

# HAUFFEUR GIVES FAMILY A SCARE

Attempted Kidnaping on Fifth  
South Precipitates a Live-  
ly Tussle in Street.

MAN SEIZES MARION HARRIS

Father and Mother Rush to Rescue  
And Jabs and Uppercuts Fly  
Thick and Fast.

Last evening between the hours of 7 and 8 an unknown man in an automobile made a daring attempt to kidnap little Marion Harris, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Harris, residing at 475 East Fifth South street. The house is on the corner of Fifth South and Fifth East streets, and at the hour named a man was seen driving northward on Fifth East street in a large black motor car. He turned at Fifth South street and drove back toward the corner of Fifth South street. He suddenly stopped his machine, jumped out and ran to the sidewalk where he picked the child up in his arms and started back towards the automobile.

The act was witnessed by the 6-year-old son of Rev. Albert Buxton, a neighbor, and the child ran to the residence of Mr. Harris next door and informed the family of what was going on. Mr. Harris, with his wife and her mother rushed out to the sidewalk and just as the man was about to climb into the car with the child the father ran out and caught him. The two men held the man by the collar and the father was forced to defend himself against receiving a heavy blow in the mouth. Mrs. Harris rushed out and held the man by the collar and the father was forced to defend himself against receiving a heavy blow in the mouth. Mrs. Harris rushed out and held the man by the collar and the father was forced to defend himself against receiving a heavy blow in the mouth.

**DESCRIPTION OF FELLOW.**

"He was a well dressed young man," said Mrs. J. H. Harris, "and had a new automobile. It was black in color and painted with red trimmings. He had nearly reached the machine with Marion when the little boy from next door came in and told us. Mr. Harris rushed out and caught the man, and gave him a good beating. I tried to hold him but we could not get anything out of him. He was tall and thin, and was very pale, whether that is his natural color or made so from excitement I am unable to state. My son-in-law caught him down, and asked him why he took the child. He said that he was taking the child to the house and to take him to jail. The fellow tried to appear unconcerned and said he only wanted to frighten the child. He got caught in his machine as soon as he could and drove rapidly away up street."

The police have been notified of the affair and are trying to locate the fellow.

**A BABY SHOW IN SALT LAKE**

There were many contestants, but it was the little boy from next door who won the prize. No baby can be so healthy and so full of life as the little boy from next door. He was born on the 15th of March, and is now 6 years old. He is a very healthy and happy child, and is a great favorite with his family and friends.

## GIDEON GIBBS' STATEMENT.

He Recites His Side of the Case Following Jury's Verdict.

Gideon A. Gibbs, a former deputy county clerk, and who was discharged yesterday in the federal court by Judge Munger after the jury trying his case had returned a verdict of not guilty in accordance with the court's instructions, stated to the "News" today that owing to misleading statements which have been made concerning his case, he desired to recite his side of the affair before the public. In doing so Mr. Gibbs said:

"In the year of 1907, I was appointed clerk in the equity branch of the Third district court in the Honorable C. W. Munger's division by Mr. Ed. McGee, and during the year 1907 and for three months in 1908, there were tried in that division, the Little Cottonwood suit and the Big Cottonwood suit, both being the largest cases ever tried in this state, and which occupied seven or eight months of the time of the court. I also had charge of the files of the probate division. Also the files of the articles of incorporation, issuing of marriage licenses and waiting upon the public in

## All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is also important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

Consequently, the Company's Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna gives general satisfaction. To get its beneficial effects by the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

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the clerk's office between the hours of 9 a. m. to 10 a. m., and from 1 p. m. to 2 p. m., besides the work of naturalizations. In the months of April, May and June, of 1907 and the months of July, August and September of the same year, I collected in naturalization cases, for those two quarters, from nearly 200 persons the sum of \$250 and \$34 in addition to that amount I was also paid for the same people, who were not foreigners, after their applications and declarations of intentions, were made. I would ask for the fees, namely, \$2 and \$3 respectively. They would say that they thought there was no money to be paid until they received their final papers, and they promised to return and bring the necessary amount in. When the respective quarters ended, I notified those who were delinquent in payment of their fees, to call and bring the amount which was due. I collected the sum of \$24 which was not collected. I did not think then or now that I should be held responsible for that sum. I informed Mr. Eldredge that rather than have a trouble or dispute over the matter, I would pay the \$24 myself, which I did seven months before the matter was called to the grand jury.

