

SURVEYING AT SALT LAKE BEACH

Corps of Engineers Endeavoring
To Solve the Water Problem.

HAVE SEVERAL SCHEMES.

Are Directing Their Energies, How-
ever, in the Direction of a
Retaining Wall.

The executive committee of the Salt Lake Beach company, following the trip to the lake last week, has turned the problem of solving the bathing situation over to the engineering firm of Doremus and Kelsey.

With the object in view of getting the necessary data for the proposed improvements Mr. Kelsey visited Salt Lake on Sunday and after looking around yesterday morning dispatched W. F. Hardesty and a corps of surveyors who are now actively at work out in the salt water.

Inquiry at the offices of the company this morning elicited the information that the engineers are working on several propositions but were primarily directing their energies in the direction of the retaining wall scheme.

A GOOD SCHEME.

Palatial Special Train to Advertise
Colorado's Resources.

A company has been incorporated in Colorado for the purpose of advertising that state in the east. The scheme consists of living and inanimate pictures of Colorado, which will be carried about the country by a magnificent train of five cars.

In glowing language the promoters describe the benefits which the state will derive from the project. Concerning their enterprise the prospectus sets forth the following:

"A few years after its mission has been performed the magnificent city of Denver will contain a population of upward of a half million of enterprising people as one of its direct results.

It will be the means indirectly of attracting attention to and building up in every direction the remote western section of the United States, with Denver as the central trade entrepot.

It is the intention to employ five massive traveling cars, each containing pictures, comprising a compact special train as follows:

First—Colorado hotel and office car.
Second—Colorado mineral palace car.
Third—Colorado horticultural car.
Fourth—Colorado agricultural car.
Fifth—Colorado prospector, burro and Indian car.

"These will be especially constructed and adapted for the purpose designated. Elaborate views of the principal cities, mining towns and scenery of the state will be designed by experienced artists, on the outside panels, and they challenge the world to produce anything on earth's surface to equal these sumptuous picturesque subjects depicted upon these panels."

Bids for Moffat Road.

The Denver News says: Reports from surveying parties of the Moffat railroad are so encouraging that it has been decided to call for bids for grading next week. The bids will cover the route between Layton and the mouth of the tunnel which is to penetrate the main range, about 60 miles from Denver. Owing to the changes that have been decided upon, the lowest bidder for the 18 miles that was announced several weeks ago will not be taken into the estimate. An entirely new set of bids are called for, and A. A. Uley, who was the lowest bidder at the last contest, will appear again in the field. The cost of the grading is estimated at \$1,500,000, and the work will require the largest part of a year.

In the meantime specifications will be prepared for the tunnel, and proposals will be expected to be received that tunnel construction will commence by the first of the year. The engineering corps is to remain in the field all winter, and grading is to be let in sections as the field work is completed.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

Acting Traffic Manager T. M. Schumacher has returned from a trip north, Atty. C. O. Whittemore, of the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake, is on a visit to Pioche, Nev.

J. Q. Harlow goes to the Columbia Railway and Navigation company as general manager and chief engineer.

A. N. Graham, traveling freight and passenger agent for the Chicago and Alton at Denver, went north this morning.

General Agent Neelen and Traveling Freight and Passenger Agent Hahn of the Burlington, went north this morning.

E. E. Catlin, general superintendent of the Oregon Short Line, has gone east with his son Herbert, who will attend school at Groen Falls.

Frank Groenbeck and William Howe of the passenger department of the Rio Grande Western, are on their way for an extended trip to New York at the end of the month.

The Rio Grande Western will run another of the popular mining excursions to Park City on Sunday morning. A very low rate of \$1.50 for the round trip and an enjoyable time are assured.

A cut-off will be constructed by the Southern Pacific across the islands west of Stockton, Cal., connecting with the main line near Byron and saving a distance of 20 miles between Stockton and San Francisco. The running time of trains between the two points will be cut down considerably by the change.

The American Bridge company has been given the contract for 2,100 tons of steel for the bridge of the Illinois Central over the Missouri river at Omaha, Neb. The bridge will be double-tracked the full length, and will have a draw-span of 520 feet, and 115-foot spans.

