DESERET EVENING NEWS.

Tuesday, - January 12, 1897.

FIRE AND POLICE BOARD.

Chief Devine Submits The Annual Report of The Fire Department.

A Reduction in The Number of Fires—Cost of Maintenance And Estimated Cost For The Present Year.

The fire and police board held a meeting last night, at which the principal business was the hearing of Chief Devine's report of the fire department for the past year. In it the chief recommends the erection of a station in the Fourth precinct, at an estimated cost of $8,000, which is included in his estimated cost of maintaining the department for the present year. He calls attention to the completion of the new fire station at a cost of $5,781 and then goes on to say:

The total number of alarms during the past year was 129, as against 114 during the year 1895. Of these 61 were box alarms, 53 were received by telephone, 12 were still alarms, 2 came from private bells and 1 from the police. Of the above 11 were false alarms and 5 were caused by mischievous persons. During the year the department traveled in actual service 359¼ miles and laid 31,550 feet of hose.

The following statement of the loss by fire during the past year and the amount of insurance involved shows that fires have been both less numerous and less costly than during any year since 1890:

Estimated value of buildings burned	[illegible]
Insurance involved	[illegible]
Insurance paid	[illegible]
Actual loss	[illegible]
Loss over insurance paid	[illegible]
Estimated value of contents	[illegible]
Insurance involved	[illegible]
Insurance paid	[illegible]
Actual loss	[illegible]
Loss over insurance paid	[illegible]
Total estimated value of property	[illegible]
Total insurance involved	[illegible]
Total insurance paid	[illegible]
Total loss	[illegible]
Total loss over insurance paid	[illegible]

During 1895 the total loss and insurance upon buildings and their contents was as follows:

Value of property	$1,[illegible]
Insurance involved	[illegible]
Loss on buildings and contents	[illegible]
Insurance paid	[illegible]

The cost of maintaining the department during the past year was $35,288.72, of which amount $22,811.65 represents the salary list. The department cost the city $32,591.13 in the year 1895, $17,874.08 of which was paid out in salaries.

The estimate of the department expenses for 1897 shows an increase over that of past years as in it is included the cost of construction and equipment of the proposed Fourth precinct engine house as above stated. The estimate is as follows:

Salaries	$[illegible]
Apparatus and wagons	[illegible]
Hose (including 1,000 feet new hose)	[illegible]
Horse shoeing	[illegible]
Light and fuel	[illegible]
Chemical supplies	[illegible]
Repairs and house supplies	[illegible]
Horses and company engines account	[illegible]
Horse feed	[illegible]
Harness and stable account	[illegible]
Miscellaneous	[illegible]
Stable and printing	[illegible]
Fire alarm, telegraph and telephone account	1,[illegible]
New appliances	[illegible]
Fourth precinct new station and equipment	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

Fires during the past year were caused as follows:

Overheated stoves, 5; defective stove pipe, 2; soot in chimney, 3; bake oven, 1; defective flue, 11; twisted gas jet, 1; ashes from chimney, 3; children and matches, 7; unknown, 10; unnecessary alarms, 5; incendiary, 2; supposed incendiary, 4; sparks from furnace, 3; electric wires, 3; boys and matches, 6; gas stove, 1; matches in rubbish, 2; cook stove, 1; spontaneous combustion, 2; hot ashes, 2; burning flue, 2; smoking cigarettes, 1; dentist's gas tank explosion, 1; lighting fire with coal oil, 1; sparks from flue, 2; fumigating building, 2; accident on electric wires, 1; matches and fire-crackers, 1; Chinese lantern, 1; hanging lamp, 1; spread from other buildings, 4; lamp explosion, 2; tar boiler, 2; upsetting lamp, 1; burning benzene, 1; coal from stove, 1; gasoline stove explosion, 3; false alarms, 11; total, 129.

Chief Devine's report shows that the present force of the fire department consists of twenty-seven officers, including the chief, all of whom are permanent employes devoting all their time to the service of the department.

The report was adopted after reading.

At the meeting rule 6 for the government and discipline of the departments was changed to read as follows: "The person so fined, suspended or dismissed shall have the right to a hearing before the board, if demanded within thirty days after the action of the chief, as to the justice of his fine, suspension or dismissal."

The Last Day of $4.00 Coal.

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FILED FOR PROBATE.

Will of S. J. Nathan Disposing of His Estate Valued at $15,000.

