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SLAIN IN AFRICA.

A Troop of English Soldiers Meet With Disaster.

BATTLE WITH SLAVE TRADERS.

Inventory of the Natives.—Forced to Retreat.—A List of Killed and Wounded.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—A report was received last night that a disaster of some sort had occurred to the force of the gallant Wilgoen, on the west coast of Africa. The story was confused the morning by dispatches to the university. The dispatches came from Berlin, the capital of the British protectorate of the African coast, at Cape Gonzalo, at which point the British system on this coast, and the gallant Wilgoen, had arrived. The story is to the effect that parties of British natives were hunted from their towns near Bulbent to punish Pulbelch, a native slave trader, who had been selling slaves to Bonaparte and shortly dispersed the neighbor natives of the villages along that part of the coast. The parties went armed with muskets for four days and a plentiful supply of ammunition. A mere force was left on the shore at the landing place under the protection of the vessels' guns. The remainder of the natives began the march, joined by a difficult country, the men being swampy and covered with thick undergrowth and forest. They were accompanied by native carrying the spare ammunition, provisions and water. The march continued a long distance without any sign of the slave traders' bands. The country was apparently deserted. Then the native carriers began to meet with the extra ammunition and provisions, and the soldiers were finally gone. The going was so bad that the leading parties were finally forced back on the column, which, however, continued to advance till it came upon the village, within the British authority and explored. Those villages were surrounded by stockades and armed well as defenses, the British having brought guns at points of vantage. The force remained from the following night, but the loss of the ammunition and water made Capt. Gamble decide to command of the force, to retire to return to the shore. This movement was commenced early next morning. After proceeding a short distance, and when surrounded by rolling ground, the party was attacked from ambush, on all sides. The ambush was very severe, and the blue jackets fell on all sides. The column formed as hastily as possible, carrying the wounded as far as possible, but the whole was not reached till three officers and ten men had been killed and fifty wounded. Lieut. W. H. A. Ard of the navy, Lieut. of Marines F. W. Harvey and sub-Lieutenant T. W. Hunter are among the killed. Lieut. Hon. H. F. Boyle is dangerously wounded. Lieut. H. J. Savill, surgeon; Captain Gamble, Surgeon R. K. Hills, Midshipman Arthur Chadwick and forty other jackets are slightly wounded. Ten blue jackets were killed. The news was contained in the official dispatches of Rear Admiral Frederick C. Stanford, in command of the squadron.

The latest dispatch from Bulbent says the natives landed from the warship and reinforced the West India regiment are still mixing and there are uneasiness for their safety.

Not With an Accident.

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Feb. 24.—Walter Simpson, an employe at Stevenson Brother's logging camp, twenty miles northwest of Sheridan, met with a serious accident last Saturday. He was cutting logs when a tree fell upon him breaking his leg. Mr. Simpson was alone at the time of the accident, and he crawl was a half mile distance to the trailed that he would have to work camp or freeze to death and accordingly started to traverse the distance on his hands and knees. At one point on his journey he had to descend a twenty foot embankment, and in attempting to slide down the trunk of a tree fell and hurt him severely. Camp was reached at last, but there was no one there, and the unfortunate man was compelled to remain in the hut alone for twenty-four hours suffering great pain before he reached him.

THE SILVER CRISIS.

The Conditions of Commerce Taken Concerns for Discussion.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Dispatches from Buenos Ayres to Guatemala today, either silver exchange tomorrow will collapse. With work of them it is only a question of time. The world's commerce is tending to a crisis. Yet the news from Brazil of accumulation of gold has only begun. Speculation in England is gaining ground. It is asserted the City directors, experienced in the ways of England, is a strong advocate for an international agreement for a joint standard. Bimetallism is no longer a word or a bandwagon, it means every economist of eminence is on its side. The international conference must be reassembled. France, Germany and the United States are anxious that this be done. Surely our cousins are as great as theirs. If our pride, as the great court of the world, we could settle the punishment will fall upon the wrong shoulders. It depends upon the British cabinet whether the disastrous war is to continue or not.

Not Troublesome "Anarchists."

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Yesterday, Johann L. Mueller, the well known publisher, was brought in a writ of habeas corpus for the removal of the vermiform appendix. It is not believed he will recover. His son Henry underwent the operation last Sunday and is progressing favorably.

Presidential Duel Hung.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Judge Grosscup, who presided at the trial of Prendergast, the man who assassinated Judge Carter H. Harrison, after listening to the arguments by the counsel for the defense, yesterday refused the motion, and sentenced him to be hung on March 23.

