

# THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

The Great Country Paper of the West.

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

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

**Improved in Health**—Fisher Harris was in town for a few hours yesterday, much improved in health.

**Going on Vacation**—Supt. D. H. Christensen leaves today on a 10 days' vacation along the north fork of the Provo river.

**"Pat" is Waiting**—P. J. Moran is in Los Angeles awaiting the award of the big viaduct contract, for which he is a prominent bidder.

**High School Outing**—The members of the High School commercial alumni are making great preparations for their annual outing at the lake on Friday.

**Filing Application for Water**—H. W. Parker of Callias, Utah, county, has filed an application with the state engineer for 600 acre feet of water from Red Cedar creek.

**Crushes His Toe**—Robert Jeppson, aged 66, a D. & R. G. freight handler, crushed his right foot yesterday afternoon, by letting a box fall on it. He was taken to St. Mark's hospital, where the toe was amputated.

**Home from Columbia**—Mark McChrystal, son of Mrs. Sarah A. McChrystal, is home from Columbia university for the summer, and is stopping with his mother on east First South street.

**Schools Open Sept. 8**—The fall term of the public schools opens Sept. 8. The principals and supervisors will report for duty during the last week in the current month, but the teachers do not report until just before school opens.

**Death of Richard Fitzgerald**—Richard Fitzgerald, an old time resident of Brigham, died of miner's consumption, at the Holy Cross hospital yesterday afternoon, at the age of 40. He was unmarried, and leaves two brothers.

**Woman's Democratic Club**—The Woman's Democratic club will hold its regular meeting Wednesday, Aug. 12, at the residence of Mrs. H. J. Hayward, 272 north Second West, at 2:30. All members are requested to be present, as important business is to be transacted.

**New Sims Edition**—P. S. Sims, the hounding agent for the Desert News at Kayville, was a few days late this month in reporting on his month's business. In explanation, he states that there has been an "extra" issued in Davis county in the form of a big baby boy at his home.

**Support Pledged**—The Salt Lake Federated Musicians, local 104 A. F. of M., have addressed a letter of support to the local Cambrian association, setting forth hearty sympathy with the coming Bistedford and promising to render all assistance possible to make the event an unqualified success.

**To Ratify at Salt Lake**—The ratification of the Woman's Democratic club will be held at Salt Lake on Aug. 29, at the residence of the nominees of the Denver convention will be ratified. Through erroneous publication, the outing had been announced to occur elsewhere, but it is to be held at Salt Lake on Thursday, Aug. 29.

**Ask Pardon for Burton**—A petition has been prepared asking a pardon for Thomas A. Burton of Kayville, now serving sentence in the Davis county jail for an assault committed on George T. Odell and party on the night of June 28. The ladies circulating the petition are Mrs. Marian Burton and Mrs. Ann Clark, of Kayville, but what success they meet with has not yet appeared.

**Can Now Practice Medicine**—Licenses to practice medicine in this state have been issued to the following persons by Dr. R. W. Fisher, secretary of the board of medical examiners: Joseph W. Hayward, Paris, Ind.; Ephraim G. Hughes, Springville; Horace Merrill Provo, David M. Melkjohn, Winter Quarters; Frank E. Winter, Payson; John R. A. Whitlock, Brigham City; Albert G. Stoddard, Spanish Fork; Henry Campbell, Logan; Jesse Lewellen, Brigham City; Albert N. Hanson, Thomas F. H. Morton, Carl L. Sandberg, Nathan P. Wood, John Sellers and Laurence C. Smullyan of Salt Lake City.

**Eagles Leave Tomorrow**—The Salt Lake delegates to the Eagle's convention at Seattle will leave this city tomorrow morning, carrying the Eagle degree team of 26 men, and the officers of the local lodges. In addition to the other delegates, or about 150 in all, in a special train. Delegates from eastern points will pass through this city both Sunday and Monday, but without stopping on the westbound trip. It is claimed that 25,000 Eagles will pass through this city between Aug. 17 and 26, including 12 special trains from New York, Chicago, Boston and other cities, centers. The Salt Lake Eagles will keep open house and try their best to do the handsome thing for the visitors.

