

The watchfulness of Warden Pratt and Deputy Warden Ure of the state prison nipped in the bud, yesterday, carefully laid plans of three desperate convicts to kill one or more guards and effect their escape while en route to the court house on the 23rd of this month. That is the

date on which Richard Deming is to tried for destruction of public property and attempting to escape from the county jail; and Joe Sullivan and Abe Majors, witnesses for

Who Had Knife.

Ure to Shoot Convict.

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PRISON BREAK

van and Abe Majors, witnesses for the defense, were to be with him. Warden Pratt was given a tip last Tuesday that Deming had a knife, and later he learned that the three des-peradoes had put up the scheme to kill their guard and escape when be-ing taken to court. Deming, as the accused has the right to summon wit-nesses, and he had a letter, found by the warden, to his attorney, notifying him to call Sullivan and Majors, friendly convicts, as witnesses for the defense. The men were to provide themselves with knives, and at a favorable moment, while on the road, were to suddenly spring on the guards, kill them and get away Deming had boasted he would never come back alive, after once leaving the prison for the courthouse. Had the prison for the courthouse. Had the man kept his mouth shut, and kept his own counsel, the plan might have, at least been partially carried out. But, as is usual among evil doers, the ten-dency to boast of what they propose doing and their vanity in fancied self security, defeated his intentions; so the warden soon found out what was in prospect.

SCENE AT SERVICE. At 10:15 a. m., yesterday, the ward-en was quictly informed that Deming had a knife on him, and the official decided it was high time to act. Dem-ing was out in the corridors of the south cell house, mingling with other prisoners, and Guards Cleveland and Taggart were directed to take their billies and go in there, as though they had no particular errand, and seize binds and go in there, as though they had no particular errand, and selze Deming as soon as they got along side of him. This they did, marching the desperado toward his cell to search him. At that moment, Deming reach-ed inside his shirt for the knife which he pulled out, but in the scuffle it dropped to the floor, where Cleveland quickly nicked it up. Deming broke quickly picked it up. Deming broke away, and before the two guards could get hold of him again, a cordon of convicts had surrounded the desperado convicts had surrounded the desperado to shield him from the officers. Help was summoned by 'phone from the of-fice, by a trusty on call from the guards, and immediately three bells were rung on the yard gong. The en-tire prison obeyed the order promptly, except Deming. The State Prison Soci-ety of Christian Endeavor was holding its regular Sunday morning meeting at its regular Sunday morning meeting at the time, in the prison chapel, with five Endeavorers from town and some 75 prisoners; and Miss Fanny Thome of the Third Presbyterian church, and of the Third Presbyterian church, and a high school teacher, was in the midst of an address, when the yard bell clanged out its warning. Instantly Guard Dyer, who was in charge in the chapel, rang three bells from the cha-pel gong, and the entire audience of convlcts left in a body for their re-spective cell houses. There was nothing left for the visitors but to with-draw, which they did, and the regular services for the entire day were declared off. ALARM SOUNDED. Warden Pratt sent all the available guards immediately inside armed, and rang the alarm call in the neighboring rang the alarm call in the neighboring cottagse where the guards live. This brought out the entire force, men who were asleep and all. The sheriff of Millard county was present, he having brought up a prisoner, and was anxiaus to take a hand in the game, but his services were not needed. Warden Pratt hurried in with the guards, with Deputy Warden Ure, who came off the wall, to find Deming had taken refuge at the head of a corridor stairs. He and the two guards had fought their way to that location from Deming's cell, where Deming dropped over the railing as guards had lought their way to that location from Deming's cell, where Deming dropped over the railing as Guard Taggart struck him on the head, and he dropped to the floor below with a bad scalp wound. The two guards ran down after him, and if was here that the other convicts gathered around to protect the des-perado. But with the ringing of the gong, the prison population disap-peared in their cells, leaving Deming raging around like a madman. As Wardens Pratt and Ure appeared, Deming ran up to the head of the second tier stairs, with blood stream-ing down from his head. The warden called for Deming to come down or he would be shot. But to this, the convict replied only with blasphemy. Warden Pratt then told his deputy to shoot, but at that instant Guard Cleveland, an old sol-dier from the regular army, had got dier from the regular army, had got behind Deming, and gave him a terri-ble blow on the head from his blackble blow on the head from his black-jack. The man came tumbling down the stairs all in a heap, so the deputy did not fire. However, had the guard delayed his action a few seconds long-er, Deming would have been shot dead. Deming recovered his wits in an in-stant, and was in for further fighting.