Before sentence was pronounced, Prendergast delivered a long, rambling, talk to the court, referring to the power of money, made by the counsel, and declaring that the only point he knew was whether he had the right in killing Harrison, whether he was justified in committing the deed. This, he said, had not been touched on during the trial.

Prendergast's attorney after the sentence was pronounced, asked for thirty days to prepare an appeal to a higher court, which was granted.

A Mine on Fire.

SPECIAL TO THE NEWS.

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Feb. 24.—The Brooks, a coal mine, south of Sheridan, is on fire. At present there is no way of entering the flames and it is feared that the mine will be destroyed.

WORLD'S FAIR FIRE.

The Agricultural Building a Mass of Ruins.

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Another incendiary fire occurred at the World's Fair grounds this morning and as a result the magnificent agricultural building, the largest of all the World's Fair buildings, is a mass of ruins. The most valuable and beautiful of the World's Fair structures is practically a loss of ruins. The flames were first discovered in the gallery. A large number of the employes were at work in the basement in the rooms, and the influence needed at the alarm. It seemed the fire spread with great rapidity under the influence of a stiff breeze and it was almost all the department could do to prevent the spread of the fire to other buildings. The very exposed to doing, but the agricultural building was ruined.

The famous gilt statue of Diana by sculptor F. Gaudens, which stood on top of the dome of the building during the Fair, was, fortunately, removed some days ago and was set up in the Columbian Museum.

WAR IN HONDURAS OVER.

The Capital Surrender to the Victorious Nicaraguans.

The News Officially Communicated to the Representatives of the Various Countries.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Gorman, the Nicaraguan minister to the United States has received the following cablegram from the minister of foreign affairs of that country: "Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, capitulated last night. Publish this cablegram. Our victory puts an end to the war in Honduras." The minister added: "Honor Nicaragua claim our victories."

PEACE REFERRED.

PARIS, Feb. 24.—The foreign minister of Nicaragua has sent a cable to the Nicaraguan consul in this city saying that the allied forces have capitulated Tegucigalpa and the war is at an end.

Photos Not Much Better.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 24.—Ex-Minister Pendleton's condition is about the same as last night except that the temperature is lower. He passed a comfortable night.

Rear Admiral Stanford, it was believed the news was passed in Prof. Pierpont's case, and that he is on the road to recovery.

Snow Snow.

CLAYTON, N. Y., Feb. 24.—The severest snow storm of the year is raging in northern New Mexico. The snow is now eight inches deep.

Eight Foundries Idle.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 24.—Owing to the failure of the men to accept a reduction of wages, eight foundries will be closed tonight, locking out 1200 men.

Silver in London.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Bar silver, 37¼d.

The Combined Receivership Dissolved.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 24.—The argument of the application in the Federal circuit court for the separation of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and the St. Louis & San Francisco systems, and the appointment of separate receivers for the latter system, was resumed this morning and is still in progress. Just before the noon recess, however, Judge Caldwell in making some general remarks to counsel, intimated that it seemed that the relief they sought would be denied and the receivership would be allowed to stand as at present.

Women Out on Bail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Emma Wenno was released from custody at noon, Charles Dorr, of Malden, Ill., having deposited twenty-five new greenbacks with the clerk of the court of Kingsland, to bring the accusation against his bail. Recorder Smyth signed the bond. Dorr is the fellow who shot Mrs. Wenno, now lying in a precarious condition at his home on Staten Island.

Wenno's son was to arrive here today. He is not expected to live the day out.

SEN. HIGBLEY'S CASE.

Decision Reserved by Committee of the Treasury Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—Special Commissioner Mason of the treasury, today declined to decide a case of Senator Higbley, of Colorado, who claims that he is entitled to a salary from the date of his appointment as a member of Congress, and not from the date of his qualification. Mr. Mason said he would reserve his decision, and would send it to Higbley, the senator, E. P. Ellsworth, his secretary, Mr. M. Kee, his daughter, and her two children, Gerald Harlson will take place with Miss Mae Kee, a week or ten days before his return in April.

Washington's Birthday.

An excellent entertainment was given at Riverton, Salt Lake county, by the children of the district school on Washington's birthday, consisting of songs, recitations, speeches and dialogues. It was a credit to the children as well as to the managers, and was a place to the hall, or one now old the school house, which was crowded with both old and young. Many visitors from the adjoining towns were present. The entire program was well rendered. Everybody present was remarkably well pleased. The affair wound up with a dance in the afternoon and evening. N. J. C.