AFTERNOON MINING CALL.

Trading Was Active and Prices Were
Considerably Off.

On the mining exchange this afternoon there was a fairly active demand for stocks and with few exceptions, prices were tobogganed. The session closed with the following market:

Con. Mercantile	2.01 1/2	2.02 1/2
Crescent	1.40	58
Daily West	50.05	50.50
Grand Central	5.05	5.15
Ingot	2.60	2.75
May Day	2.00	2.25
California	5.00	4.25
Century	2.00	1.10
Martha Wash	2.00	1.10
Sankee	7.00	64

NOMINEES OF THE CONVENTION

Republican County Ticket as Made
Up Yesterday Afternoon.

SOME SPIRITED CONTESTS.

The Most Animated Were Those for
The Long-Term Commissioner-
ship and County Attorney.

CONVENTION NOMINEES.

Commissioners—For four-year term, W. W. Wilson of Sandy. For two-year term, James H. Anderson and Henry N. Standish, of Salt Lake.

Clerk—John James.

Treasurer—W. O. Carbis.

Sheriff—C. Frank Emery.

Recorder—Walter J. Meeks.

Assessor—Ben R. Eldredge.

Auditor—L. M. Fisher.

Attorney—George Westervelt.

Surveyor—Joseph B. Swenson.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

When the "News" report closed yesterday afternoon the convention was balloting for county commissioners. As the votes were announced by districts and order of business, entitled him to the four-year term. Messrs. Anderson and Standish coming next, were declared the nominees for the short term.

COMMISSIONERSHIP BALLOT.

Wilson	368
Anderson	321
Standish	325
Gabbott	255
Harker	197
Rich	197
Colby	99
Godfrey	99

CLERK BY ACCLAMATION.

The next order of business was the nomination for county clerk. Daniel Harrington presented the name of John James, moving that the rules be suspended and that Mr. James be nominated by acclamation. This was objected to but a moment later the motion was repeated by H. C. Edwards and this time it went through with a shout and Mr. James was declared the nominee of the convention.

TREASURER THE SAME.

For county treasurer Col. George B. Squires placed in nomination W. O. Carbis, urging as a qualification that he was a graduate from the hills of Birmingham. No others being presented Mr. Carbis was also nominated by acclamation.

THE SHERIFFALTY CONTEST.

Next came the nomination for sheriff. Judge H. E. Booth, in a ringing speech, presented the name of "that stalwart young Republican" C. Frank Emery. The nomination was freely seconded and an effort made to push through by acclamation, but as there were other candidates the effort was unsuccessful and Hyrum A. Smith placed before the convention the name of Jack Smith. Balloting was then proceeded with the result of which Mr. Emery the winner with 446 votes, as against 103 for Mr. Smith. On no other nomination was made unanimous.

MEETS FOR RECORDER.

For county recorder Walter J. Meeks was nominated by W. A. Lee and Alma C. Sadler by Hon. Angus M. Cannon. They seconded and there was such a decided movement in his favor, that before the convention could proceed to ballot Mr. Cannon withdrew the name of Mr. Sadler and moved that the vote be made unanimous for Mr. Meeks. The motion prevailed amid much enthusiasm.

THE ASSESSORSHIP.

The contest for county assessor was between Ben R. Eldredge and B. B. Bitter, who were presented respectively by A. P. Kessler and H. C. Edwards. The ballot resulted in a victory for Eldredge he having 411 votes and Bitter, 130.

At this juncture there were motions made to adjourn, but the convention cried them down and proceeded with the business before it.

FISHER WINS.

Col. George B. Squires nominated for county auditor L. M. Fisher, while Parley Jensen presented the name of J. Parley White. Mr. Fisher got there the vote being Fisher 317, White 182.

FIGHT FOR ATTORNEYSHIP.

At this juncture the fight of the convention was on, nominations for county attorney being called for. Parley P.

BEHOLD HOW GOOD!

You will find our Three Crown Baking
Powder the best article you ever
bought. It is not superior of course
to the very high grade baking powder,
but it is equal to any of them and saves
you money. It is better than many of
the baking powders which you pay
more. It has always stood at the head
of its class and is not less distinguished
today. Its old users are its warmest
admirers. It finds a place in the homes
where none but the best will be accept-
ed.

