

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

Issued Mondays and Thursdays
and Contains All the Cream of
the Daily and Saturday News.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Mass Social Tonight—The Young People's Christian Union will hold a mass social tonight at the First Methodist church, at 7:30 o'clock.

On a Sad Journey—J. A. Irvine left for Denver Nov. 29, over the R. G. W. for the remains of his sister-in-law, Harriet E. Cantwell, who died there Nov. 25. The body will be shipped to Logan, Utah, for burial.

Travelers' Meeting—The Travelers' Protective association will hold a meeting at the Commercial club on Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock to which the members of all other traveling associations are invited.

Minor Badly Hurt—While descending a stairway at 59 Commercial street, yesterday afternoon, a rainer named William Averill, tumbled and fell to the bottom, breaking his right leg. The break was below the knee and was a simple fracture. At the city jail emergency hospital, Police Surg. Paul attended to the injured man, and he was afterwards removed to the Holy Cross hospital.

Remains Due Today—The remains of Miss Mabel Chitt, who died at Phoenix, Ariz., yesterday, will arrive in the city this afternoon at 5 o'clock over the Salt Lake Route. Miss Chitt was 24 years of age and had gone to Phoenix for the benefit of her health. She was a member of Silver Maple circle No. 198, Women of Woodcraft. No arrangements have yet been announced for the funeral services.

Sunday School Convention—The State Sunday School association opened its twenty-fifth annual convention in the First Congregational church at Provo today. Rev. W. C. Merritt, international field worker, will be present and address the convention. Among those who have been invited to the program are Rev. W. M. Padgett, Rev. P. A. Elphinstone, Thomas W. P. J. Lucas, L. M. Gillman, Mrs. William J. Leitch, Mrs. J. R. Poulakis and Mrs. E. E. Shepard.

Mother Seeks Son—A young man named George M. Cushing, who is supposed to have been in Salt Lake for some time, is being sought for by his mother, who arrived here yesterday. The man came here from Denver, and wrote to his mother upon letterheads of the local Y. M. C. A., thus giving the impression that he was in some way in touch with that organization. The officials of the Y. M. C. A., however, know nothing of Cushing, and his mother has asked the police to try and locate her son.

Zions Savings Bank and Trust Co.
Pays 4 per cent on deposits, safety deposit boxes for rent.
JOSEPH F. SMITH, Pres.
O. C. BEEBE, Cashier.

China on display at the Charleston Shop, 122 Main Street.

JOHN KENDRICK BANGS.

Editor of "Pack" Will Lecture Here
Next Friday Evening.

Two more offerings will be presented before the end of December in the Mutual Improvement winter series. One of them is by the famous editor of an American humorous story, and the other by an exponent of the latest developments in electricity. Next Friday evening John Kendrick Bangs, editor of "Pack," will give an evening on the subject of humor, and he will be followed Saturday, Dec. 22, by Reno B. Wilbourn on "Electricity."

John Kendrick Bangs is out preaching for a big place in the literary world in the American daily life. His talk is entitled, "From Adam to A. D.," and the line of descent is followed through the choice of words who have laughed over their coffee and tea while the world ran along in its daily course. Mr. Bangs is editor of "Pack." He is also author of two classics of American literature, "The House of the Seven Gables" and "The House of the Seven Gables." In addition to these there are about 26 other books from his pen now on the market, and some of them have had a fair rank among the greater productions on this subject.

Authors are so seldom good personal entertainers, that Salt Lake audiences in the past have sometimes had to take their recreation for attending in the satisfaction of knowing that they had met the man behind some favorite book. Mr. Bangs, his press agent declares, is a tall man, and a seriously modest man. He doesn't talk to men in the audience, but to explain to them the need for a more heartfelt appreciation of humor as a daily exercise for the health. His idea is that the home often lacks some of its brightest hours because there is nothing in it to supply genuine laughter. Care is taken the place of smiles, he says, petty worries drive sentiment, a-begging, and troubles are allowed to stand in bold array, where pleasure longs to be king, all because there are human beings who fail to comprehend the value of a smile.

Four numbers of the course will remain to be given after Jan. 1.

DINNER AT STATE PRISON.

Warden Pratt "Entertained" 220 inmates of the institution.

Among the pleasing incidents of the day, yesterday, were the great dinner given by Warden Pratt, and which all enjoyed forgetful for the time of the gloomy environment, and all intent on the ministrations in the hands of the inmates. At the county jail, 25 prisoners sat down to a big feed at the hands of the sheriff, and at the city jail there were 31 prisoners to enjoy the feast at the hands of the city. At the county infirmary there was a sumptuous turkey spread, with a phonograph concert in the evening. Then the Orphanage children were by no means forgotten, nor were they at the Day Nurseries. St. Mark's hospital patients, and those at the L. D. S. hospital were also remembered.