"And now in relation to the third count, during the months of January, February and March, the Progress water suit was being tried, and there were over 300 defendants and some 500 witnesses, which were examined. All foreigners who applied for papers were sent down to the clerk's office to me to take their applications. This was all taken up with the court work and I would take these foreigners in the judge's private chamber and would attempt to wait upon them, and also attend to my duties in the court room. During the three months last mentioned, there were some 250 foreigners who applied for papers and in 16 cases of this number, the applicants were signed on the wrong page of the record during my absence in the court room, while was endeavoring to wait upon the foreigners, and attend to my duties in the court, and six additional ones as set forth in the third count, lacked the necessary information to sign their applications. The money was paid by these foreigners as required and to the six who failed to furnish the necessary information, the money was returned to them but they promised to return and bring the information. This matter was called to the attention of Mr. Eldredge, who referred it to Walter J. Davis, the inspector of this state representing the government, and who was also assisting in the prosecution of my case.

On April 6, 1908, he duly recommended that the applications, that were signed on the wrong page, be cancelled, and he also dictated a letter to the department at St. Paul, Minn. to the effect, that I requested me to send notices to these foreigners asking them to call and make new applications and also asking the six who failed to furnish the necessary information to call and finish their applications, which I did in each case. When I left the office, I turned over to Mr. Eldredge the amounts that these foreigners had paid and since that date they have all returned and completed their applications, and further there was no time that I did not have the amount that I had collected, and was due the United States in my possession up to the time of my paying to Mr. Eldredge the full amount and the \$34 that I never did collect up to the present.

"In the opinion delivered by the Honorable Judge Munger this morning in the federal court, he held that it was the duty of the clerk and not the deputy clerk, to make those reports and remittances. When the court finished his opinion, Assistant United States District Attorney McGee stated to the court that he would rest his case, whereupon the court instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty.

"No person has lost one cent on account of any money I received in this matter, and I have always contended that there was never any state complaint against me, and the outcome of the case only vindicates my conclusion."

**BAD HUSBAND WHO NEVER STAYS HOME**

So Mrs. Bernstein Now Seeks a Divorce from Her Wandering Spouse.

**BEATS HER AND CALLS NAMES**

Austrian Peddler Who Has Amassed Considerable Property Will be Asked to Share With Wife.

Cecil Bernstein seeks a divorce from her husband, Abraham Bernstein, on the ground of cruelty, in a complaint filed yesterday in the Third district court. They were married in Austria in 1876 and have four children, one of whom is under age.

For years Bernstein has been a peddler and is only home one or two days a month. When he does come home he spends most of his time beating her and calling her vile names. She says that he has accumulated considerable wealth from his business. He is the owner of a house at 702 Snow avenue, worth \$2,400; two lots on Aberdeen street, \$900; three horses and a wagon, valued at \$280; stock and merchandise valued at \$1,000 and about \$1,000 in the bank. She asks for \$25 alimony, a division of the property and the custody of her minor child.

**RIO GRANDE WINS ON APPEAL.**

The Rio Grande Western Railroad company's suit against the Salt Lake Investment Company has been affirmed in an opinion handed down by the supreme court, quieting title to part of lot 8, block 107, plat A, Salt Lake City survey.

**JUDGMENT IS AFFIRMED.**

Judgment for \$500 for personal injuries has been affirmed by the supreme court in an opinion handed down by the supreme court in the case of Mrs. Ethel M. Anderson, respondent, against the Salt Lake & Ogden railroad, appellant. Alighting from a train in Farmington after returning from conference in April, 1908, she was thrown off the second step by a sudden movement of the train.

**IS SENT TO ASYLUM.**

Mrs. M. L. Evans, the wife of a traveling man for the Van Camp Food and Ice company, who was found in front of the Newhouse buildings last week smoking a cigarette and walking around on the newly-laid sidewalk, has been committed to the state mental hospital by Judge Lewis. The investigation was held in the sheriff's office in the City and County building. About three years ago she was committed to the mental institution in Danbury, Ill., from which she was released about two years ago. She has been in Salt Lake only a short time. She has a mania of tearing her clothes and wandering about the streets half dressed.