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ALL DRUG STORES AND GROCERS.

and came very near it, before guards rescued Prussing, and the two desper-adoes were locked up. It is only the first of the month since they were released from confinement and put to work again with the other prisoners. For a time Deming put on his best airs, but it was only to look for op-portunities for further deviltry. War-den Pratt is making further examina-tion of the prisoners to ascertain if there is any further movement to make trouble. As soon as the new cell house is completed, the desper-ate convicts will be turned into the specially fortified corridors there, and then no more trouble is apprehend-ed. There are now 272 prisoners with only 238 cells, so constant watchful-ness is necessary to prevent hatching up of plots.

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As Case Against Him is Set For Hearing.

Has City Councilman L. D. Martin nade an apology to Charles Crane for using profane, abusive and threatening language toward Mr. Crane on the evening of the day the bond issue was decided by election?

decided by election? The question was frequently asked in Judge Diehl's court this morning. The statement had been given out that Joe Lippman had acted as peace maker and that Martin, the well known "American" statesman, had written a letter of apology to Mr. Crane. It was and is alleged that Martin met Crane on Main street and because the latter had opposed the bond issue, proceeded to profanely abuse Crane and threaten to "knock the latter's block off." According to the allega-tion, the language used by Martin was really torrid. Martin was arrested, and Atty. Lipp-

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Martin was arrested, and Atty, Lipp-man appeared to defend him. The case was continued from time to time, and then word was given out that Martin had, or was about to, apologiza to Mr. Crane, and the case dismissed. Martin was at police headquarters this morning and had a talk with Assistant Civy Atty, Rogers. Apparently, he City Atty. Rogers. Apparently he has not apologized, for he asked that the case be set for trial on Wednesday the 16tb

has to say: "I am asked to contribute a short ar-ticle on the widely known and much-maligned State of Utah. I am sure that if people who read the sensational trash generally written by \$10-a-week report-ers and spread broadcast in periodicals could come out to Utah and see our splendid resources and opportunities, and the loyal, thrifty, moral, industri-ous class of people living here, it would open their eyes. "It was for a long time the general custom for tourists to stop over in Salt Lake City for a day and visit points of interest in a carriage, getting a vast amount of misinformation from guides who vied with each other in telling the most extravagant stories about the Mormons. Then these 'traveled' tour-ists would write back to their home papers, detailing the horrible stories they had heard, all of which had been accepted as gospel truth. There may be some of that kind of thing going on now. But when people really seek-ing information--willing to spend time in investigating--visit Utah and see our great temples, churches, universi-ties, lodge and association buildings, public schools and comfortable and re-fined homes, they at once conclude that the adverse reports spread concernfined homes, they at once conclude that

fined homes, they at once conclude that the adverse reports spread concern-ing Utah people cannot be true. "Utah today is like a vast garden. In all parts of the state, on irrigated and dry land, the crops are good and give promise of a splendid harvest. The farmers are prosperous, and that is the kind of prosperity that's conta-gious. It spreads to all classes. Our mines of gold, silver, lead, copper, etc., are employing, in spite of the recent panic, almost as many men as before the panic commenced, and many new the panic commenced, and many new mines are being opened. Our coal mines are being worked on a larger scale than for some time past. With the operation of mills, smelters, sugar factories and other enterprises, an ex-

the operation of minis, subjects, sugar factories and other enterprises, an ex-cellent market is made for labor and for the farmers' products. "We invite good people to come and make their homes with us. No mat-ter how good they are, they will find neighbors here as good as themselves. They may justly be warned against listening too much to a few disgruntled people here who have nothing but evil to say of a portion of the community. It is a disease with them, and in the near future it may be quarantined for the protection of the new arrival, who is likely otherwise to be inoculated with the same germ of slander and bigotry. But from the loyal, truthful, honest people of the state, and this in-cludes nearly all, newcomers need fear nothing. They will receive correcous

othing. They will receive courteous treatment, heartfelt help, and full and correct information from these."

INSANE MAN ARRESTED.

Crazy Foreigner Taken Into Custody And Landed in Padded Cell.