A MEDICAL BILL.

A Measure to Meet All Demands in Preparation.

DISCORD AMONG REPUBLICANS.

Decision Regarding Court Scrip Be Complied.—Republican Caucus.—Similar Business Today.

It is a fact that a bill is being drawn ready for reporting to bring introduced Monday, "to regulate the practice of medicine." The bill will embrace features that have been tended upon by the "regular" physicians, will be governed to the "irregulars," and will also include the rights and interests of the general public at large. It will provide for a board of medical examiners, of which the Governor will be chairman. Any graduate of any medical college of any school, on proof of such graduation, shall receive a license, provided he shall pass a satisfactory examination the board may refuse to issue a license if the applicant has been guilty of criminal, immoral and dishonorable conduct during three years next preceding the filing of his application. If the license be refused on such grounds, the medical board shall, within sixty days of its air refusal of the application for a license, prepare and file with the clerk of the district court in the district where the applicant resides, a written statement of the facts, or alleged facts, on which the refusal is based. Such statement shall be deemed the complaint in a civil action, the issues in which shall be determined by the court, which shall order the license issued if the facts alleged be found to be the basis of the libel. The provision is designed to meet the constitutional objection to judicial functions being exercised by the board. The bill provides that medical practitioners from other States, or, in fact, operate upon or practice for any physical ailment of another, "shall be deemed to be practicing those things free of charge. Neither does the bill apply to the use of family remedies. Non-graduates may receive a license if twenty-five legal years of the young age practice as regulating, and persons who have practiced elsewhere for five years are permitted to continue. It is thought the bill will receive proper amendments against quacks, and yet meet objections to the present law.

The affairs which Allen has taken up, the act of the House in several occasions and in respect to several different measures, particularly the revenue bill, has caused the resentment of some of the Republicans, a number of whom feel that he has purposely sought to belittle their efforts and measures from motives other than a desire to subserve the public welfare. Allen and Varian have been responsible to a greater or less extent as the leaders of the Republicans of the House, in their work of preserving harmony among their following. This morning the Republicans held a caucus on the revenue bill, but Allen was absent, being in the ways and means committee, which, in parliamentary comity, decided to be in charge of the bill, and Varian, who is usually his active, assumed themselves in the caucus. The treatment from gentlemen had received in regard to the bill, was the cause of their failure to attend the caucus. Allen has rarely charged on the floor of the House, but one object of the bill was to transfer a Republican Water county was having with some of the officials, to the Legislature, a declaration which was regarded as an affront by the Water county delegation, who have certainly labored patiently in the preparation of a revenue code designed to correct evils and relieve in the present one. A number of other Republicans stand in a similar attitude, changed by other Republicans with showing a lack of respect to other members of his party, some of whom have signified their determination to make an independent fight on the floor of the House for what they believe to be the best good of the Territory, regardless of party leadership.

Today the bankrupt court was rendered to the House on Varian's bill (H. R. 187) appropriating $10,000 for the redemption of outstanding court scrip, without regard to the date of issue.

Mr. Speaker, Your committee on ways and means having had under consideration H. R. 187, we the undersigned beg leave to submit the following minority report:

That to provide for the payment of these outstanding court certificates of issue and witnesses fees, many of which date back as far as the year 1884, and all dated between that date and 1891 and which have been passed upon and at the issues as been repeatedly to reference, and further to our knowledge and belief, a great portion of these certificates are held by brokers who have bought them at a considerable discount, we believe it would be unjust to the taxpayers of the Territory to pay the money at the present time, considering the depleted condition of its finances, and the large expenditure of money necessary to be expended for the maintenance of our public institutions, being in excess of our revenue, so that it is a fact that our expenses will soon be increased.

While we recognize the fact that all just debts should be paid, we do not propose to pay more than $10,000 for the redemption of such certificates at the present time, and under these conditions we feel adverse to the passage of the bill. Respectfully,

HARRISON.

It was understood that Dougall would sign the above. Following is the majority report:

Mr. Speaker: A majority of your committee on ways and means, having duly considered H. R. 187, entitled "An act to provide for the payment of jurors and witnesses and making appropriations therefor," respectfully report the same favorably, and recommend that it be passed upon its passage.

MORGAN,
BARDY,
DOUGALL.