Prices right, 25 cents for a sixteen
ounce can.

HEWLETT BROS. CO.,

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

Christensen was nominated by George A. Lawrence, who made a neat speech complimenting Mr. Christensen for his good work in behalf of Republicanism. The nomination was ably seconded by Angus M. Cannon. Then A. L. Hoppe named George Westervelt and Major Breiden put in a few good words for Mr. Christensen. Other remarks followed, showing there was considerable feeling in the matter, and J. S. Daveler, who sought to defend Mr. Westervelt, was cried down in the general tumult that followed. When the band had played and order was restored a ballot was taken, showing that Mr. Christensen had been defeated by the narrow margin of two votes. The ballot was Westervelt, 275, Christensen 274.

SWENSON FOR SURVEYOR.

When the convention had recovered its composure, nominations for county surveyor were called for. Fred W. Price nominated Jesse W. Fox, Jr., and Judge J. B. Swenson, the name of Joseph B. Swenson. The latter won out, the vote being, Swenson, 320; Fox, 216.

This juncture the convention adjourned till 11 o'clock this morning, the city delegates arranging to meet at 10 to name a city justice and constable.

LATE LOCALS.

Sweet potatoes are on the market, four pounds for 25 cents.

Miss Clara Hall is singing as soprano in Grace Episcopal church at Colorado Springs.

George H. Williams, the well known mining man from Milford, is a guest at the Culbert.

J. C. Cutler, Jr., has gone down to Iron county on a trip of observation, where important developments are expected this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Felt will go to Provo this evening to attend a party given by Mrs. W. P. Smith in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary.

The family of Landford Holmes of the Knutsford will remain for the winter at Santa Monica, but Mr. Holmes returns to this city October 15.

B. N. Leyman, a prominent Philadelphian interested in the development of this state, is a guest at the Kenyon, where a business trip through the northwest.

The site of the federal building is the scene of much activity, as Contractor Campbell is pushing things along as fast as possible. But he is hampered by the scarcity of teams.

Mal. P. R. Colville, advance agent of the Pacific Marine line, has been in the city a guest at the Drexel. His band will play in this city next night at the Salt Lake theater.

A default judgment in favor of plaintiff has been entered in the case of H. H. Johnson vs. Abraham Smith for the sum of \$953. The action was brought to recover judgment on three promissory notes executed by defendant March 7, 1894.

On Friday evening, Sept. 26, an entertainment will be given in the Twenty-third ward meeting house under the auspices of the ward teachers for the purpose of raising money to purchase music for the choir. An entertainment will be carried out by some of the best talent of the city, after which dancing will be indulged in till 12 o'clock. No admission will be charged, but those who attend will be expected to contribute a small amount to aid the good cause.

E. H. Flagler, representing the John Church Music company of Chicago, is a guest at the Kenyon. He understands that the company has to pass through this city next month on route east from a northwestern trip, and he does not know why they should stop over here. Mr. Flagler says the public taste is running now, in the matter of songs, to compositions like those of Nevin and Hawley, and in instrumental music the taste is turning from rag-time to a more refined and polished composition. He says a coming composer in song music is Oley Speaks, a new but brilliantly shining musical talent. Mr. Flagler finds business very promising wherever he goes.

Manager Pyper of the Salt Lake Theater, accompanied by his wife, returned yesterday from a flying trip to Chicago, New York and Boston. During their New York stay they were the guests of Col. Willard Young and wife, but nearly all of Mr. Pyper's time was occupied in inspecting the new modern theaters such as the Empire, the Knickerbocker, and the Belasco, now house. The latter opens tonight with Leslie Carter as the attraction. Mr. Pyper says that although the theater is hardly any larger than the Grand in this city, it is simply a marvel in elegance, convenience, and mechanical contrivances. Mr. Pyper purchased a number of electric appliances for the Salt Lake Theater, and will lay before the board of directors several designs for a new drop curtain.

ROBERTS' COMPLETE WORKS.