**JUDGE MAUGHAN SUSTAINED.**

The Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian church lost its case against Judge W. W. Maughan of the First Judicial district yesterday when the supreme court handed down a decision sustaining the demurrer of Judge Maughan and dismissing the proceedings. The writ of prohibition restraining Judge Maughan from proceeding further in a garnishment was brought in Cache county and granted. When Judge Maughan demurred it was overruled and carried to the supreme court. The board had a contract with John W. Barrett to erect a building known as the New Jersey academy for \$7,000.

**"COFFEE DOESN'T HURT ME"**

Tales That Are Told.

"I was one of the kind who wouldn't believe that coffee was hurting me," says a N. Y. woman. "You just couldn't convince me its use was connected with the heart and stomach trouble I suffered from most of the time."

"My trouble finally got so bad I had to live on milk and toast almost entirely for three or four years. Still I loved the coffee and wouldn't believe it could do such damage."

"What I needed was to quit coffee and take nourishment in such form as my stomach could digest."

"I had read much about Postum, but never thought it would fit my case until one day I decided to quit coffee and give it a trial and make sure about it. So I got a package and carefully followed the directions."

"Soon I began to get better and was able to eat carefully selected foods without the aid of postum or other digestants and it was not long before I was really a new woman physically."

"Now I am healthy and sound, can eat anything and everything that comes along and I know this wonderful change is all due to my having quit coffee and got the nourishment I needed through this delicious Postum."

"My wonder is why everyone doesn't give up the old coffee and the troubles that go with it and build themselves up as I have done, with Postum."

"Easy to prove by 10 days' trial of Postum in place of coffee. The reward is big."

"There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

**BEGGAR HAD MONEY.**

John Chalkis, a German 44 years of age, wearing five suits of clothes, with 300 shavers of "Northern Light" shaving stock and \$38.75 in his pockets, was picked up by Patrolman McCormick yesterday while he was begging on the streets between Sixth and Seventh North streets and Second West street. The man was taken to the police station, where he was looked for vagrancy. He was so unkempt and filthy that McCormick almost threw up his job rather than search him before taking him to a cell. He will appear before Judge Bowman tomorrow afternoon.

**ARE AFTER PURE MILK.**

In line with the efforts put forth by the state board of health to insure pure milk, as outlined in the Deseret News, the Salt Lake Medical society, through a specially appointed committee, is bringing pressure to bear upon the same subject. This committee consists of Drs. W. H. Calderwood, Ralph T. Richards, A. A. Kerr, Philo E. Jones and W. B. Tyndale. To obtain a certified dairy is the main object of the society, which would mean a milk dispensary, that such day will be inspected officially. The condition of the cows as to health and environments would be made fully and the milk tested and certified. This subject and kindred ones are to be discussed at a meeting of the public health league to be held in the near future.

# TO PROTECT PUBLIC FROM IMPURE MEAT

City Health Commissioner Urges Government Inspection of Slaughterhouses and Their Output.

Dr. M. R. Stewart, city health commissioner, was one of the party that inspected the slaughter houses Tuesday, and he is of the opinion far from exaggeration were the reports published of conditions found in some of the places visited. "In fact," says Dr. Stewart, "the half of the unsanitary and unwholesome conditions have not been told. The slaughter houses people have been warned time and time again by the health authorities to clean up their premises, but have paid no attention to the notices given. The only way to remedy the evil is to have government inspection of meat and of places where slaughtering takes place. The consumers found at most of the places visited are an absolute menace to the health of consumers. The fact that it would cost money to place the slaughter houses in proper condition is no reason why the public should suffer and endure the present state of affairs. It is the business of the health department and the city council to see that the public is protected in this matter, and we propose to do it."

**UP BEFORE THE BAR.**

N. H. Brown, an attorney of Pittsfield, Vt., writer, "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For Chills, Constipation, Biliousness or Sick Headache, they work wonders, 25c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 So. Main St., Salt Lake City.

**HARNESSTHIEF NABBED.**

Jack Sales Arrested at Pocatello for Stealing Silver Trimmings.

Detective Ed. M. Janney of the Salt Lake police department, has gone to Pocatello to bring back to this city Jack Sales, formerly employed by the Salt Lake Livery & Transfer company. Sales is under arrest at Pocatello, and is wanted here for stripping the silver trimmings from two sets of harness. The property he is alleged to have stolen, is valued at \$200.

