:30. The work in the

19. commencing at 7:39. The work in the several departments will be as follows: Superintendent's Department - Lesson from statistics of 1955, and echoes from convention of city stake boards. Theological Department-Use of charts in course for 1956. Socretaries Department-Echoes from convention of stake boards. Port. Stewart will lecture to the teachers of the fract intermediate, primary and kindergarten departments, his subject being the "Bad Boy and the Teacher." It goes without question that the lecture will be an interesting one.

100,000 Rolls of Wall Paper Just received at Z. C. M. I. The hand comest line ever brought to this city.

ing to take Electric Bitters, I obtained self. He turned out to be a certain O. B. Watson from Connecticut who had been traveling in California for his health. "Yesterday," he remarked, "I spent a most interesting day driving around Sait Lake City." I was curlous spent a most interesting day driving around Salt Lake City." I was curious to know just what he had heard re-garding our state. I simply told him I was fraternalist. He had heard the story of six wives living in a row, the Amelia Palace story and all the other hack stories, but his hack driver gave him one about Brigham Young with extra trimmings. I will relate it as nearly as I can remember in his lan-guage: guage

saw Maude Adams while I was in New York a few years ago in the 'Little Minister,' I understand she uses her mother's maiden name and that her birth place was Salt Lake City. Judge of my surprise at being told something which, no doubt, Miss Adams conceals from the public at Adams conceals from the public at large but which is well known in Salt Lake City. She is the one hundredth child of the late President Brigham Young and her mother, Miss Annie Adams, was wife No. 45. Miss Adama with her little one in her arms, left Utah when Brigham Young married Miss Amelia Folsom who became his favorite wife, a thing not to be en-dured by Maude's mother who had formerly held this position; I under-stand that Brienam Young was a patron of the arts and built the Salt Lake Theater, this no doubt accounts for Maude Adams' histrionic ability.

SET THE MAN RIGHT.

Shades of Jim Kisskaden, 1 felt it my duty as an old friend of "Yenith" Adams to do a little missionary work, so I handed the gentleman my card and gave him facts not only about "our" Maude, but about Utah in gen crai and Brigham Young in particular. The gentleman seemed disappointed when I told him that Brigham Young

had but nineteen wives. "On, is that all," he said so doubtfully that I proal, he said so doubtriny that I pro-duced the picture of the Mrs. Youngs as proof. He returned the compliment by showing me the inevitable picture of a "Mormon" family with its squab-bling women and one man. I said my picture is fact yours is fancy and quite as false as the stories you have told

you have told.

I am now wondering which set of stories Mr. Watson is repeating in Connecticut, mine or the hack-driver's,

IN DENVER.

I stayed over in Denver about 10 days delivering while there my lecture "Utah and the Mormons," to a large and seemingly interested audience. After leaving Denver, I looked around the car and saw no congenial spirit, most of the faces were beginning to take on the conventional formal charcteristics that mark all the faces east of Chicago. I felt rather lopely for association with my kind is quite for association with my kind is quite a necessary part of my enjoyment while traveling. Directly in front of me sat a gentleman reading Elbert Hubbard's little magazine, "The Philis-tine." I knew a man couldn't read Hubbard and not be companionable, so I ventured a "I beg your pardon!" I was not disappointed in my man and a most plassant hour followed.

most pleasant hour followed. The gentleman was a resident of Al-bany, N. Y. and when I informed him bany, N. Y. and when I informed num that Salt Lake City was my home, he said: "Oh indeed! Do you know, I suppose its very silly of me, but I've always considered Utah the synonym for Mormon, and Mormon the synonym for Mormon, and Mormon the synonym for polygamy. Now I suppose, as a matter of fact there are a few people living there who are not Mormons and a few Mormons who are not polygamists

QUESTION OF POLYGAMY. I replied, "Quite so, and possibly you

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and that he have judgment against the two defendant companies for the sum of \$500, which was paid as part of the purchase price of the stock. SURE OF HUSBAND'S DEATH.

Therefore Mrs. Mary Deming Asks for Letters of Administration.

Whether he is dead or alive, Mrs. Mary Deming wants the district court to declare her husband, Charles Dem-ing, dead, and asks for letters of ad-inistration of his estate. Legally he is dead, as he has not been seen or heard from by any member of his fam-tic ship and the second heard from by any member of his fam-ily since his departure from the city on June 8, 1898. If her petition, which was filed in the probate division of the dis-trict court yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Deming states that she is monally sure that her husband is dead, as he had always been very faithful to her in the matter of writing when he was away.

always been very faithful to her in the matter of writing when he was away, and she has no reason to believe that he has deserted her. At the time of his departure he in-tended going to Greeley, Colo., in the interest of a patent device for filling potato sacks, which he hoped to sell to the farmers in that potato-raising district. One of his sons accompanied bim to the denot and hade him goodbye

Members of City Council Started in

family has seen or heard from him, and they have been unable to find any Begin