"Outlines of Ecclesiastical History," \$1.75, \$2.50; "The Gospel," \$2.50, \$1.25; "New Witness for God," \$1.50, \$2.50; "Succession in the Presidency," \$30c, \$1.50; "Use and Fall of Nations," \$1.25, \$2.25; "Deseret Publications," \$1.25, \$2.25. Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

UTAH, IDAHO, THE WORLD.

Three new maps, just issued, Utah and Idaho on one side, the World on the reverse side, including population of countries and towns according to the 1900 census, with a brief sketch of every country in the world. Size 27x 21 1/2 inches, value 75 cents; sent at address for 25c. Address Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

SUBSTANTIATES BOOK OF MORMON

Story of Prehistoric Civilization
Of America Told by Scientist.

DR. BAUM VISITS SALT LAKE

Traveled on Horseback, Accompanied
By 8 Savants, For 700 Miles in West
On Archaeological Research.

A traveler, scholar and ethnologist of distinction is a guest at the Culbert, en route east from a tour of scientific investigation in Arizona and New Mexico. In Rev. Henry M. Baum, who has been honored with the degree of Doctor of Canon Law by Oxford university, and is editor of Records of the Past of Washington, D. C., a periodical devoted to archaeological research and investigation. The doctor has been out west with a party of eight savants investigating evidences and indications of prehistoric civilization. He has traveled horseback over 700 miles, and given local ethnological evidences, a careful examination which will add materially to the folk lore for which the great southwest was long being noted.

Dr. Baum noted fragments of prehistoric pottery scattered along the greatest mass as well as in the canyons, and a careful study of these well as a critical investigation of the mounds, have convinced him that from 1,000 to 3,000 years ago, a vast population of several millions of people inhabited the country now embraced in Arizona, New Mexico, Central America, and the western coast of South America. These peoples originally emigrated to this hemisphere from Asiatic countries across what is now the South Pacific ocean, but which at that time was undoubtedly dotted with numerous islands and small continents extending from the western to the eastern shores of the Pacific. These lands were, as far as evidences go, finally submerged in a series of seismic cataclysms, somewhat similar to what is now going on in the West Indies, and speaking of the West Indies the doctor remarked that it was only a matter of time before they, too, went the way of the submerged lands of the Southern Pacific. He said it was fairly well established now that the prehistoric races of the American continents never reached this country by the way of the Behring straits, and that theory is exploded. Moreover, he has found evidence of this prehistoric civilization which make it practically certain that it was a part of or closely allied to ancient Egyptian civilization, and in illustration of this the doctor stated that he had discovered cloth in ancient mounds in Arizona of precisely the same texture and quality as the mummy cloths of ancient Egypt. Moreover, he found distinct traces of extensive systems of temples and public buildings and systems of land cultivation identical with those obtaining in ancient Egypt 1,500 to 3,000 years ago. Then from local evidences the investigator learned that the same seismic disturbances which destroyed the Pacific islands and lesser continents resulted in violent climatic changes on the American continents and the spread of a series of terrible epidemics which swept these vast populations completely out of existence.

The following native races proved far inferior to their predecessors—were mongrels in fact when compared with the prehistoric races of the world existing among the prehistoric peoples. Dr. Baum found evidences that there had been a succession of lava overflows, and as proof of this he showed the position of the earth which changed under the original settlement of the country, he noted that irrigating ditches had been filled with these lava overflows. He holds that about this time the position of the earth changed with reference to the plane of the Equator, which meant the shifting of the poles. The whole subject is one of absorbing interest, engaging the widest range of romance.

Dr. Baum spent some time among the Navajos, and he says that they are fit for civilization, and that the government ought to build them reservations so that they can reclaim the arid wastes and make headway in the world. At present the government, educators, or politicians are completely ignorant of the position of the young Indians, and then these are turned loose, only to return to their old ways of living. It is impossible to advance the Navajos unless the government helps them in the reclamation of the arid lands.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The stockholders of the Z. C. M. I. were pleasantly surprised to see the announcement of the institution in "News" that the regular dividend of 4 per cent on Oct. 15 would be supplemented by an extra of 2 per cent payable on the same date. The action of the board of directors simply anticipates the payment of the extra which has been previously declared for Christmas time. The payment of the 6 per cent on the capital will put something like \$40,000 in local circulation on Oct. 15.

Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$471,747.55, as against \$629,882.17 for the corresponding day of last year.

The Alcatraz company is laying asphalt on the north side of Third South street between State and Main streets.

The street railway company is surveying out a new line to connect Main at 1st State streets, with a view to relocating and laying 73 pounds steel preparatory to the thoroughfare being paved with asphalt. The poles will have to be moved 1 1/2 feet to the north to be in the center of the street.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box. Prepared by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

WENT OUT WITH THE HIRED GIRL

Mrs. Sakuth Makes Some Allegations in Cross-Complaint.

SAYS HUSBAND UNFAITHFUL

While Their Child Was Dying Wife
Claims He Took a Girl to
The Theater.

In the divorce case of S. A. Sakuth, a West Second South street tailor, against Emma B. Sakuth, the defendant today filed an amended answer to the complaint of her husband and also a cross-complaint in which charges of ill-treatment and infidelity are made.

Mrs. Sakuth admits that since May 2, 1902, she has refused to live with her husband because he had become unendurable in his disposition, treated her in a contemptuous manner, habitually insulted her in such a manner that she could not live with him. She alleges that during the last sickness of two of their children he neglected and refused to give them the care and attention a father should give his children, and at their death he manifested so much indifference that he showed himself to be an unfit person to live with.

During the sickness of one of the children when it was doubtful that the child would live through the night, Mrs. Sakuth alleges that her husband passed the evening at the theater in company with a servant of the family. Mrs. Sakuth asks that she be awarded the decree of divorce and the custody of the two minor children, and that part of the real estate of plaintiff be set apart for the maintenance of the children and that plaintiff be restrained from disposing of his property pending this action.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES.

Where They Will Be Held in the Different Districts Tomorrow Night.

Democratic primaries for the election of delegates to the county convention are announced for tomorrow night as follows:

FIRST PRECINCT.

First—Laughran's store, 1406 south, Eleventh East.

Second—Residence I. M. Coombs, at 900 Eighth East.

Third—Residence Riego Hawkins, 725 Wellington avenue, on Seventh South between Sixth and Seventh East.

Fourth—Residence C. G. Johnson, 363 east, Eighth South.

Fifth—Annex Third ward meeting house, 115 east, Seventh South.

Sixth—Residence W. R. Foster, 456 south, State street.

Seventh—Office board of public works, city and county building.

Eighth—Residence John Holt, 430 east, Third South.

Ninth—Residence O. H. Pettit, 523 Fifth East.

Tenth—B. Y. Gidding, 328 Ninth East.

Eleventh—Residence J. W. Cunningham, 135 west, Seventh South.

SECOND PRECINCT.

Thirteenth—Store of Charles Cottrell, 176 Meade street, between West Temple and First West, one block south of Ninth South.

Fifteenth—Residence W. C. Husbands, 1125 Indiana avenue.

Sixteenth—Residence R. E. Currie, 323 south, Third West.

Seventeenth—Sixth ward meeting house, between Fourth and Fifth South on Third West.

Eighteenth—Residence Thomas Winter, 428 south, Second West.

Nineteenth—Residence R. G. Hartley, 76 west, Fifth South.

Twentieth—Residence John Shea, 163 west, Third South.

Twenty-first—At 19 west, Second South.

Twenty-third—Residence A. J. Seare, 327 west, South Temple.

Twenty-fourth—Residence E. S. Jenkins, 288 south, Fourth West.

Twenty-fifth—Residence D. K. Johnson, 37 south, Sixth West.

Twenty-sixth—At Twenty-fourth ward meeting house, on corner of Eighth West and First South.

THIRD PRECINCT.

Twenty-seventh—Room A, Seventeenth ward meeting house, on First North between First West and West Temple.

Twenty-eighth—Residence Arthur F. Barnes, 147 north, First West.

Twenty-ninth—Residence R. S. Sleight, 107 north, First West.

Thirtieth—Plymouth Rock church on Third North, between First and Second West.

Thirty-first—Residence J. C. Wade, 112 north, Fifth West.