Holiday hours were observed at the offices of the telephone company. At the Y. M. C. A. there was a dinner at noon, and another one at night. Then the hotels all had extra fine menus, with the culinary departments of the various clubs by no means behind. There were numerous family and social reunions over the evening dinner table, and the local places of amusement, including the roller skating rink, furnished entertainment. So, altogether it was a pleasant day, and occasion.

Many illnesses from impure blood. It has pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

MET HIS DEATH RABBIT HUNT

Albert Zachreson, Age Seventeen
Years, Instantly Killed on
Thanksgiving Day.

WAS CARELESS WITH A GUN.

While Climbing Out of Wagon Weapon
Discharged and the Young
Man Fell Dead.

The annual Thanksgiving rabbit hunt, which is wont to be participated in with an abundance of pleasure and good cheer, resulted in the death of one young man yesterday and cast a pall of gloom over the entire party. The victim was Albert Zachreson, 17 years of age, who resided at 198 Lincoln avenue. He made his home with his brother-in-law, Arthur Caffall, at the address mentioned, but his mother, step-father and other members of the family live at 1306 Ninth East street.

The accident happened near the close of the day's slaughter of rabbits and while some of the hunters were returning to the train. In the wagon with young Zachreson were a number of other men, and all were on the lookout for game along the roadside. Finally a step was made and some of the hunters alighted among them being Zachreson. As he attempted to climb over the side of the wagon box, his gun, which is supposed to have been cocked, was in some manner discharged and the head of the shot struck the youth midway between the heart and the throat, and death was almost instantaneous. The terrible accident caused considerable commotion among the group with the young man, and when the body arrived at the train the whole party partook of the spirit of horror and the trip to Salt Lake was made with an entire absence of the mirth, that characterized the outward journey.

No one in the party knew who the dead man was, and it was not until after the body had been at the undertaking establishment of S. D. Evans for some time that the remains were identified as those of Zachreson. The members of his family were grief-stricken when they were apprised of their relative's tragic death. A collection was taken up among the members of the hunting party, and a sum exceeding \$50 was secured to assist in defraying the funeral expenses.

The deceased was born in Salt Lake May 9, 1890, and his father was Napoleon Zachreson. His mother, as stated, is Mrs. William H. Barrett.

CROUP.

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It cures the croup, whooping cough, or even as the child becomes hoarse, or even as the croupy cough appears. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all druggists.

DECEMBER WEATHER.

Data, Covering a Period of 32 Years
Issued by Bureau.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, weather bureau. The following data, covering a period of 32 years, have been compiled from the weather bureau records at Salt Lake City, Utah. They are issued to show the conditions that have prevailed during the month in question, for the above period of years, but must not be construed as forecasts of the weather conditions for the coming month.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal temperature, 32.1 degrees.
The warmest month was that of 1889, with an average of 39.6 degrees.
The coldest month was that of 1890, with an average of 25.2 degrees.
The highest temperature was 61 degrees on December 1, 1874.
The lowest temperature was 10 degrees on Dec. 25, 1878.
The earliest date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, September 22.
Average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, October 18.
Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, April 23.
The latest date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, June 18.

PRECIPITATION (RAIN OR MELTED SNOW).

Average for the month, 1.72 inches.
Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 10.
The greatest monthly precipitation was 4.37 inches in 1889.
The least monthly precipitation was 0.11 inches in 1878.
The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.38 inches on Dec. 14 and 15, 1888.
The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only) was 6 inches on December, 1898.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY.

Average 6 a. m., 72; average 6 p. m., 58.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER.

Average number of clear days, nine; partly cloudy days, nine; cloudy days, 13.

WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the southeast.

The average hourly velocity of the wind is 4.5 miles.

The highest velocity of the wind was 50 miles from the northeast on Dec. 26, 1901.

Station: Salt Lake City, Utah.
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R. J. HYATT,

Section Director.

CHAMBERLAIN'S PAIN BALM.

There is no danger from blood poisoning resulting from a cut or wound of any kind, when Chamberlain's Pain Balm is used. It is an antiseptic dressing and disinfectant, and it keeps the wound from becoming infected. It is a household necessity. For sale by all druggists.

Mitchell Van & Storage has removed from 15 to 55 W. 2nd St.

KEEP YOURSELF STRONG.

And you will ward off colds, pneumonia, fevers and other diseases. You need to have pure, rich blood and good digestion. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood rich and pure as no other medicine can do. It tones the stomach, creates an appetite and invigorates the whole system. You will be wise to begin taking it now, for it will keep you strong and well.

Hood's Pills are non-irritating. Price 25c.

RUMMAGE SALE.

by ladies of First Methodist Church, Dec. 1st at 10 o'clock. 62 Market St.

