

NEW SCHOOLS ARE PLANNED

Board of Education Wrestling With Problem Increasing Population Now Presents.

TRYING TO SELL THE BONDS.

So as to Erect Possibly Three New Buildings in Various Sections of the City.

Salt Lake City's school population is growing so rapidly to suit the convenience of the board of education. That body is now wrestling with the problem of providing accommodations for a large number of children entitled to the privileges of the free schools. To accomplish this the board is trying to sell to advantage the \$250,000 in bonds recently voted but up to date has no offer that it considers wise to accept.

If the present plans are carried out for the coming season two and perhaps three new buildings will be erected in sections of the city where the school accommodations are the most needed. It is also proposed to enlarge the Emerson school in the southeast, the Riverside in the southwest, the Franklin west of the Rio Grande depot and some one of the school buildings in the northeastern section of the city.

The school building that seems to be most urgently demanded is the one planned for the southern part of the city. The board of education some time ago purchased a desirable site for this building east of the Salt Palace and just north of the Walker park. It is proposed to erect here a building of 12 rooms for the accommodation of the entire southern section and for the relief of the Grant school which is badly overcrowded.

EDWIN METCALF IN TOWN.

Mr. Edwin Metcalf of Auburn, New York, for years manager of O. M. Osborne & Company, makers of the harvesting machinery of the same name, passed through Salt Lake yesterday. The Osborne company went into the International Harvester at the time of the organization by J. Pierpont Morgan, and Mr. Metcalf is now connected with the executive department of the big combination.

MURDER AT SCOFIELD

Austrian Saloon Keeper Beats Out Fellow Countryman's Brains With Piece of Scantling.

From Carbon county have come as many tales of gun play men and border ruffians that it takes a pretty stiff story of death by violence to pass county records, but a murder committed there Saturday is given this record in the Scofield section where it occurred.

Louis Loga an Austrian, in an encounter with Jerry Bertz, another Austrian, beat out his brains and greatly disfigured his head, with only a two by four piece of scantling for a weapon. The murdered man interfered with a dance in a saloon where Loga was in charge. This caused Loga to elect him, with help from others, and then Loga followed the ejected man out, first picking up a piece of scantling used to bar the double doors at the entrance.

In a few minutes he returned, carried the scantling behind the door, and then started to shake dice with customers, while the dance of both men and women continued. A friend of Bertz's arrived to join the dance, and stumbled over the dead body in the doorway. Officers were notified and the saloonkeeper was arrested. An inquest established the proof against Loga, and he was held with two companions, Peter Snyder and John Vitch, who are held as witnesses.

The dead man's skull was found to be crushed above the right eye, and at the base of the brain, while the neck also was broken.

TUNNEL BIDS OPENED.

Land Commissioners Consider Tenders For Marysville Reservoir Work.

Ten bids were submitted to the state board of land commissioners for the construction of the tunnel and approaches to it for the Plute reservation below Marysville in Plute county. These bids were considered by the board yesterday, but no decision was reached.

A good many of these shirt bargains

went out Monday, but the assortment of sizes is still complete and you should bring in your shirt needs and get them taken care of.

\$1.15 is our price

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Pepticon Pills

Ironize the blood, feed nerves and brain, tone the stomach, aid digestion, give restful sleep. Especially beneficial in nervousness and anemia. Chocolate coated, pleasant to take. 50c. and \$1. Druggists or mail.

Hood's Pills

Act on the liver and bowels, cure biliousness, constipation, morning and sick headache, break up colds, relieve uncomfortable fullness after dinner. Painless cathartic. 25c. C. I. HOOD CO., Lowell, Mass.

DEATH OF J. M. PIERCE.

Idaho Pioneer Passes Away at His Ranch in Cassia County.

A private telegram just received announces the death of Hon. J. M. Pierce at his ranch at Malta, Idaho, Sunday morning, Feb. 16. Funeral services will be held at Albion, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Pierce was one of the earliest settlers of Cassia county, and was known as one of the most successful stockmen and cattle raisers in the entire west, having been engaged in this business from early boyhood until the time of his death.

VALE CASHIERS CHECKS

Banks Are Stoking the Furnace With The Emergency Currency of 1907.

The Salt Lake banks through the clearing house have just withdrawn about \$100,000 worth of clearing house certificates, used in settlement of the daily balances between the various local banking institutions and the cashiers' checks are being destroyed very fast as gathered in. The Deseret National bank alone has destroyed over \$100,000 worth of checks this morning, with the other banks doing the same thing. There were some \$250,000 worth of these checks issued during the panic season, although nearer \$300,000 worth had been issued. But they are used sparingly, and as soon as it appeared feasible, the banks began to curtail their issuance; so now they are no more.

