

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

Issued Mondays and Thursdays and Contains All the Cream of the Daily and Saturday News.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Dance at Fort Douglas—The enlisted men at Fort Douglas will have a dance tomorrow evening, in the post hall.

Commercial Club Election—The board of governors of the Commercial club will elect officers this afternoon, at the club.

Goes to California—Dr. H. H. Hicks of the local bureau of animal industry left today, on a trip of sheep inspection through California.

Schools Close—No Coal—Owing to a shortage in coal, the Layton schools have been closed. However, no actual suffering is reported as sufficient coal can be obtained to keep families warm.

New Boys' Club—A boys' club will be organized this week at the First Congregational church, to be known as the First Congregational Boys' club. The physical work will be done in the Y. M. C. A.

Committed to Prove—John Bogden was examined as to his mental condition yesterday afternoon before Judge Armstrong by County Physician Whitney and was ordered committed to the state mental hospital at Provo.

Accused of Neglect—Deputy Sheriff Ike Emery and Harold Slater yesterday afternoon arrested Wallace Halliday upon the charge of failing to support his children. The man's wife, who was with him, was released.

New Stamp Books—The postoffice department is to issue in March, one cent stamp books, like the two-cent stamp books in use. The new book will contain 24 1-cent stamps and cost 25 cents.

Civil Service Exam—There will be a civil service examination in this city, March 6 next, for the position of clerk and French translator in the bureau of plant industry, department of agriculture, at \$1,500 per annum.

Ahead Somewhat—Manager Harris of the Commercial club finds, in casting up accounts that the finances of the management of the Commercial club convention are ahead, rather than behind, so that there is a little something left.

Dinner at Commercial Club—A Jamestown dinner will be given this evening, at the Commercial club by the men of St. Paul's parish. Toasts will be responded to by Bishop Spalding, Father Harty, Prof. G. M. Marshall and others.

High School Cars—Cars coming from the Rio Grande depot are being via the high school cars, moving at the hours of 8:00 and 8:45 o'clock every morning. As this is a six minute service students will find it convenient in getting to their classes in plenty of time.

Last Tenant Moves Out—The drug firm of Duell & Brown has moved its stock and fixtures from the old Burlington block, so that the remainder of the structure is now being demolished preparatory to excavating for the new Railroad Exchange building.

Gene Traubner Reform—Eugene Traubner, for many years a local newspaper man, is now a broker in Goldfield, in company with Charles Wilkes, where he is reported as doing very well. He lives in the most pretentious mansion in the camp, which isn't saying very much.

New Messenger Service—The Postal Telegraph company management in this city has organized a local delivery service, and in a week will have 400 boxes installed. The conduits of the Bell Telephone company are being used through the business district.

Webb, Not Guilty—The jury in the case of Salt Lake City against R. S. Webb, which was tried in Judge Armstrong's court, has returned a verdict of not guilty. Webb was charged with having committed the person of A. Fred Wey, proprietor of the Wilson hotel.

Looted a Coat at Fire—Some unknown miscreant took advantage of the confusion reigning at Saturday afternoon's fire in the Templeton block and carried off a coat that was hanging on a coat rack. The coat belonged to Mrs. Effie Dean Knapp, whose musical studio is on the sixth floor.

W. T. Nolan Wanted—Information as to the whereabouts of William T. Nolan, who disappeared from his home in Fremont, Neb., last April, is wanted by Walter Winterstein, of the city. Sheriff Emery received a letter of inquiry from Winterstein yesterday and it stated that Nolan left home because of some financial troubles.

Struck the Cold Wave—General Agent Seal of the International Harvester company has returned from a business trip to Chicago, and reports that the cold wave is making its way north. Mr. Seal reports encountering a temperature of 30 degrees below zero in Minnesota, which made him late to get back to a less rigorous climate.

Street Car Service Changes—There are no more Brown cars running, as all on that line run straight through to the State Prison. The East Second and South street cars stop at Main street now, leaving the horsehoe line service between the Short Line and Rio Grande depots to furnish the service on west Second South street.