**Douglas W. Jessup Home**—Douglas W. Jessup returned home this morning from Columbia university, where he took the degree of mining engineer last May, after four years of strenuous study. During freshman year, he held a faculty fellowship, and for the remaining years of his course held the J. Pierpont Morgan scholarship. He was president of his class sophomore year, and during senior year was president of the Engineering society of the university. Mr. Jessup distinguished himself in athletics, winning numerous medals and being on the wrestling teams sent to Cornell at Ithaca and Yale at New Haven. He also was a member of the Columbia University Glee club.

**Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co.** Pays a 4 per cent on deposits. JOSEPH P. SMITH, President. ANTHONY H. LUND, Vice-President. C. C. BEBBE, Cashier.

**MARTIN COAL CO.** All kinds of Coal. Phones 520.

**THE DESERT BUILDING SOCIETY.**

No. 18 East South Temple Street (Templeton Buildings), loans its money on first mortgages to home builders. Over 6,000 shares installment stock (payable fifty cents per month per share) already subscribed; nearly 4,000 shares yet to be taken. The Society also offers 2,000 shares (\$100 per share) paid up stock, on which 6 per cent per annum, payable quarterly, is guaranteed. Stock withdrawable in cash under the rules.

Nephi L. Morris, president; Hugh J. Cannon, vice president; Gayle Cannon, secretary; O. C. Beebe, treasurer.

Let the children spend Monday, Aug. 10, at Salt Lake. Round trip for children under 15 years, 10 cents.

## BIG KID IN THE OLD FOLKS

All Over Sixty Years of Age Eligible to Take Day at The Lake.

### FREE BICYCLE RACES ALSO

Steamboat Rides and All Sorts of Fun For the Veterans at Salt Lake August 17.

The old folks' committee this morning issued an announcement with the request that the bishops of the various wards in the four stakes of this city read the same in their respective meeting houses tomorrow evening.

The announcement is to the effect that all eligible veterans will be the guests of the Salt Lake management Monday Aug. 18, when free transportation, bicycle races and a trip on the lake will be among the attractions.

The announcement follows: The management of the Salt Lake Beach Co., desiring to honor old age and to give the veterans of Salt Lake city and vicinity an agreeable change, kindly offer the old folks' committee a free outing for all the aged in whose interests they work to Salt Lake, Monday, August 17, 1908. On this occasion we are pleased to state that all persons sixty years old and upwards are invited. The conditions being that all who accept this offer must wear badges as follows:

Sixty years old and up to 70, a golden yellow badge. Seventy years old and up to 80, a red badge. Eighty years old and up to 90, a blue badge. Ninety years old and up to 100, a white badge.

These badges will be tickets of admission and must be placed on the left breast. Strips of ribbon at least five inches long and not less than one inch wide of the colors named will answer. This invitation is extended to any person of any color, of any faith or of any nationality, the age limit must be observed and the badges must be badges of honor.

In addition to the free ride to and from Salt Lake, the company promises an exhibition bicycle race at 5 p. m., and previous to that time, a free ride upon the lake for all the veterans invited. Each of the badge wearers must provide his or her picnic. We respectfully ask that the friends of all those who accept this invitation be provided with all the comforts necessary to make the occasion one of pure enjoyment.

The first train for the beach leaves at 10 a. m. The badge wearers can go on any train, and return when they choose.

Committee on arrangements: BISHOP C. W. NIBLEY, WM. EDDINGTON, WM. NAYLOR, JOHN KIRKHAM, ANDREW JENSEN, WM. B. HARTON, HYRUM GROESBECK, R. F. GRANT, BISHOP IVERSON, GEORGE BOURNE, JOSHUA BEAN.