INSPECTING THE BANK.

Examiner W. J. Beattie to Make a Report to the Government.

Within a few days Walter J. Beattie, national bank examiner for this district, will forward to the treasury department at Washington a report on the actual condition of the Utah National bank, where the bank robbery recently occurred. Mr. Beattie is now making his regular examination of the institution and he will go into every phase of the bookkeeping and the amount of money on hand in the reserve.

MEASLES RAMPANT.

Draper is the Banner Town With 400 Cases Reported.

County Supt. E. M. Whitesides of Davis county was in the city yesterday. He reports the schools of his county badly broken up as the result of contagious diseases, especially measles. In Bountiful alone 250 cases of measles were reported last month. In spite of these drawbacks, Supt. Whitesides reports the schools of the county doing good work.

FAVORS CONNOR MONUMENT.

Word has been received from Washington to the effect that the senate committee on library has authorized a favorable report on Senator Sutherland's bill to erect a monument in memory of General P. Edward Connor in Salt Lake City. This is to commemorate General Connor's work as founder of Ft. Douglas and as commander of the troops who fought the last battle with Indians who molested the overland mail route previous to the coming of the railroad.

HUNGRY THIEVES.

Pork and Chickens Among Stolen Property Reported to Police.

It was reported to the police this morning that a car belonging to the Ogden Packing company, situated at Third West and Second South street, was broken into last night and about 40 pounds of pork stolen. The police are in hot pursuit.

E. Lamar of 315 east Second South street, reported to the police this morning that his chicken coop was visited by thieves last night and four valuable hens stolen. Officers are working on the case.

Simple Colds Often Develop Pneumonia

Household remedies are invariably good, and so simple they do not injure the system. For a cough we especially recommend White Pine Expectoant—speedily relieves coughs and arrests the severest cold.

Only 50c a Bottle.

Give it a trial today.

DRUG STORE The Pure Drug Dispensary 112-114 South Main St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The old fashioned ball is the paramount subject in social circles, and the absorbing question is that of costume. For the ladies this is not difficult; but for the men it is more puzzling. One gentleman who put the distracting question was advised to wear his wedding suit, but demurred on the ground that it had long ago gone into a rag carpet. The prevailing idea with the promoters of the ball is that the men who have something old-fashioned at hand should wear it, and those who have not could go in evening dress thus emphasizing the difference between the old and new modes. The old-fashioned idea will, of course, prevail in all the details. The refreshments will consist of composition tea and buttermilk, dried beef, blanc mange, cheese, cake, dried apple and peach pie, and other ancient delicacies, these to be furnished by the members of the society, who will each be expected to bring a picnic in the old-fashioned way. Constant calls are reaching the committee for invitations, and the affair promises to be a genuine success.

A number of box parties will be given during the Paul Gilmore performance of "The Wheel of Love" at the Salt Lake theater, and are to be preceded by informal dances at which the theater hosts will entertain.

The ladies' committee of the Elks' club announce a colonial ball to be given in the club rooms on Thursday evening, Feb. 20. The affair promises to be one of the events of the season socially. The ladies have planned it so that only those in costume will be permitted on the dance floor, the costumes of course to be characteristic of the times of Washington, in honor of whose birthday anniversary the ball is to be given. The hall will be tastefully decorated in the national colors, and refreshments will be served. A delightful time is anticipated. The committee in charge of the affair is as follows: Mrs. E. M. Whelan, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Reed, Mrs. Frank Hines, Mrs. C. Slade and Mrs. A. J. Davis.

On Saturday afternoon the Daughters of the Revolution will hold a meeting at the Exposition office in honor of Washington's birthday. A special patriotic program being arranged. The session will open with sentiments of Washington by the club members, and topics will be given by Mrs. Phoebe V. Beattie and Julia F. Lund, Mrs. Beattie's on "British and Tory Perfidies in Philadelphia," and Mrs. Lund's on "Patriotic Sufferings at Valley Forge."

Mrs. M. H. Kriebel gave a roller skating party at the Auditorium Monday afternoon, followed by a luncheon at Franklin's, the tables being decorated in pink and white, and silver candelabra shined in pink. Assistant hostess were Mrs. Ellsworth Daggett, Mrs. David Murray, Mrs. David Taylor and Miss Louise Sullivan and Minette Baer.

Miss Jeanette Luman entertains at 500 this afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Longbridge of Denver.