New Daughter Arrives—Albert C. Matheson, the genial private secretary to State Supt. of Schools A. C. Nelson, was brimming over with geniality yesterday, on account of the arrival of a new daughter at his home. The mother and child are doing very well and the father is receiving congratulations from every one around the City and County building.

For a Marble Stairway—The Salt Lake Security and Trust company has in transit to this city, three cars of Italian and Egyptian marble, valued at \$20,000, for use in the construction of a grand stairway from the main lobby of the company's office to the deposit vaults in the basement. The stairway ornamentation will be of the scroll work pattern and very elaborate and costly.

Utah Boy Ranks High—Mrs. Mary Benjamin, formerly of the L. D. Mervin school of Utah, is making a wonderful record for herself in the naval academy at Washington. He is a midshipman and entered the academy last June. Since that time he has not received a single demerit and is the only one in a class of 215 who can point to such a record. He is high in all studies, being especially strong

In English, law and languages. Benjamin is the appointee of Representative Howell.

Freshman's Hop—The annual high school freshman hop will be held next Friday evening. The decorations will be under the patronage of the Y. M. C. A. Kingsbury, Dean and Mrs. Byron Cummings, Prof. and Mrs. D. Allen, Dean and Mrs. W. Chamberlain, Dr. and Mrs. William Chamberlain, and Mrs. J. H. Merrill and Coach and Mrs. J. H. Maddock.

Lecture at Y. M. C. A.—J. R. Thompson of New York will lecture tomorrow evening, in the Y. M. C. A. on an extended trip he recently made through the American tropics. He tells an interesting story of the establishment of the Y. M. C. A. at Isthmus of Panama. It was the outcome of a meeting between Secy. Taft, Minister Barrett and Chief Engineer Wallace at Panama, where they decided that the work of the association was a prime necessity in the canal settlement. The result was the creation of a suitable building as association headquarters, and the work since accomplished has justified amply the inauguration of the association work there.

Shanna Cumming Ill—Mrs. W. A. Wetzel is in receipt of the sad news of the serious illness of her daughter, Shanna Cumming, the noted oratorio singer, from inflammation of the brain. At the same time, word came that the young woman, who was in Brooklyn had just been burned, but the patient had been removed safely. The singer's illness is due to the effects of her transcontinental trip which practically wore her out, so that she was forced to give up eastern oratorio engagements and take to her bed. Shortly after the receipt of this intelligence, the fire broke out in the Temple, and for a time, the apartments of Prof. and Mrs. Wetzel were in danger of being destroyed. Fortunately they escaped any damage whatever.

Zion's Saving Bank & Trust Co. Pays 4 per cent on deposits, safety deposit boxes for rent. JOSEPH F. SMITH, Pres. O. C. BEEBE, Cashier.

None Should Suffer Withd, and Meheys has just what you need in fur, at your own price. Meheys the Furrier, Knutsford.

A Sale That Ought to Interest All Who need furs; now at his height at Meheys's, Knutsford.

DEATH WAS SUDDEN.

James Fowler of Forest Dale Stricken With Heart Disease.

James Fowler of Forest Dale, died very unexpectedly at his residence, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Although he had been ailing for some time as a result of dropsical trouble, his immediate demise was not looked for. An affection of the heart, however, brought a sudden end to his suffering. The cause of his death was a heart attack, which occurred while he was in the room to inquire how he enjoyed his breakfast she found that he was dead.

The deceased was born in Kirkhampton, Yorkshire, Eng., June 6, 1841. He joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at Newcastle in 1865, and came to Utah in 1872. For a few years he made Ogden his home but afterwards came to Salt Lake City where he worked for the late "Fulton Bros." firm for 20 years. For a short time he engaged in business for himself, being a stone cutter and marble carver by trade. About 10 years ago he entered the service of the Elias Morris & Sons Co., in whose employ he continued until the time of his demise. He was a very efficient and trustworthy employe as well as a man of thrifty habits. He leaves, to mourn his death, in addition to many friends, five children, Richard and James, and three daughters, Mrs. Annie Heller, Nellie and Ruby. The latter is residing in Ogden. He has a brother John who is also a resident of Ogden, and another brother in England. In September, 1901, he was later he married Mrs. Sarah Dansey.