The will of the late Samuel J. Nathan has been filed for probate with the county clerk by the executors, John Nathan of New York City and Israel Harvey of Salt Lake City.

The estate, which is valued at $15,000, consists of the stock of dry goods and gents' furnishing goods in the store at 165 East Temple street, and a number of book accounts belonging to the business carried on by the deceased.

The will directs that the proceeds from the sale of goods, store fixtures, etc., be divided into 4½ equal parts, of which his brothers, John Nathan of New York, and Nathaniel Nathan of London, shall receive one share each; his sister, Julia Harvey of Philadelphia, one share; the heirs of Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, deceased, late of Brooklyn, one share, and the remaining one-half share to Lawrence C. Barnett of New York, nephew of the deceased. Of the one share for the heirs of Mrs. Martin, it is directed that Morris Martin receive two-thirds and Abraham Martin one-third thereof, and to his other nephews and nieces he bequeaths $1 each.

The hearing on the petition for probate was set for January 23.

BAR ASSOCIATION MEETING.

C. S. Varian on the Election Decision—Meet Again Tonight.

Judge J. S. Boreman presided at the meeting of the bar association held in the civil court room last evening. It was the second annual meeting of the association, and last night's meeting was marked by the largest attendance in its history.

Two very interesting papers were read by Attorneys C. S. Varian and George F. Costigan Jr.

Mr. Varian treated on the opinion handed down by the Supreme Court in the election cases. Mr. Varian takes issue with the court on the validity of the election law, also on proving the law's passage. He agrees with Chief Justice Zane that when the enrolled bill, authenticated by the signatures of the legislative officers and the Governor has been deposited with the secretary of state, it is, he concludes, "the law of the land."

Mr. Costigan's paper was on the subject of trial by jury and is considered an able paper.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

President—Hon. C. S. Varian.

Vice-President—Judges Charles H. Hart, Henry H. Rolapp, W. N. Dusenberry, E. V. Higgins, William McCarty, Jacob Johnson, and Ogden Hiles.

Secretary—Clesson S. Kinney.

Treasurer—E. O. Lee.

This Evening's Programme—"Texas & Pacific Railway company vs. the Inter-State Commerce Commission;" Hon. John W. Judd.

"Admission to the Bar," H. K. Harkness.

"Divorce in the United States," Judge C. H. Hart.

"What the Code Commission has been doing," Grant H. Smith.

Executive Council—John M. Zane and J. H. Moyle.

Committee on grievances—J. A. Williams, A. T. Schroeder and H. B. Booth.

Representatives to the American Bar Association—Judge Judd, John M. Zane and Parley L. Williams.

Judges Cherry, Norrell and Dusenberry were elected honorary members, while the following gentlemen were regularly elected: A. B. Whitener, F. H. Holtzheimer, W. J. Hills, F. M. Bishop, N. W. Sonnedecker and Riley H. Jones.

Mrs. Austin and Wm. Howard.

John Rimmer, 45 Bewley street, Kirkdale, Lancashire, England, is very desirous of learning of a Mrs. Austin and family, who emigrated to Utah from Southport, Lancashire, England, about thirty years ago, and a William Howard, who emigrated from Southport, England, about six years ago. Any person knowing of the address of either of these persons will confer a favor by forwarding the same to Mr. Rimmer.

A Natural Solvent.

The moisture of the eye is a genuine solvent. Many persons have gone to bed troubled with a foreign substance in the eye, and have waked up in the morning and found it gone. In many cases of this kind the foreign matter has been dissolved by the moisture of the eye.

A Bad Case.

The Stipendiary—Can't you and your husband live together without fighting?

Mrs. Mahaffy—No, yer honor, not happily.—London Tit-Bits.

It Depends.

She—Do you think it advisable for young people to marry on a small salary?

He—How much does your father get?—Town Topics.

A Legal Opinion.

"Do you think there is anything in this case?" asked the junior partner of the law firm.

"Certainly," answered the senior partner. "Our client is worth a million."—Detroit Free Press.

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The progressive ladies of Westfield, Ind., issued a "Woman's Edition" of the Westfield News, bearing date of April 3, 1896. The paper is filled with matter of interest to women, and we notice the following from a correspondent, which the editors printed, realizing that it treats upon a matter of vital importance to their sex: "The best remedy for croup, colds and bronchitis that I have been able to find is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For family use it has no equal. I gladly recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by druggists.

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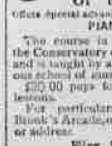

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