On Friday last Miss Emma Hamer and Mr. N. C. Schellenger were married by Rev. E. B. Schellenger. Mrs. Hamer was formerly a telephone engineer and is very popular in club and social circles. The bride, who was formerly employed by the same company, they will leave in a day or two for Los Angeles and then go on to Mexico, and will be absent several weeks, returning to make their home in this city.

Miss Fay Putnam and A. C. Carrington were married last Wednesday afternoon, uniting their friends at the time, but the event "leaked out" and Mr. and Mrs. Carrington announce they will be "at home" after the 20th inst., at 142 north West Temple street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lindley are at Palm Beach, Florida, at the Florida hotel, which is noted as the largest hotel in the world, having 1,600 guest chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wood, accompanied by Mrs. E. Bonnerott, who are on a tour through southern California, are now guests at Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado Beach.

Adolf Baer is a guest at Hotel Del Coronado, Coronado Beach.

Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Bascom will leave tomorrow for a trip which will include Mexico, Cuba and Florida.

Mrs. Harry Chandler is hostess at an informal tea this afternoon at her apartment in the Canning flats.

Mrs. Thomas Davis of New York is in the city visiting with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Harkness.

Mrs. Thomas Marlowe entertains on her card club this afternoon.

Mrs. George E. Moore has returned from a trip to California.

Mrs. George E. Ains entertained informally at bridge yesterday.

The bridge tournament meets this afternoon with Mrs. A. D. Cleveland.

Miss Marion Rookledge entertains

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Champion Dog Biscuits delivered anywhere in 5 lb. cartons, 50c.

F. J. HILL DRUG CO.

"The Never Substitutors"

at a tea tomorrow at her home in the Brown Plaza.

Assistant Cashier Edgar S. Hills of the Deseret National bank is taking a four weeks' vacation with his family in California.

Mrs. Flora B. Horne, chairman of invitation committee for the old fashioned ball, requests all members who have not received invitations to apply to her at the meeting tomorrow at the B. Y. Memorial, room 21, at 3 o'clock.

One of the features of the old fashioned ball will be the national dance. The ball will be given by the B. Y. Memorial, room 21, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Westwood of Springfield are visiting in Salt Lake, the guests of Mrs. Arthur Day. Mr. Westwood is one of the Indian war veterans and the ball will be given in the armory this evening.

SHEETS JURY IS NOW COMPLETED

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the outcome of it or the welfare of anyone connected with it.

BAYSINGER CHALLENGED.

The jurors were passed by the state. The prosecution used its last peremptory challenge.

KUHR EXCUSED.

William D. Kuhre, a lumber dealer of Sandy, was then called to the jury box for examination. Mr. Kuhre has been a subscriber to the Evening News for years and occasionally reads a morning daily. Early in the game he formed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant and still has certain impressions which would make considerable evidence to remove; the talesman hardly feels he could sit as a juror with an entirely clear mind. A challenge was interposed, reinterposed, and the talesman excused.

BULLER, THE LAST.

Peter Buller, a brewer, was next called. His name being drawn from the slip-box on Clerk King's desk. Mr. Buller read both organs of the "American" party, according to his own confession. He said he held no opinion in the case. Judge Thurman passed the juror for cause.

JURY COMPLETED.

Atty. Loofbourow took up Mr. Buller's examination. The talesman said he was acquainted slightly with the Raleigh family and that he figured in the case. He was asked by the attorney for cause and he was sworn. This was at 11:10 o'clock; the jury was completed.

INFORMATION READ.

The reading of the information followed. This charges George A. Sheets with accepting a bribe of about \$1,800 from the O'Brien-Parratt-Donegan gang for "protection" against arrest while he was chief of police. The information was signed by District Attorney Loofbourow. With the information was a synopsis of the steps leading up to the present trial. These were in the main a series of continuations, delays, etc.

ADJOURNMENT CALLED.

Atty. Loofbourow announced that the state's witnesses had been summoned for 2 o'clock, as it was not expected they would be needed until this afternoon. The state asked for a postponement. It was granted and Judge Morris announced the further proceedings would be carried on before Judge Ritchie. Instructing the jury to discuss the case in no way, the court then announced an adjournment until 2 o'clock.

CITY WINS SUIT.

Judge Lewis Rules Adversely to Complainant in Damage Case.

Salt Lake City won a victory yesterday in the decision of Judge Lewis on the demurrer in the damage suit brought against the city by Edward Simpson. Simpson and his family were driving across a bridge over the Jordan when their horse became frightened and backed the survey off the bridge into the river. Simpson claimed that the accident was due to the fact that a number of planks were missing from the bridge. Street Supt. Raleigh testified that the horse was frightened before he reached the bridge. Simpson brought suit against the city on a number of grounds. It was shown that three of the causes of action were assigned to him by others and it was upon this point that Judge Lewis gave his ruling on the demurrer.