Bills introduced a bill (Harrison) authorizing the Governor of the Territory to have offices for the registrar of deeds, the treasurer of counties and assessor. The Secretary shall determine what are how many offices there are needed, and shall provide rooms for such offices. The lease must not exceed beyond a term of one year after the opening of the first session of the Legislature after they are executed. The officers named are also required to furnish the Secretary with an estimate of what stationery, office furniture, etc., they will require during the year, and the office will purchase the same. The object of the bill is to place some proper expenses on the expenses of the public offices annual.

The Republicans speak a new line to caucus this afternoon. The revenue bill was considered, but some other members who were present, insisted that the questions of the case of Territorial and Territorial officers were more important. The Republicans decided to adjourn to allow what features of the bill were considered. The bill giving a bonus to sugar beet was also discussed, but it was thought it would run an amendment relating to flax, you providing for a special fee in the per cent of sugar required in order to claim the bonus, which is to be the proposal at time is to be.

COURTS.

After the close of the House yesterday C. B. 32, relating to mortgages and trust deeds, was further taken up and finally put on a vote, and passed.

C. B. 70, relating to liquor dealers, was also put on its third reading and passed.

H. B. 97, relating to towns and the incorporation of animals was passed.

H. B. 99, relating to the practice of dentistry was commitment.

C. B. 75, relating to the sale of liquor and operation, was rejected, as the matter is now fully covered by statute.

C. B. 43, relating to corporations, was rejected on the report of the committee on industry.

H. B. 121, relating to posting notices of stock killed by railroads was passed.

By unanimous consent Hall introduced H. B. 192, to amend the system of free schools, referred to committee on education.

C. B. 34 was withdrawn from the committee on medical corporations and given to the committee on highways.

HOUSE.

H. B. 111, Powers' bill relating to appeals from justices' courts, was discussed at some length, and was at length recommitted.

H. B. 119, the revenue bill, was considered during the remainder of the session. A discussion occurred in regard to the fees to be charged in cases of tax sales, but those being allowed as other important differences arose. Creating considerable of late bill the House adjourned.

TODAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL.

A claim of Dr. A. S. Condon was presented and referred to committee on claims.

Eldridge presented a petition in relation to the Industrial Home and a memorial accompanying it (U. J. M. 6.)

The committee on claims recommended that $102 be allowed Utah county for wolves, etc.

The committee on ways and means reported on the assessed values and the amount of discrepancies between the report of the board of equalization and that of the auditor, explaining the cause of the differences.

Committee on municipal corporations reported on H. B. 101, a bill to appoint a board of police in Salt Lake City, which was recommended for passage.

The following bills were introduced:

By Williams: C. B. 105. He asks that this be put on its immediate passage. This is to make the Territorial law conform to the act of Congress allowing an increase of indebtedness of Salt Lake City. On motion it was read second and third times and passed.

HOUSE.

The House met at 2 p.m. today.

The following were presented:

By Mallette: Petition of Tooele county for $1,500 for roads.

By Jones: Petition of Washington county asks for $2,000 for roads.

By Sharp: Petition of residents of Sugar House, this county, asking the repeal of the present medical law, and that no other be enacted.

By Harris: Claim of Wahsatch county for bill for wolves.

By Tobias: Claim of Wayne county for criminal prosecution, $75.

By Sheffield: Majority and minority reports of the committee on ways and means regarding H. B. 119, to revise court scrip.

By Sheffield: Adverse report on petitions for an appropriation for a road along the Sevier river.

By Velie: H. J. M. asking that the Grand County and Colorado be made the boundary between Utah and Arizona, and that part of Arizona lying north of it be annexed to Utah.

Concurrence in Council resolution providing for a commission of three from the House and two from the Council to confer with the City Council of Salt Lake City, in regard to a site for an executive mansion in the city may choose to give the Territory.

Bills passed the adoption of the resolution. We had no use for an executive mansion, he thought. Parties said the city had offered an acre of ground near the head of State street, and an executive mansion, and thought the offer should be accepted. The resolution was referred to the committee on Capitol grounds.

Johnson introduced H. R. 240, to repeal a clause of the present law relating to the betterment of waters.

Powers introduced a joint resolution tendering a site on the Capitol grounds for the monument to Brigham Young.

Consideration of H. B. 119, the general revenue bill, was resumed and was finally rejected at the hour of going to press.

SENATE.

A number of school girls were present in the Council today, interested in what our lawmakers are doing.

There were but a few committees present when the roll was called, Davis

[illegible] were required to make a quorum. Business was in a very unsettled and low business of the day was begun.