The date of funeral has not been fixed owing to the fact that his son Richard, who has been in the city, and the date of his arrival is not yet known. His son James, whose home is in Alberta, Canada, is spending winter in this city and will, accordingly, be here to attend the obsequies.

FROM THE ANTILLES.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Benefits a City Councilman at Kingston, Jamaica.

Mr. W. O. Edwards, who is a member of the city council at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies, writes as follows: "One bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had good effect on a cough that was giving me trouble and I think I should have been more quickly relieved if I had continued the use of it. It was beneficial and quick in relieving me there is no doubt and it is my intention to obtain another bottle." For sale by all druggists.

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SIX DOLLARS A DAY.

Bricklayers' Protective Association Notifies Contractors to That Effect.

On and after March 1, 1907, your brick house will cost you \$1 more per day of eight hours for each bricklayer engaged. Such is the decree of Bricklayers' Protective association No. 1, of Utah. The scale has heretofore been \$5 per day of eight hours for a brick mason, but on account of the unprecedented demand for bricklayers in this city and the prospect that building operations will be very large, the Bricklayers' association deems it fitting to limit to not more than six dollars a day the rate for bricklayers and builders of the proposed scale, that they may have time to adjust conditions to the new demand.

The circular notifying the contractors of the adoption of the new scale is as follows: "You are hereby notified that on and after March 1, 1907, the scale of wages for bricklayers will be \$6 dollars per day of eight (8) hours. Respectfully submitted, the Bricklayers' Protective Association No. 1 of Utah, JOHN CAMERON, President.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

A SAFE MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.

In buying a cough medicine for children, avoid the artificial and stimulating Cough Remedies. There is no danger from it, and relief is always sure to follow. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a safe, reliable and effective remedy for all coughs, croup and whooping cough, and there is no better medicine in the world for these diseases. It is not only a safe and reliable remedy, but when given as soon as the cough appears, will prevent the development of a serious illness. It contains no opium or other harmful drugs, and may be given to a child as young as a baby, or to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

WILL PROTECT SAN JUAN RELICS

Representative Hott to Introduce Measure to That End in Utah Legislature.

TELLS OF COUNTY'S WONDERS

Something of the Wild and Picturesque Country Where the Cliff-Dwellers Lived.

The recommendation of Gov. Cutler in his recent message to the legislature that a movement be inaugurated for the preservation of the prehistoric ruins existing within the state has stimulated interest in these wonderful relics of past ages, and archaeologists and others interested are beginning to take steps looking toward the culmination of this object.

THOUSANDS OF THEM.

Among those vitally interested in this movement, and it may be said at its head and front, stands Representative Robert E. Hott of San Juan county, who is in the legislature for the people of the Twenty-seventh district. Mr. Hott talked very entertainingly to a "News" reporter on the subject of these prehistoric ruins this morning, describing some of those in San Juan county as being most remarkable and mysterious. "There are thousands of them," said Representative Hott, referring to the cliff dwellings erected by the inhabitants of long gone ages. "There are thousands of them in San Juan county alone, and they extend easterly into Colorado and southeasterly into New Mexico. The cliff dwellings consist usually of walls erected upon the very summit of a perpendicular mountain wall, of which we have many in our country. The most inaccessible places seem to have been the favorite building spots with these prehistoric people, and how they scaled these cliffs to get into their dwellings is a mystery to modern mountain climbers. Although there are different views on the subject, my own view inclines to the idea that the cliff-dwellings were merely places of refuge, or storehouses, erected for this purpose and used to cache valuables during the absence of the owners on warlike expeditions. The fact that the openings to these dwellings are in many instances only a few inches square would seem to bear out this view. The walls of the dwellings were built on the outermost rim rocks, and around the top of the cliff, making apartments perhaps eight and 10 feet square; as many as 20 different rooms have been found in one dwelling.

SOME OF THE RELICS.