SIX INDICTMENTS TO BE RETURNED

That Many Sealed Documents in
Possession of Marshal
Spry.

CREATING SPECULATION.

Would be Interesting to Know the
Identity of Men Who Will Have
To "Face the Music."

The fact that six sealed document envelopes containing indictments to be returned when the grand jury meets again have been handed to Chief Deputy Lucian Smyth of Marshal Spry's office is creating considerable speculation among those interested in the coal land fraud investigation. Those who are following developments are hazarding guesses as to the identity of the men who will have "to face the music." The papers were locked up in the safe at the marshal's office over Thanksgiving.

TESTIMONY CHANGED.

It is believed that the government is now after P. W. Spaulding, a Union Pacific attorney at Evanston, Spaulding testified at both sessions of the interstate commerce commission held here. The first time under oath he testified that he had bought certain coal lands in Wyoming as a speculation. Money for this speculation had been borrowed from George L. Black of the Union Pacific Coal company. He said that the loan was made in good faith and had been repaid when the deed for transfer had been handed over to the coal company official. On Wednesday he stated that Mr. Black had selected and designated the land to be bought and there was an understanding that the land would be turned over to the Union Pacific Coal company. At the former session in September Spaulding refused to admit that he had received \$200 compensation from the coal company. On Wednesday last he changed his testimony.

With a view to inquiring into an apparent case of perjury a full copy of the testimony of Spaulding given at both sessions of the interstate commerce commission investigation has been transcribed and handed over to United States Dist. Atty. H. E. Booth for investigation.

CHURCH NOTICES

The priesthood of the Granite stake of Zion will hold their monthly meeting at the stake house on Saturday, Dec. 1, at 10 a. m. A full attendance is desired.

FRANK Y. TAYLOR,
EDWIN BENNETT,
JOHN M. CANNON,
Stake Presidency.

The Ensign stake Relief society of fliers and members will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Ensign ward chapel, Friday, Nov. 30, 1906, MARGARET A. ROMNEY, President.

ANNE KAY HARDY,
Secretary.

There will be a meeting of the Primary officers of Ensign stake, Friday, Nov. 30, at 4 p. m. in room 21, Memorial building.

SARAH E. STEWART,
President.

ROSANNAH C. IRVINE,
Secretary.

The officers of the Primary associations of the Salt Lake stake will hold their officers' meeting Saturday, Dec. 1, at 3 p. m. in the Sixteenth ward meeting hall.

ELEANOR B. JEREMY,
President.

INA C. SMITH,
Secretary.

The regular monthly meeting of the high priests' quorum of the Pioneer stake of Zion will be held, Sunday, Dec. 2, 1906, at 10 a. m. in the high priest room of the stake hall. All members of the quorum are requested to attend.

DAVID MCKENZIE,
HUGH WATSON,
JAMES LEATHAM,
Priesthood.

There will be a joint meeting of the officers of the Y. M. and Y. W. M. A. of the Ensign stake, Monday evening, Oct. 3. Meeting will be held in the Eighteenth ward chapel, commencing at 7:30. All officers and class teachers are urged to be present.

MAT. THOMAS,
EMMA W. PYPPE,
Presidents.

The regular monthly general stake priesthood meeting of the Pioneer stake of Zion will be held Monday evening, Dec. 3, 1906, at 7:30, in the stake hall. All members of the priesthood are urged to attend.

W. M. McLAHLAN,
SYLVESTER Q. CANNON,
CHARLES H. HYDE,
Stake Presidency.

The regular monthly meeting of the home missionaries of the Pioneer stake of Zion will be held Monday evening, Dec. 3, 1906, immediately after the general stake priesthood meeting.

WM. McLAHLAN,
SYLVESTER Q. CANNON,
CHARLES H. HYDE,
Stake Presidency.

High priests of the Ensign stake will kindly remember that our meeting will be held in the B. Y. Memorial building, Tuesday, Dec. 3, 1906, at 10:00 a. m. instead of the first Monday.

HAMILTON G. PARK,
JOSEPH H. FELT,
LEVY W. RICHARDS,
Presidency.

Everybody's friend—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

MOUNTS Mince Meat season has just commenced.

TEMPLE NOTICES.

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IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED.

Extension to be Made to the Auditorium Skating Rink.

Phil S. O'Meara of the Auditorium association on Richards street says that important improvements are to be made to the big structure just as soon as possible. It is planned to erect a building to the north of the skating rink. When the addition is completed the north wall will be removed and the floor space will then be enlarged to the extent of 300 feet. It is also planned to have a new entrance to the skating rink.

Ever pair of skates obtainable was in use and the gliding, swaying, twisting skaters presented a bewildering sight. One visitor remarked: "What's got hold of the people of Salt Lake? They seem to have gone 'daffy' over the roller skating craze."