COURT NOTES.

Emma H. Simpson has applied to the Third district court for a divorce from Maurice E. Simpson on the ground of failure to support. In the complaint it is stated that the couple were married July 18, 1906. Mrs. Simpson also asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Emma Richards.

J. M. Dalton brings suit in the district court against the Utah Consolidated Mining company for \$1,800 damages caused by smelter smoke.

W. E. Bernhard has filed papers to renew a judgment for \$438 against Jas. M. Swan. The judgment was secured in Colorado.

County Atty. Hansen issued a warrant yesterday afternoon for the arrest of George Zivich of Bingham who is charged with attacking a woman, Anna Kolovich, with a miner's cauldstick. The assault was made Feb. 12. The particulars of the affair are not known to the county attorney.

GOES TAK ON THREE POEMS

Benjamin Fay Mills Interprets

Theology of Ancient Sage Of the East.

ANSWER QUESTIONS TONIGHT.

Out of One Hundred People Queried, Only One Accepted Sermon on Mount as Rule of Life.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of Benjamin Fay Mills' work this week to intelligent people, in his fascinating interpretation of that greatest of Hindu Avestan poems, "The Bagavad Gita."

This afternoon, Mr. Mills is speaking on the way to transcend business so as to know God, as taught by the ancient Hindu sage, and tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, he will give one of the most interesting interpretations of the course on the Gita, under the title of "What Makes the World Go Round."

Mr. Mills continued his course of lectures to large and interested audiences yesterday, in the evening in Barratt hall. Rabbi Freund presided and said it was appropriate that a few should introduce a speaker who was to interpret the utterances of a great Jew, who himself was an interpreter of other great Jewish prophets.

WILL ANSWER QUESTIONS.

It was announced that, at the close of tonight's lecture on "The Golden Rule," Mr. Mills will be prepared to answer questions from the audience.

"SERMON ON THE MOUNT."

In his address last night on "The Twentieth Century Man Practise the Sermon on the Mount," Mr. Mills said: "I have asked this question of 100 of the leading citizens of the United States, prominent ministers of all denominations, capitalists, and leaders of thought, 'What do you think of the Sermon on the Mount?'"

"I had just one that accepted this teaching as a practical rule of life, while 99 qualified their answers and most of them thought it could not be applied by the mass of today."

USELESS TO TRY, SAYS ONE.

"One very prominent minister wrote me that it would be as useless to try to live on this earth according to the laws of the Kingdom of God as to live on this earth according to the laws of the Kingdom of the Devil."

THE RIGHT OF SANITY.

"The question, 'Can man do what Jesus said?' may be answered by another question, 'Would it not be rational for men to lead lives of absolute trust and perfect love?'"

FIVE CERTAINITIES.

"Other illustrations of the power of this rule of life are numerous," said the speaker, "and I desire now to call your attention to five certainties."

"These are the teachings of Jesus. He believed in them and endeavored to practise them."

"He expected his disciples to obey them. He said, 'Why do ye call me Lord, and do not the things which I say?'"

"They have not been generally practised by any church or community or nation, at least in recent times. None have been farther from it than some of the so-called Christian nations."

TWO DIE IN FIRE.

Woman Rushes to Rescue Grandchild—Both Dying from Suffocation.

New York, Feb. 18.—Two deaths resulted from a fire today in the home of Isaac Herrington, agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad, who lives at 100 West 10th street. The kitchen fire and stepped outside temporarily. When he returned the house was ablaze.

LUNATIC STILL AT LARGE.

West Has Not Been Heard of Since He Boarded Train.

C. C. West, the demented man who created such consternation at Ogden yesterday, seems to have made his escape. Close watch was kept for him both here and at Ogden, but he was not seen. The kitchen fire and stepped outside temporarily. When he returned the house was ablaze.

SHEPHERD AT CAPITAL.

Utah Wool Growers Arrive in Washington to Adjust Grazing Matters.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—John H. Seely, E. B. Shepherd and E. H. Callister of Salt Lake, will arrive here this evening to meet with the executive committee of the National Wool Growers' association. During the stay of these gentlemen in the city there will be a consultation between them and the chief forester, secretary of the interior, secretary of agriculture and senators and members of the house, representing public land states, with a view to the adoption of regulations concerning sheep grazing in national forests and such cognate matters as may arise for discussion. It is also expected that legislation will be framed looking to the uniform regulation of grazing on public lands. There are in the city at present a number of representatives of the cattle raising sections of the west, and it is expected that the cattle and sheep men may "get together" in such a manner as to prepare for a formal and permanent peace between conflicting interests through an executive committee.