Thirty-second—Residence J. B. Rehl, 765 west, North Temple.

Thirty-fourth—Residence J. S. Hyde, 422 west, Fourth North.

Thirty-fifth—Residence John W. Haslam, 54 west, Third North.

Thirty-sixth—Brook building, Tenth North and Tenth West.

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Thirty-seventh—Independence school house, corner A and Second streets.

Thirty-eighth—Volunteer firemen's hall, 263 Canyon road.

Thirty-ninth—Residence John A. Myers, 185 1/2 street.

Fortieth—Residence T. F. Thomas, 218 F street.

Forty-first—Residence Sam Arnold, 673 Sixth Street.

Forty-second—Residence Robert Aven, 24 M street.

Forty-third—At Targart's hall.

Forty-fourth—Residence C. P. Overfield, 516 east, First South.

Forty-fifth—Residence Mr. Arnold, 153 Third East.

Forty-sixth—Independence Abstract office, under Deseret bank.

Forty-seventh—Law office of King, Burton & King, Commercial block.

COUNTY DISTRICTS.

Fifty-third—Waterloo schoolhouse.

Fifty-fourth—At the North schoolhouse.

Fifty-fifth—At Mill Creek schoolhouse.

Fifty-sixth—At the Thirtieth district schoolhouse.

Fifty-seventh—Sixth and Sixty-third South Cottonwood meeting house.

Sixty-first—At the Twenty-fourth district schoolhouse, Murray.

Sixty-second—Central schoolhouse, Union.

Sixty-third—Sixty-eighth—City hall, Sandy City.

Sixty-fourth—Rideout's hall, Draper.

Sixty-fifth—Riverfront ward house.

Sixty-sixth—At Fifth district schoolhouse, Hunter.

Sixty-seventh—Residence Frank Y. Taylor, corner Seventh East and Twelfth South.

Sixty-eighth—Central school building.

Sixty-ninth—Residence John M. Cannon, 2501 south, Seventh East.

MILES W. ROMNEY IN COURT TODAY

Arraigned Before Judge Diehl on
The Charge of Murder.

WILL PLEAD ON THURSDAY

Defendant Appeared Nervous and Ill
At Ease as Complaint Was
Read to Him.

Before Judge Diehl this afternoon, Miles W. Romney, the slayer of Harry Strong, or Payne, was arraigned on the charge of murder in the first degree. On motion of Atty. J. M. Hamilton, counsel for defense, the case was continued until Thursday afternoon, at which time Romney will enter his plea. The accused man was brought into court by Deputy Sheriff Walter J. Sloan. Romney appeared nervous and ill at ease.

The preliminary hearing will be held before Judge Tanner as Judge Diehl will be absent from the city for several weeks.

The Eckstein hearing will also be held before Judge Tanner, and will begin tomorrow morning unless there is another continuance.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By telegraph to A. A. Gibson & Co., 215 South Main street.)
Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1902.

Eric. So. com.	40 1/2	40 3/4	40 1/2	40 3/4
Pac. Mail.	44 1/2	44 3/4	43 3/4	43 3/4
Alton com.	41 1/2	41 3/4	40 1/2	40 1/2
Katy. pfd.	66 1/2	66 3/4	63 1/2	63 1/2
Smelter com.	46 1/2	46 3/4	46 1/2	46 1/2
R. G. com.	48 1/2	48 3/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Do. pfd.	94 1/2	94 3/4	93 1/2	93 1/2
G. W. com.	32 1/2	32 3/4	31 1/2	31 1/2
So. Ry. com.	38 1/2	38 3/4	38 1/2	38 1/2
Do. pfd.	96 1/2	96 3/4	95 1/2	95 1/2
N. & W.	74 1/2	74 3/4	73 1/2	73 1/2
Rock Island	202 1/2	202 3/4	201 1/2	201 1/2
Colo. Fuel com.	81 1/2	81 3/4	79 1/2	79 1/2
St. Paul com.	137 1/2	137 3/4	136 1/2	136 1/2
Tenn. Coal Iron	68 1/2	68 3/4	66 1/2	67 1/2
Steel com.	40 1/2	40 3/4	40 1/2	40 1/2