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Big double-header basket ball game, Y. M. C. A., Saturday, 7:30 p. m.

Hardest game of the season, B. Y. U. vs. Y. M. C. A., basket ball Saturday night.

BLUE BOOK (SOCIETY DIRECTORY).

The Salt Lake City Blue Book 1907 is now in press. We will be obliged if all interested parties will notify us promptly of any recent changes in their residence addresses. No changes will be taken over the phone.

R. L. POLK & CO.
W. P. COOPER, Sec. & Mgr.
617-620 Dooly Bldg.

Dr. Broadbent, Dentist.
400-501 Scott building, 163 Main.

CHINA EXHIBIT.

Miss Dunster and Mrs. H. S. Twining, Studio Room 507 Templeton Bldg., Large section of china and glassware for sale Friday, Nov. 30, Saturday, Dec. 1st.

Big double-header basket ball game, Y. M. C. A., Saturday, 7:30 p. m.

Salt Lake Photo Supply Co.
Kodaks, finishing, framing, Main and Third South streets.

A bath traveling sixty miles an hour, a shave, hair cut, manicure service, ladies' maid, stenographer, Buffet-Library car, Compartment-Observation sleeping car, all furnished on "Knickerbocker Special" from St. Louis to Indianapolis, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and New York. Leaving St. Louis daily 1:00 p. m., arriving Buffalo 6:35 a. m., New York 6:00 p. m., via Big Four.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of resolution of the Board of Directors of the Utah Packing Company, a corporation, organized under the laws of the State of Utah and adopted by the stockholders of the said company on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1906, at the office of the said company, 301 East Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah, the meeting of the stockholders of the said company is hereby called for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed reorganization of the said company.

First, to vote upon the question of amending the Articles of Incorporation of the Utah Packing Company, as amended by the stockholders of the said company on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1906, at the office of the said company, 301 East Main Street, Salt Lake City, Utah, the meeting of the stockholders of the said company is hereby called for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposed reorganization of the said company.

Second, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Third, to transact such other business as may be deemed necessary to secure the prompt rebuilding of the company's packing plant.

Fourth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Fifth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Sixth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Seventh, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Eighth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Ninth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Tenth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Eleventh, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

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Thirteenth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

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Seventeenth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

Eighteenth, to authorize the Board of Directors to sell all or any part of the unissued capital stock of the said company at such price as may be determined at said meeting.

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4 LOTS CORNER 3RD AND D STS. 4 lots corner 3rd and D sts. Enquire 223 West South Temple. Real bargain prices made.

9-ROOM MODERN RESIDENCE, FINE lawn, large shade trees, lawn, etc., 100x150 ft. lot, close in, but a fine location, \$100 cash, \$100 cash, \$100 cash, \$100 cash. A beautiful place for a home. HUBBARD INVT. CO., 75 W. 2nd St.

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IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY TO SELL, list with Cannon & Cannon, 15 E. S. Temple.

LIST YOUR HOUSES AND LOTS with us. We will buy or sell any class of property you have.

PROPERTY AT THE LOWEST MARKET price listed and sold at the RANCHO REAL ESTATE & INVT. CO., Suite 21 D. F. Walker.

LIST YOUR REALTY WITH US. We have bargains. Mariger, 40 E. 2nd South.

SEE HUSTON, THE HOUSES, 223 Main Street.

WE SELL REAL ESTATE, THAT'S all. Tuttle Bros., real estate, 153 Main.

NEW MODERN HOME FOR SALE by owner. Phone 210-2.

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SEE RUCKWATER & SHERMAN FOR more Real Estate and Loans. 1000 2nd Atlas Block.

FOR SALE.

70 RAMBOLLETTE RAMS FOR sale. Higher quality, Bell phones 351 black; 107 white.

FIRST CLASS "KNAVE" FRIGIDITY, very fine, 3200. Address P. O. Box 26.

A GOOD SADDLE HORSE, IN PERFECT condition. H. W. Pich, 425 E. South Temple Street.

A BRAND NEW 400 MAHOAGANY piano, at a big sacrifice. 155 Center Street.

VERBER PARLOR GRAND PIANO, fine tone and condition. 3900 Address M. Cash, No. 22 Market Street.

COMPLETE LINE OF WATCHES, jewelry, umbrellas, tinware, etc., \$1.25. 401 East Main Street.

HURST SWITCH STOCK CHEAP. Easy terms if desired. W. J. Curtis, 215 Commercial Block, Portland, Oregon.

SHAPING AND PULLEYS, IN GOOD condition. H. W. Pich, 425 E. South Temple Street.

ELECTRIC MOTORS, ONE 2-H.P. and one 4-H.P., slow speed, new. One 1-H.P. nearly new. All