"Three cigars less today and a box of McDonald's Dutch chocolates for the loved ones at home," says the thoughtful husband and father.

McDonald, Salt Lake, exclusive manufacturer of fine chocolates.

WORDS OF PRAISE FOR "UNCLE JOE"

Congressman Boutelle Delivers Tribute to Aged Statesman In House Today.

CANNON'S MAIDEN SPEECH.

Portions of Speaker's First Address Quoted by Speaker in Eulogy of Statesman as Public Servant.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Thirty-four years ago Speaker Cannon delivered his first speech in the house of representatives, and the anniversary was marked by a tribute to the speaker by Mr. Boutelle of Illinois, soon after that body met today. Mr. Boutelle recalled the noted men of the house at that time, whose friendship Mr. Cannon enjoyed and said that among those present who heard his remarks were Speaker Blaine, Joseph R. Hawley of Connecticut, William F. Frye and Eugene Hale, of Maine; Henry L. Daves, E. Richmond Hoar, George F. Hoar, Benjamin F. Butler, Julius C. Burroughs, James A. Duffell, William H. Morrill, of Illinois; William S. Holman, of Indiana; Lucius Q. Lamar, of Mississippi; Richard E. Bland, of Missouri; Fernando Wood, of New York; Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania, and Roger Q. Mills of Texas.

CANNON'S MAIDEN EFFORT.

Mr. Boutelle said that Mr. Cannon, then 36 years old, spoke on a bill reducing rates of postage on books, for the carrying free of newspapers within the counties of their publication and for the extension of the franking privilege to public correspondence.

"He made a carefully prepared, logical argument in support of the bill," said Mr. Boutelle, "and his composition by a well ordered array of convincing figures. It was a speech that could only have been made after hard work and thorough preparation."

Mr. Boutelle said that tumultuous applause greeted Mr. Cannon's return, when he said, "I understand the gentleman, yes, I have votes in my pocket and I have the support of the people, and I am generally affected in the same way; and we expect that the seed, being good, will yield a good crop. I am not a fool; and the sooner legislation is had, not only as proposed by this bill, but in all other respects as the people desire and equity and justice shall dictate, the better it will be in the long run. I am not a politician; whatever may be their calling or wherever they may reside."

CHARLES MORRIS, LL. B.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Mr. Charles M. Morris of Salt Lake, who has been acting as Senator Smoot's secretary this winter, will be graduated from George Washington university Saturday with the degree of LL. B. Mr. Morris has finished a three years' law course at the university and since he first came here from Utah has been employed as a clerk in the state commerce department. He also served for a short time as secretary to Senator Sutherland.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express gratitude to our numerous friends for their kindness during our recent bereavement caused by the illness and death of our husband and father, John T. Lynch.

MRS. JOHN T. LYNCH.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 18, 1908.

DIED.

TOWNSEND.—At her home in Elm Court, Feb. 17, 1908, from senile debility, Ann Townsend, aged 88 years, four months, and 4 days. One daughter, Mrs. J. C. Townsend, and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren survive her.

Funeral services will be held at 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 12 o'clock noon. Friends invited.

R. E. Evans, florist, 36 S. Main St. Floral designs a specialty. Phone 961.

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP NOTICES.

Consult County Clerk or respective signers for further information.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Estate of John Bettess Deceased.

Creditors will present claims with vouchers to the undersigned, at the office of the County Clerk, Salt Lake City, Utah, on or before the 15th day of June, A. D. 1908.

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN BETTESS, Deceased.

James H. Ingraham, Attorney for Administrator.

Date of first publication; February 15th, A. D. 1908.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, PROBATE DIVISION, in and for Salt Lake County, State of Utah.

In the matter of the estate of Hugh D. Park, Deceased. Notice. The petition of Agnes H. Park, William H. Park and Hugh Park, praying for the issuance to Agnes H. Park, William H. Park and Hugh Park of Letters Testamentary in and for the estate of Hugh D. Park, deceased, has been set for hearing on Saturday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the County Court House, in the Court room of said Court in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County, Utah.

Witness the Clerk of said Court, with the seal thereof affixed, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1908.

J. C. ELDREDGE, JR., Clerk.

By W. H. Farnsworth, Deputy Clerk, Daniel Harrington attorney for petitioner.

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