The property was not missed until Sunday morning. When Sales failed to put in appearance as usual suspicion fell upon him and the authorities were notified. The matter was kept quiet until yesterday afternoon when Sales was located at Pocatello and placed under arrest. The man had shipped some of the silver to that place and was nabbed when he called for it. Detective Janney will return tomorrow with the prisoner.

**"I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR."**

than have my feet cut off," said M. L. Bingham, of Princeton, Ill., "but you'll die from gangrene (which had eaten away eight toes) if you don't," said all doctors. Instead, he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wholly cured. Its cures of Eczema, Fever Sores, Bolls, Burns and Piles astound the world. 55c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112, 114 So. Main St., Salt Lake City.

**DECLINE TO RETURN CASH.**

County Commissioners Refuse to Refund, County Attorney Will Sue.

County Attorney Job P. Lyon has received a reply from the county commissioners in answer to his demand on them for the return of the \$5,727.69 which was paid to the Inter-Mountain Republican for printing the delinquent tax notices without asking for tenders which is in violation of the law. The commissioners refuse to comply with his request, and now he will file a suit against them to recover the amount illegally paid.

Mr. Lyon said that he was ready to draw up the complaint now and it will probably be filed about the first of next week. It is stated that the commissioners have retained the firm of Booth, Lee & Badger to defend their interests.

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Lot No. 1--Special sale price--13c  
Lot No. 2--Special sale price--19c

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**IRRIGATION OUTLOOK BRIGHT THIS SEASON**

Great Quantity of Snow Well Packed in the Mountains Assures Bounteous Water Supply.

The government monthly weather report for March, covering the district of Utah, gives the following statistics relative to the watersheds of the state:

The level of Great Salt Lake on March 1 was 42 feet above zero; on March 15, 44 feet above; and on April 4, 45 feet above.

The March snowfall settled very solidly into the mountain gulches and ravines. The frequency of high winds as a rule, prevented the much desired drifting, but the rains compressed the snow-pack to the consistency of ice in nearly every mountain region of the state. The quality of water in the snow this stored was great, and the average depth of snow was quite uniformly reported to be greater than in previous years. The valleys of the state were bare, and in several districts the snow had reached well above the foot hills. However, the ground was unfrozen and was completely saturated, and the mountain snow supply was being held back, making the prospective water supply apparently was observed in several years, and assuring a long high water period. The amount of snow was also apparently ample for even late summer use.

**Great Salt Lake Watershed:** West Portage—The snow was well drifted and packed. Lucin—The snow was solidly packed and full of water. Snowville—The snow was packed solidly enough to last a long time. Millville—The snow was solid and the prospects were for more than the necessary amount of water. Newton—The snows have fallen wet and the supply was solid. Randolph—The snow was very hard and the prospects were for higher water this coming season. Layton—The mountain snow supply was well packed and drifted and the prospects were better than for several seasons. Tropic—The snow was well drifted and packed. Kanab—The snow was moist when it fell, and was densely packed. Deseret—There was more snow than usual. Hatch—The snow was well packed. Monticello—The mountain snow was packed very hard. Scipio—The water prospects were better than for years. Annabella—The snow was solid and well drifted. Richfield—There was plenty of snow and it was well drifted. Marysville—The snow was solid and very well drifted. Pinto—Very little snow fell, and it melted as it fell. Springdale—Snow was plentiful and the outlook for water was good.

**Green and Colorado Rivers Watershed:** Vernal—The snow was packed very solid and was very wet. Fort Duchesne—The snow was disappearing very rapidly from the foothills. Escalante—The snow was well packed and drifted. Tropic—The snow was solid and well packed in the mountains, and an abundance of water was again expected. Hatch—The snow was very deep and well drifted.

**SWEET OVER NIAGARA.**

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings—growing ripples and faster current—Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you neglect to escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache, Urinary and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 So. Main St., Salt Lake City.

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**Another Operation Avoided.**

Adrian, Ga.—"I suffered untold misery from female troubles, and my doctor said an operation was my only chance, and I dreaded it almost as much as death. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me without an operation."—LENA V. HENRY, R. F. D. 3.

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**Grip Knocked Out.**

Some weeks ago during the severe winter either both my wife and myself contracted colds which speedily developed into—what kind of grip with all its miseries—symptoms," says Mr. J. E. Bagerton, Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knew and I, being unable to sleep, head ached up, eyes ran, nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a double dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and by its liberal use was completely knocked out the grip."

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