"In the ruins of these structures have been found stone axes, of very crude construction, and corn cobs dried and shrunken almost into nothing. The evidence to the fact that these historic ruins proved from the fact that buried with the mummies in the valleys below, has been found a variety of Indian relics, such as arrowheads, which were found in the hands of the dead. The kernels were so dried up that they would not germinate, as has been demonstrated by repeated tests. It is thought that the cliff dwellers must have been a somewhat warlike people, and were not extensively devoted to pastoral pursuits, deriving their livelihood chiefly from the wild game which they hunted abundantly throughout that region. To attempt to speculate as to the probable date of the erection of these cliff houses would be beyond my ability for while the houses were there, no solution of the mystery of the builders has as yet been arrived at to my knowledge.

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Heroic Measures to Save Old Man From a Streetcar.

Last night just after 7 o'clock, an old man attempted to cross the track in front of an Ashton avenue car which was speeding at full tilt on the turn between State street and Second South. The car was late and the motorman turned on the limit of power in order to make up time. Just as the turn was reached, the old man was horrified to see that a man was just starting to cross the track in front of the car. He barked the gong and shouted, but appeared to be deaf, and did not heed his danger. The frightened motorman reversed his lever and threw on the brake, but he knew it was too late. The car was too fast, and the old man was struck on the jaw by the front of the car. The car was stopped by the driver, and the old man was taken to the hospital.

HALF THE WORLD WONDERS.

how the other half lives. Those who use Bucklen's Arnica Salve never wonder how the other half lives. Bucklen's Arnica Salve is a sure and certain cure for all skin eruptions; they know it well. Mrs. Grant Ship, 1130 E. Reynolds St., Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of household use. I guarantee it to C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 South Main street, Salt Lake City, 112-114 So. Main street, 25c.

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STOVE CASTINGS SOLD AND PUT IN BY A-1 WORKMEN. Western Foundry & Stove Repair Works. Both phones.

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

TUTTLE BROTHERS, INVESTMENT BANKERS, 135 Main Street.

SPECULATORS' ATTENTION!

67 ft. 104 in. front by 224 ft. deep on 4th St., between the D. O. and C. & C. Rds., all the County and City offices and the Federal Courts. Adjoining one of the properties recently purchased by Samuel Newhouse and directly opposite the site on which he will erect the great skyscraper. There are two houses on the property that will rent for enough to carry it. Adjoining property held at \$500 per foot front-foot-for cash and quick sale we can deliver perfect title for \$500 per foot front-foot-for cash. Salt Lake 20,000. CHANCE TO GET IN ON THIS MOVEMENT ON THE "GROUND FLOOR." Now get in this time right. Can't you see it coming?

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80 ft. front on State St., 30 ft. front on E. 6th St., forming an "L" around the drug store on S.W. Cor. State and 6th St. We can sell for \$100,000 today. This property is admirably located, and is certainly very cheap, considering the great business it will do. We are now making a great effort to sell this property. We are now making a great effort to sell this property. We are now making a great effort to sell this property.

COUNTY ASSESSOR WAYLAD.

J. W. Coulter, of Leslie, S. D., Assessor of Stanley County, relates the following: "I was waylaid by a complication of throat and lung troubles, bronchitis, asthma and a terrible cold, which kept me for years, when I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. Relief came almost immediately, and in a short time a permanent cure was effected. I would now compare with it as a sure and quick cure for coughs and colds. It cures after all other remedies have failed. Every bottle guaranteed at C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 South Main street, Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Mormon gold coins. Good prices paid. Edmund Book Company, 272 State Street, City.

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GREAT WESTERN IRON & METAL CO. dealers in scrap iron, metals, rubbers, bottles, etc. Carload lots, especially 200 and 250 South First West St. Phone 1st. 1821; Bell 2435-k.

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DIVIDEND NOTICES.

THE IDAHO SUGAR CO.—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of The Idaho Sugar Company has this day declared a dividend of 1 1/2 per cent on the capital stock of the company, payable at the office of the company, Deseret News Annex, Salt Lake City, Utah, on March 29th, 1907, to the stockholders of record as of March 20th, 1907. Stock transfer books of the company will be closed on March 20th, 1907, at 10 a. m. H. G. WHITNEY, Secy. Salt Lake City, Jan. 16, 1907.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.