A Sample Wanted.

The Chamber of Commerce today received a communication from Mr. H. P. Van Horne, of Livingston, Montana, requesting a request for a sample of mineral wax or cerulite. Judge Colleton immediately promised to see the request by sending the sample.

IT WAS A SUPERB DISPLAY.

Statement by a Local Scientist Concerning the Electrical Phenomena of Thursday Night.

The patriotic celebrations of Washington's birthday were graced by a superb display of electrical phenomena about 8 o'clock on Thursday evening. One of the most brilliant auroras ever seen in this region was observed at the time named. In conversation with a well known local scientist, a News reporter was informed long that the display lasted a full quarter of the evening, extending from the N. to the south beyond the N. E. The display was sufficiently bright to cast a faint shadow upon the snow, and the brilliant effulgence could be traced to the number of twenty or one hundred cases like of rays extended upward in the polar sun. The aurora borealis is commonly known as the Northern Lights, but the southern antipodes sometimes displays as known as the aurora australis. The aurora is caused by the passage of electricity through the upper and more rarified regions of the atmosphere. In the polar regions these manifestations are of surpassing brilliancy, and serve to give a positive glory to the long arctic nights.

Mayor Baskin's Return.

It was rumored this morning that Mayor Baskin had returned home from Washington. Inquiry at the executive office this afternoon, however, proved the statement to be incorrect and that he was not expected for several days yet.

To Return.

Mr. Abram Young, who is now in San Francisco, will leave for home early this evening. He expected to return home but was detained a few days longer than he anticipated.

ELDER BARTON'S DEATH.

Additional Particulars Furnished the "News" by Elder Geo. A. Smith.

Elder George A. Smith, who was in charge of the body of Elder Walter H. Barton, whose death near McGrath City, Hinsdale, occurred on the 16th inst., as hereinafter chronicled in these columns, called at the News office this morning and related the circumstances of the sad event.

Elder Barton, he said, arrived at Chattanooga on the 22nd of December and was assigned to Pike county, Mississippi, with Elder J. M. Phelps, of Provo, for his mate, next two weeks immediately following he appeared to be in the best of health and numerous remarks were made concerning the robust appearance. There was one extraordinary circumstance, however, in connection with his condition and that was that he was getting in flesh at the rapid rate. His rapid increase in corpulency was the occasion of numerous good-natured remarks and jokes at his expense, and he was frequently obliged to state that unless there was a change his clothes would all be too small for him.

One day he stepped on to a pair of scales and was astonished and astounding discovery that he had not increased in weight. That disclosure was the occasion of supplemental on the part of his friends and he was asked if he was not ill and he repeatedly replied in the negative. But the swelling of his body continued and dropsical symptoms developed. Finally he complained of not feeling well and was obliged to take to his bed at the residence of John Crane, a member of the Church. There he received the proper attention, but on the 8th inst. a letter reached the Chattanooga office announcing his illness. Particulars were immediately telegraphed for and on the 13th a dispatch was received conveying the alarming information: "We fear he will not improve." Elder Smith then took the train to Mobile, thence to Hinsdale and Comb City, a distance of 400 miles, arriving at the bedside of his son Elder the day following. He thought he was improving, and was well assured by the attending physician, Dr. Gallie, that he had passed the danger line and that all that was necessary was a good and speedy recovery was careful nursing.

The following Elders contributed to the comfort of the sick missionary: Hall, Lake City, Utah, which at one month of Elder Phelps, of Idaho, Hill of Sandy, Utah; Lorenzo, Logan; Jones, Ogden, Hayes, Kanab, Utah, and Elder Smith, South Carolina, to Chattanooga, the doctor again informing him that the patient would recover unless he should become the victim of a relapse. At noon on the 15th he required a blister to the effect that Elder Barton had died that morning at eight o'clock. He immediately wired to have the body embalmed, a process that was promptly attended to by a competent undertaker, and forwarded to an air-tight casket.

The preliminary arrangements were all attended to and the body brought home in charge of Elder Smith, who says that he was shown every courtesy possible by the railway officials of the various roads over which he traveled.

More praise is said to be due to the relatives of John Crane, L. W. Woodward and Wm. Ward, all of whom showed their devotion and attention to the Elders in their sad hour of trial and bereavement.

Elder Smith will attend the funeral at Kaysville tomorrow, and in a few days will return to Chattanooga, to remove his family, where his wife awaits him.

HEARING MOTIONS.

Business in Judge Merritt's Branch of the Third District Court.

