DESERET EVENING NEWS.

Tuesday, - February 26, 1895.

TO PROVIDE WORK.

Councilman Hardy's Sidewalk Graveling Proposition.

NECESSITY FOR PROMPT ACTION.

Sewer Work Impracticable Now and Drainage Canal Construction Out of the Question.

The question of furnishing labor for unemployed workmen just now is one that is troubling the members of the City Council most seriously. Among those who have ways and means and plans to offer to this end is Councilman L. G. Hardy.

He gave his views to a News representative last evening, saying that he would probably embody them in a resolution or ordinance for the consideration of the City Council at its meeting tonight. Mr. Hardy said: "I feel that the time has come when we must act. The situation is critical. There are several ways in which it can be relieved. Our duty is to relieve it. There are hundreds of unemployed men in our city today. There are hundreds of impassable sidewalks. There are mountains of the best gravel right at our doors. Now then, my idea is that the Council should create a sidewalk graveling [illegible] better walks are needed—and that is almost everywhere outside of the paved portions—and thus give work to honest men. The walks need not be covered the full width. That would probably be too expensive, but they could be graveled, say four feet wide, which would not be a burden on the taxpayers and which would give work to every unemployed man and team in the city for the next six weeks, a period when they need it most.

This proposition, says Mr. Hardy, can be acted upon without any delay and men set at work at once. Proper and speedy relief can not be had in sewer work, neither can the proposed drainage canal to the lake be economically or advantageously constructed at this time of the year. The distance for sending men to walk out of the city each morning and back each evening would be too great and transportation facilities are out of the question, while sleeping in tents on the open, wet prairie this time of the year is not to be thought of or encouraged.

Such are Mr. Hardy's views on the labor situation and he hopes he will be able to persuade his colleagues to his way of thinking in the matter of setting men to work forthwith. To meet the expenses which would thus be incurred he would have the Council levy a small special tax and in the event that it was defeated make payment from the general fund.

Police and Fire Board.

The fire and police commissioners met in regular session last night and among other things decided to increase the salary of its clerk from $40 per month to $50, notwithstanding the Council fixed the remuneration at the former figure. It is pretty evident that some salary saving sides of the municipality will make that action a theme for a singing retrenchment talk at an early date. But it is generally agreed by all conversant with the facts in the case that a competent clerk could not be had for $40.

The appropriation by the Council of $25 per month in favor of ex-Desk Sergeant McHardy was referred back to that body with the information that he had been dead since December last.

Chief Pratt notified the board of the appointment of J. J. Randall as special policeman without pay. Granted.

The application of ex-Detective Walker for similar authority was denied on recommendation of the chief.

Furniture bills were referred and claims allowed amounting to $[illegible], after which the board went into an executive session.

Company A Elects Officers.

Infantry Company A, First Regiment, met in the Brigham Young Trust company's building on Commercial street last night and elected a first lieutenant, in the person of William Webb, who was already second lieutenant. The place made vacant by Lieutenant Webb's promotion went to A. W. Driggs, after which congratulations and speechmaking was [illegible] indulged in.

Y. L. M. I. A. Notice.

The Y. L. M. I. A. officers' meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. M. Y. Dougall on next Saturday, March 2nd, at 12 m. A full attendance is desired. An invitation is extended to all interested. Please so arrange as to be on time and place of meeting.

MARY A. FREEZE,
Stake President.

Making Athletes Out of Them.

Prof. Christel, of the Salt Lake Athletic club, is fast demonstrating his ability to evolve athletes out of the ordinary work a day young men of the community. The exercises through which they are put by the accomplished professor, while a little severe and exacting, are never in violation of hygienic laws, and after a brief course of training are so much enjoyed by the participants by the specialist. A second exhibition is now proposed for the near future and preliminaries on the [illegible] will be anxiously awaited by the men for which arrangements are now in progress.

Across the seas and around the world we the praise of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Highest comparison "the most perfect made."

Weather Bureau Data.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 26, 1895.

The office of the weather bureau directs the publication of the following data, compiled from the record of observations for the month of March, taken at this station for a period of twenty-one years.

It is believed that the facts thus set forth will prove of interest to the public, as well as the special student, showing as they do the average and extreme conditions of the more important meteorological elements and the range within which such variations may be expected to keep coming and corresponding month.

TEMPERATURE.—Mean and normal temperature, 41 degrees. The warmest March was that of 1879, with an average of 49 degrees. The coldest March was that of 1880, with an average of [illegible] degrees. The highest temperature during any March was 77 degrees on March [illegible], 1879. The lowest temperature during any March was zero, on March 1, 1880. Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred (in autumn). Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred (in spring), April 1st.