**WHY JAMES LEE GOT WELL.** Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route 8. She writes: "My husband, James Lee, has been ill for some time. He has been so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it and it has restored him to perfect health." Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. It gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at Z. C. M. 1 drug store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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**FOR STEALING BEDSREAD.**

Because they were a little to bold in disposing of a bedsread which had been stolen from the Lincoln House, James Miller and Ed. Smith, who were arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Curran and landed in jail. The men denied that they owned ownership of the property, but the evidence showed that it belonged to the Lincoln House. The two men are being held pending an investigation.

**DEATH OF REV. PARKER.**

Well Known Divine Succumbs After Three Weeks Struggle With Typhoid.

Rev. E. C. Parker, pastor of the Liberty Park Methodist church, died yesterday afternoon, at St. Mark's hospital, after three weeks' illness with typhoid fever, at the age of 44. He leaves a widow and two small children. The funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. tomorrow, from the Liberty Park church, after which the remains will be shipped to Portland, Ore., for burial.

Rev. Parker was born in Michigan, and was ordained to the Methodist ministry 15 years ago, after graduating from the theological seminary at New Orleans. He had been in his last pastorate for three years.

During the time of his residence in this city Mr. Parker resided on Wellington avenue, Seventh South between sixth and seventh East. He very soon won a warm place in the hearts of his neighbors, irrespective of class or creed. He was a very unassuming man, a hard worker, a diligent student, and moved about in a quiet way, in a quiet way, with a good word and kindly greeting for all. His influence was felt not only among members of his little flock, but upon all with whom he came in contact. Firmly converted to the principles of his religion, he taught it by precept and by example, but was liberal toward those of other faiths and was never found tearing down or undermining the belief of another.

In the hour of his bereavement, Mrs. Parker has the sympathy of a host of friends.

**SENT TO DISTRICT COURT.**

Forest Wilson and Arnold Faris, two inmates of the industrial school, have been remanded to the district court of Salt Lake county by officials of the institution. The boys are now 19 years of age, and were sentenced for burglary. Their conduct is such that it is believed the interests of the school will best be served by their removal. An additional \$100 has been offered by the state for the apprehension of Willie Buchanan and Stanley Hammen, the two boys who recently escaped from the industrial school.

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## SOME AD. TODAY MAY BE

### BELL IN TROUBLE.

Bogus Policeman in McWhittier Scandal Gets 500 Days.

W. W. Bell, the man who played the role of a policeman in the famous McWhittier \$10,000 robbery when George A. Sheets was chief of police, is in trouble at Kansas City, according to word received here last night. Bell, with a man named St. Clair alias W. M. Cummings, worked a "con" game in Kansas City, where Sheets and Bell and his pals are now doing 500 days for the job.

Bell was one of the principals in the McWhittier robbery and when former Chief Sheets tried Bell testifying against him. Bell went to the Antler roominghouse when the McWhittiers were demanding their money and making them believe he was a policeman escorting them to the police station while his pals got off with the money.

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### AMUSEMENTS.

**The New Lyric**—A complete change of bill goes on at this house this afternoon. The features of it will be the "Cow Boy's Baby," showing more than 100 Sioux Indians in an attack upon the pioneers. A catchy song "You're Not the Little Girl in Blue," will be sung with a number of other clever features.

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**TO HAVE NEW OFFICE.**

Chief Pitt Wants to Get Further Away From Madding Crowd.

Chief of Police Tom D. Pitt is to have a new office. He will still be chief of police by the grace of the "inner circle" so he will not have a new office officially. The private office of the chief is too easy to get to and Pitt is bothered so much by people who want lost dogs, cows, cats and other things recovered, etc., that he has decided to move the office into the rooms now occupied by the chief of the fire department. These rooms, three in number, belong to the old city hall building proper and an arrangement has been made whereby they are to be used by the police department. There will be a large office room and two or three cots will be placed in another room. There is also a bath room. To get to the new quarters the chief will either have to pass through Judge Diehl's private office or climb the fire department stairs.