Yesterday afternoon word was received at police headquarters to the effect that an insane and violent foreigner was creating terror among a gang of workmen employed on the O. S. L. tracks near the Warm Springs, and that the man had terrorized the entire neighborhood. Children ran screaming to their frightened mothers, and brave

DENVER SINGERS COMING.

Manager J. H. K. Martin Here Arranging for Hotel Quarters.

Manager J. H. K. Martin of the Denver competition chorus has been in this city arranging for quarters for his sing-ers during the Elsteddrod. He says Len-ver will have 500 people in Salt Late during the contest. A telegram from Postmaster Thomas at Los Angeles states that two singing organizations may be expected from that city. Among the singers of international reputation to appear during the great musical event, will be David Evans, the noted barltone, whose successful career has already been noted by the Deseret News. The festivities will begin Thursday. Oct. 1, with a band concert in which the visiting band organizations will take part in a street parade. The number of entries exceed anticipations. er competition chorus has been in this



Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Pamelia A. Hardy Edmonds were held Saturday at the Third ward meetinghouse, commencing at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends, and the floral offerings were many and beautiful. The speakers of the occasion were L. J. Haddock, D. F. Collett and Col. M. M. Kaighn, John Y. Smith and Elder Gardiner offered the opening and closing prayers. Music was furnished by the ward choir, and by Mrs. Pearl Smith, Miss Rasband and Miss Smith, who rendered the solos. "The Beabutiful City." "O My Father." and "Face to Face." respectively. Inter-ment was in city cemetery. inghouse, commencing at 2 o'clock. There ows:

AMUSEMENTS.

Theater—The advance sale for the big Fall Carnival opens at the box office tomorrow morning; seats may be reserved for any of the four performances this week.

Opera in Provo-The Salt Lake Opera company went to Provo on a special train this morning. Two perspecial train this morning. Two per-formances of "The Girl and the Gov-ernor," will be given this afternoon and evening. Provo being Miss Hazel Taylor's home city, a big reception is looked for. The final presentations occur in Logan tomorrow night and in Ogden Wednesday afternoon and even-ing.

Orplicum—A strong bill is an-nounced for this week and a big turn-out is looked for tonight.

Grand-The new stock company will be seen tonight in a revival of "Camille," with Miss Keating in the

Lyric-The Cameraphone is intro-ducing a complete change of subjects this week. Manager Clark anticipates

complaint has been made about closed boxes in restaurants, not all of them, of couse, where young girls are lured by men, filled with liquor, and then started on the downward path. About four months ago Chief of Po-lice Pitt sent a communication to the city council with reference to the booths in saloons. He gave orders to saloon-keepers to keep their booths open 30 that officers could see who were inside. He also sent a communication to the council asking that an ordinance be passed either abolishing the boxes or providing that the doors be removed from the same. No action has been tak-en in this matter by the council but Crief Pitt hopes to have the ordinance drafted and passed. In speaking of the movement, Chief Pitt said this morning: "We are not having any particular trouble with the saloons as in most ev-ery places where there are wine rooms, so-called, the doors have been removed. In the other cases, if women are per-mitted in them during hours prohibited by law, we can drag them out, but with the restaurants it is different for the reason that there is no ordinance covering them. The evil may be just as grat, however, and I have asked the council to pass an ordinance regulating this matter. If its done then the de-pariment will be in a better position to handle this feature, but as its us to the veature and o but little."

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CARPENTERS' CONVENTION.

Program for Eleven Days' Session to Be Held Commencing Sept. 22.

A program for the convention of the National Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, has been issued by the joint committee of carpenters and the Commercial club, which is to handle the manner of entertainment.

The program as arranged is as fol-

lows: Sept. 21.—Parade forms at 9:30 a. m. at Cullen hotel. Opening ceremonies at Armory hall at 10:30 a. m. Session called to order by George E. Gray, president of the local district council. Addresses of welcome by Gov, John C. Cutler, Mayor John S. Bransford and W. J. Hal-loran, president of the Commercial club. Responses by W. D. Huber, general president, and Frank Duffy, general sec-retary.

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Alternoon Session-Report of commit-tee on credentials and appointment of committee on rules and regulations. Sept. 22.-Business sessions. Sept. 23.-Business sessions and smok-er in the evening at Armory hall. Sept. 24 and 25-Business sessions, with concert at the tabernacle Friday afternoon.

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