Precipitation (rain and melted snow) —Average for the month, 2.01 inches. Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 10. The greatest monthly precipitation was [illegible] inches in [illegible]. The least monthly precipitation was .[illegible] inches in 1887. The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.17 inches on March [illegible], 1874. The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-5 only) was [illegible] inches on March [illegible], 1884.

Clouds and Weather.—Average number of cloudless days, 11. Average number of partly cloudy days, 11. Average number of cloudy days, 9.

Wind.—The prevailing winds have been from the northwest. The highest velocity of the wind during any March was [illegible] miles on March [illegible], 1877.

J. H. SMITH,
Observer, Weather Bureau.

THE CITY'S POPULATION.

According to the Salt Lake County Board of Statistics It Is 47,[illegible].

The Salt Lake county bureau of statistics under the direction of Colonel George E. [illegible] has just finished the census enumeration of this city, showing the total population to be several thousand less than was generally supposed.

Still there has been an increase of [illegible] or about [illegible] per cent as compared with the Federal census of 1890. The work just completed has been done on a basis of border, plats, wards and precincts and the statisticians declare that it is as nearly correct as human calculation and effort can make it. The returns of the census in 1890 and 1895 are herewith given for comparison purposes:

[illegible]

There is some interesting incidental data in connection with or in addition to the figures given above. For instance, it is shown that there are [illegible] in the city to the number of [illegible], that there are 7,[illegible] young persons who have attained Utah majority who are unmarried; that 8,[illegible] are males and 8,[illegible] females; that there are 21,[illegible] children or persons under 21 years of age, that of these there are [illegible] males and 11,[illegible] females; that [illegible] are native born and [illegible] foreign. The negro population is but [illegible] and the Mongolian [illegible], an immense falling off in these races during the last four years.

Alum and ammonia baking powders should be shunned. They are poisonous. Dr. Price's only is perfectly pure.

Suggestions on Fruit Growing.

SALT LAKE CITY,
Feb. 22, 1895.

Editor Deseret News:

I would like to make a few suggestions in your valuable columns, if it would not be trespassing too much, on the cultivation of fruit trees, as there seems to be a growing interest throughout our fair Territory on the treatment of various fruit trees. It is true that Utah is blessed with a good climate, healthful, and an abundance of pure water for irrigating, the best of sandy soil, and everything that is adapted for fruit growing. But I am sorry to say there [illegible]

[illegible]

experiences how to distinguish and cultivate. Now what I wish to find fault with [illegible] the trouble is with most of our fruit trees, they have been allowed to grow, never being pruned, and the suckers have been allowed to grow [illegible] against so that the fruit has no chance to grow and [illegible] the sun makes cannot [illegible]. The trees have not been allowed to grow, so that some of them are half dead and full of canker, and the insects of all kinds get under the old bark and deposit their eggs; there [illegible] the sprays cannot reach them, as they are protected by the bark. In such cases you will find the only remedy is to remove your old trees and burn them up. Until you do that you never will get rid of your insects, and replace the old trees by planting young ones, and when you do plant young trees, do it in a systematic way; don't crowd them too close together, plant them so the sun and air can get amongst them. As the spring is advancing rapidly, I would advise my friends to look at their fruit trees by pruning them right away before the sap commences to circulate through them. Pruning is often done after the sap begins to circulate, which is injurious to the tree and the fruit. Also the removing of young trees should be done as early as convenient and with care. I often notice young trees being removed just as they are budding out in leaf. This injures the young tree by checking its growth for that season. In my experience care should be exercised in selecting the soil that is best adapted for the tree, and also care should be taken in laying out the young shrubs; note to see that the soil is thoroughly worked amongst the roots and made solid. Some people have a habit of throwing water on the soil at the same time and also at times a puddle of it. A practical gardener will not do that, as the simple reason that the soil lays cold and chills the young fibers and checks the growth of the tree, and in some instances the tree even dies.

Now friends, fruit raising is quite an industry, and there should be more interest taken in it than there is, as there is wealth in it if it is properly looked after, besides finding something for the young and rising men of Utah to do. Let us raise fruit that we're not too ashamed to ship to any market East or West. We have everything in our favor—the climate, the soil, the water, the intelligence, backbone and stock.

Yours respectfully,
WM. J. YARD.

PITY THE POOR INDIANS.

Probability of David Day Being Appointed a Special Commissioner.

The signature of President Cleveland, says Sunday's Denver *News*, to the Ute removal bill makes it possible for the eastern portion to be thrown open early next fall. The bill requires that a period of six months must elapse after the individual members of the tribe have given their consent, before the land can be thrown open to settlement. The matter is now in the hands of the secretary of the interior. Indian Agent Dave Day is in the city, but has received no notice as to the course that will be pursued. It is expected that the secretary will name a special commission to visit the reservation and take the vote of the Indians. Possibly Agent Day may be named for the work. The area to be thrown open is 1,[illegible] miles in area.