A good time for the little ones at Salt Lake, Monday, Aug. 10, fare only 10 cents for all children under 15 years.

**GIRL LEAVES HOME.**

Joseph Schwartz Makes Complaint to County Attorney.

Joseph Schwartz, a painter, complained to the county attorney yesterday that his daughter Louise, aged 16 years, had left home and he fears that she has gone to California to join an Adolph Petzenberger. The latter is a painter and paperhanger, and although he is a married man, it has been known for some time by the girl's parents that she was infatuated with him. Her father and mother remonstrated with her against associating with the man, and only recently she promised Mrs. Young of the juvenile court that she would have nothing further to do with him. In a letter to her mother, written about the time of her departure, Miss Schwartz expressed a love for Petzenberger, and said that she was going to where he is in California.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

Friends of L. T. Owen desire to express their heartfelt thanks to friends who kindly assisted them during their late bereavement.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We sincerely thank our friends for their sympathy and kindness during the illness and death of husband and father. Especially do we appreciate the assistance rendered by the highest and singest: also the G. A. R. and Ladies' band.

Mrs. Margaret W. Evans and Family.

**GO TO SEATTLE.**

August 8th and 9th, with the Eagles, H. S. McCann, Independent phone 3093 or Bell 4083 will book reservations and furnish further particulars.

**To Ogden Canyon.**

Daily excursion over the Lagoon route. Round trip fare, including street car and automobile to all canyon resorts \$3.50. Sunday excursions to Ogden \$1.00.

**Pure Drugs and Prescriptions our specialty.** Halliday Drug Company.

**Made in a Sanitary Bakery** When cleanliness and purity prevail. Royal-Milk, Royal-Nut, Taboukeen and all sorts of Royal Bread bearing our crown label. Ask your dealer.

**GO TO OGDEN CANYON**

Sunday, August 9th. Only \$1.00 for round trip to Ogden via Oregon Short Line. Any train except Los Angeles subject to change. Train returning leaves Ogden 8:10 p. m.

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**SIX BEST SELLING BOOKS.**

Record for July.

According to reports from the leading book sellers of the country, the 63 books which have sold best in the order of demand during the month are:

1. The Lure of the Mask, MacGrath, \$1.50  
2. The Barrier, Beach, \$1.50  
3. The Coast of Chance, Chamberlain, \$1.50  
4. The Chaparral, Williamson, \$1.50  
5. The Husbands of Edith, McCutcheon, \$1.50  
6. The Lure of the Mask, MacGrath, \$1.50

In addition to the above we have a large stock of other popular books of the day.

**DESERT NEWS BOOK STORE.** 6 Main St.

McClurg's Holiday Display now ready, Knutsford Hotel.

Monday, Aug. 10, 10 cent day for all children under 15 years.

### THE BARN DANCE.

The latest craze, taught in five minutes, by Prof. Kennedy.

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**A. C. Mordug & Co.**

Holiday Display now ready at KNUTSFORD HOTEL, John H. Bryant, Salesman.

**\$10 GO-CARTS, \$5 AND \$6.**

All next week we will place on special sale the famous Allwill Go-Cart. Has always sold for \$10. Your choice of 8 colors—\$5.00 and \$6.00.

**H. DINWOODEY FURNITURE CO.** McCoy's Livery Stables. Both phones \$1.

**JOIN YOUR FRIENDS** And call on them at their cool place, THE LUNAR CAFE.

**Lamorean Tunes Piano.** 22 West 1st South, Ind. 331.

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**Better Opportunities Than Ever in Salt Lake Real Estate. See page 11.**

### FOR RENT.

**TUTTLE BROTHERS COMPANY.** 152 Main St.

2-Rm. 46 Franklin Ave. \$3.00  
2-Rm. 2nd St. 4th E. \$3.00  
2-Rm. 1st St. 2nd E. \$3.00  
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