CIVIL JURY CASES GO OVER.

A Morning of Small Things in Assistant Justice Hartch's Department.—Divorce Proceedings.

Chief Justice Merritt this morning in his branch listening to the usual Saturday motions, but nothing of any special importance transpired up to the noon hour. The following orders were entered:

In the case of the Mexican International Banking company vs Henry Lindenberg, motion for a new trial was argued and an exception taken.

Hudson Smith vs Wendell Benson. Ten days to answer.

C. H. Lambrock vs J. L. Gibson, Default. Judgment as prayed. Six months stay allowed by consent.

A. C. Dale vs Dalton and Reese, Motion for reference to make an accounting of partnership property. Referred to Attorney J. H. Hord, as referee, to make and report an accounting. Motion of defendants to modify injunction denied.

People vs James Nicholson, sentenced last week to twenty years for rape. Motion for new trial set for hearing March 3rd.

Barton vs the South Jordan Canal association. Motion to have the money proceeds of sale paid over upon the judgment argued and taken under advisement.

F. Fitzsch et al. vs Mary E. Dalton et al. Motion for judgment on the pleadings continued.

Salt Lake City vs John Beck. Demurrer to complaint set for hearing on Saturday, March 3rd.

R. C. A. Kerling et al vs Frank Knoke et al. Answer and cross complaint dismissed by consent and amended answer authorized.

G. V. Le Sueur vs North American Asphalt Co. On stipulation suit dismissed.

Patrick Phelan et al vs James W. Fife. Motion for leave to amend complaint allowed, and demurrer to complaint overruled; eight days to answer.

Frank Knox vs John Beck. Demurrer to complaint withdrawn; fifteen days to answer. Motion to dismiss attachment set for hearing on Saturday next.

People ex rel vs. George C. Whitmore, the Nephi banker. Motion for an order authorizing the clerk of the court to deliver the money paid into court to the witnesses in the case and other persons entitled thereto. Matter held in abeyance.

James Larson vs the Utah Central Railway company. Judgment allowed as prayed.

H. C. A. Kerling vs Frank Knoke et al. Decree of foreclosure against all the defendants except M. Aschenn, on default.

C. C. Langham et al. vs. the Western Loan and Savings Association et al. Motion for a receiver argued.

BEFORE JUDGE HARTCH.

In Judge Hartch's court this morning the case of George F. Culmer vs Francis D. Cutt, a civil jury case set down for trial today, was continued for the term.

Edward F. Sourile vs Salt Lake City. Judge Hogle, for the defendant, asked that an item of $20 attorney's fee be stricken from the money bill, as taxed, which the court ordered.

Jos. Rudell vs Rozelle Ore Mines, etc. Stay was granted till April 1st.

Dotson vs Weiss. Ten days' additional time to answer allowed.

Clara A. Robinson vs J. H. Robinson. Report of Attorney S. J. Armstrong, referee, presented by Judge A. Scrimgeor for the plaintiff, who asked for a decree of divorce thereon. Taken under advisement by the court.

Carey Lombard Lumber Co. vs Charles Hoehnert et al. Motion for a new trial overruled and an exception taken.

Henry Fetes vs the Park City Bank et al. Attorney Thomas asked that this case be referred with respect to all the defendants except the Park City Bank and received. Objected to by Attorney W. H. Dickson. The motion was allowed and five days given in which to file amended complaint.

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

The divorce suit of Esther Cattenburg vs Alexander Cattenburg, in which the petitioner prays for a decree on the ground of desertion and abandonment, was set down for hearing in the Third district court some time this afternoon. The parties interested in this city in November, 1891, were married on the 27th, when the defendant left his wife without assigning any reason and has since remained away from her.

Today's Probate Court.

Estate of John L. Hyrd, deceased. Hearing on final account and petition for distribution. Continued till Thursday, March 1st.

Estate of Pearl Pearl, deceased. Continuation of hearing till March 1st, at 10 a. m.

A Pleasant Evening.

Last evening in the Sugar House West Assembly room there was a large gathering to do honor to Elder Peter Swenson prior to his departure for a foreign mission. The excellent program throughout and especially the violin solo by Prof. W. C. Clive, accompanied by Miss Maggie Taylor was much appreciated. Recitations were given by Miss Hulie Salmon and others. The addresses, selections by the mandolin and guitar club were also of a high order—in that every part was excellently performed. The kind feeling manifested and the handsome purse tendered Elder Swenson will be one him to long remember the occasion.