Carrigan's Funeral.

The funeral of James Carrigan, who committed suicide on Saturday night last, was announced to take place from [illegible]'s undertaking parlors at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Interment is to at Mt. Olivet.

All other baking powders are [illegible] Dr. Price's are in some way adulterated. It is perfectly pure.

A DUTY NEGLECTED.

Probate Judges and County Courts, Here's Business for You.

Our last Legislature passed an act entitled "Fruit Trees and Fruit" delegating certain powers to and making certain things incumbent upon, the probate judges and county courts of all counties where fruit trees are grown.

The first thing under this act, I desire to call attention to, is the annual proclamation of the probate judge, provided for in section [illegible]. This proclamation should have been issued, not later than February 1st, and to date there has been none issued that the writer is aware of. This may have been an oversight, it may be carelessness or possibly ignorance of law on this point, or it may be due to indifference, any or all of which is a flagrant neglect of duty. By virtue of my office as [illegible] in behalf of the fruit [illegible], I desire to ask of each probate judge, falling within the scope of this law, to issue such proclamation at the earliest possible moment. It may not interest you directly, but it does your neighbors and the public at large.

Second—I desire to direct the attention of the county courts to section [illegible] of the act. You are to appoint one or more inspectors—that is, this section does not provide that you may appoint one inspector, but [illegible] one or more inspectors. If up to [illegible] any court has failed to comply, [illegible] should act past [illegible] [illegible]. No county having fruit [illegible] neglect the [illegible] the prior section, and [illegible] should be in the field all the [illegible]. I am pained to learn, both from personal experience and [illegible] information, that some of our [illegible] to have [illegible] regarded this [illegible] importance as given it much thought as to cause them to even neglect [illegible] with the law on the point. Some have regarded it as a political work, therefore will not need a winter inspector as a seat on the governing [illegible] with the single weapon, Paris green or London purple, [illegible] the most efficient work, that of winter and the preventative. Their range of vision has not gone beyond the old appliance, while the law says, our law contemplates all kinds of pests and all kinds of remedies. It goes into the warehouses of importers, on to the stands of the retail dealer, it contemplates a rigid inspection of all importations of fruit and nursery stock, pruning, winter washing, cleaning and cleansing orchards and fruit bases. Hence, may I not be allowed to ask any who have not, to spend a few moments in studying, at least reading this statute over. It is a short one, only two pages—it is not a weak one as well as important but it means something and if enforced by the county courts it will result in great good. Should this article reach a county that is without an inspector, let that county see to it at once that a competent man is appointed and put to work.

I appeal to the county courts as intelligent and honest men, men of concern, who are and of right ought to be the guardians of our public and private interests, men in whose hands lies the future destiny of our horticultural interests, so long as the law stands on our statutes as it now is, to give the fruit growers of Utah such attention and careful consideration as the importance of their industry demands and deserves. This industry should not be made to suffer from neglect at your hands, it should not be made the scapegoat for paying political debts, nor the positions attaching thereto, the dumping ground for political debris and ward heelers not capable of or otherwise unfit to occupy other positions of trust and responsibility.

Now one word to inspectors. If you are chief on information (and we all are), study up, put yourselves in touch with other and stronger men, men of long experience and acknowledged ability, provide yourself with book, pamphlet and paper on your work; study the character and nature of the people in your district, and get them to work with you and don't antagonize—it is important to harmonize and keep peace in the family. You have the law, acquaint yourselves with your duties as thoroughly as possible, and then perform them to the letter, though the heavens fall. You will meet some, perhaps, who will revile you, some who will avoid you, some who will probably lead you away from goods that should be inspected and condemned; your duty is to the county and state, not to any one man or set of men. It is not the history of men, that he who awaits an unpleasant duty profits most thereby, or gains for himself the respect of many; but rather he who sees a duty and performs it to the best of his ability.

PHILIP A. DIX,
President State Board of Horticulture.

Salt Lake Stake Conference.

The semi-annual conference of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion will meet in the Assembly Hall on Saturday, March 2nd, and in the Tabernacle on Sunday, March 3rd, 1895.

Meetings will commence on Saturday at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Sunday at 10 a. m., 2 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. A general attendance of all the officers and members is requested.

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LITERARY NOTE.

The Forum for March, which by the way begins volume 19, will contain six articles particularly timely—"The Business World vs. Politicians," by the Hon. J. H. Eckles, comptroller of the currency; "Our Blundering Foreign Policy," by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge; "The Constitutionality and Justice of the Income-Tax," by Professor E. R. A. Seligman, of Columbia College; and "The Antitoxine Treatment of Diphtheria," by Dr. L. Emmett Holt, one of the best living authorities on children's diseases.

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