

UTAH SPANNED BY ANOTHER ROAD

Western Pacific Completes Construction of Second Transcontinental Line to Nevada.

WIRE TO GOVERNOR CUTLER.

Chief Engineer Bogue Conveys Information to Utah's Executive—Work Being Pushed.

Another transcontinental railroad has completed its line across Utah. The Western Pacific has reached the Nevada boundary. Information to this effect was conveyed to Governor Cutler in a telegram from B. G. Bogue, chief engineer of the Western Pacific, reading as follows:

"The second cross-continental railroad now crosses Utah. The Western Pacific completed its main track to the Nevada state line, May 2. Governor Cutler sent the following wire in reply:

"Your telegram received. Heartily congratulate in behalf of Utah. May you be successful in crossing Nevada and California."

Construction work on the line of the Western Pacific is being pushed with all possible speed at both ends of the line. The company has under contract all of the work in California and Utah, and 100 miles of line in Nevada, are under contract. The distance from Salt Lake to San Francisco is 325 miles, 122 miles of which is in Utah and 203 miles in California. The route from Salt Lake City west is via Wells, Humboldt river, Winnemucca and Smoke Creek desert, Nye, and Beckwith Pass, Feather river, Oroville, Marysville, Sacramento, Stockton and Niles, Cal.

The Utah Construction Co., of Ogden, Utah, has the contract for the line from Salt Lake City to Death, Nev., 222 miles, and from Oroville, Cal. to the Nevada state line. The E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., of Oakland, Cal., has the contract for the work from Oakland to Oroville, Cal. The maximum grade is 1 per cent; maximum curvature, 10 degrees; weight of rail, 85 pounds. The Western Pacific has added to the number of its locomotives until it has 20 consolidation engines in use on the Salt Lake end of the line. Flat cars are being received daily in this city, and together with flat and ballast cars, the company has 750. Four heavy steam shovels were received recently in Salt Lake City, and two were from Denver to be used on the work between San Francisco and Stockton.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The "seeing car" did a land office business yesterday. Most of the patrons were shrimpers, on their first visit to Salt Lake.

D. E. Burley, general passenger agent of the Oregon Short Line, left for Buhl, Idaho, yesterday, where he will spend several days.

Gerrit Fort, assistant general passenger agent of the Union Pacific, with headquarters at Omaha, is in Salt Lake for a day or two.

D. S. Lowrie, recently appointed traveling auditor of the Oregon Short Line, with jurisdiction between Granger and Huntington, is in the city.

Have you seen Harry Cushing? Ask him to take off his hat. Harry has just returned from Denver, and reports great blizzard weather in the Colorado metropolis.

W. W. Woodside, traveling auditor of the Oregon Short Line, whose district extends between Salt Lake and Butte, arrived in Salt Lake last evening from a trip over the line.

Harry Youngerman, traveling passenger agent of the Rock Island, went to Thistle Junction, to bring in a big bunch of Iowa Shrimpers routed over his line by way of Salt Lake.

H. S. Twining, district superintendent of the Pullman Palace Car company, has returned from a trip to Ogden, where he went to complete arrangements for the handling of the Shrimper business through this district.

John Reed, formerly chief clerk in the office of the Rio Grande in this city, and later of Denver, has returned to Salt Lake and has taken a position in the office of Superintendent of Motive Power and Machinery Duns.

G. A. Hawkes, live stock agent of the Oregon Short Line, was the victim of an accident yesterday. He was at McDermott, and while superintending the shipment of some freight fell from a car, sustaining several severe bruises. Mr. Hawkes was brought to Salt Lake and taken to the Holy Cross hospital for treatment, and will probably be laid up for some time as a result of the accident.

WYOMING POSTMASTERS.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., May 4.—Wyoming postmasters appointed: Cora Fremont county, Octavious A. Hamilton, vice J. M. Noble, resigned; Fremont, Natron county, Allie W. Dickinson, vice Florence Kennedy, resigned.



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OPERA AT PROVO.

"The Princess Ida" by Students of B. Y. University a Success.

(Special to the "News.")

Provo, May 4.—The people of Provo are talking today in the highest terms of "The Princess Ida," an opera played last night by pupils of the Brigham Young university. Before a packed house the opera was rendered without a hitch, and its success was remarkable from the very first curtain. Tonight every seat has been sold, and a number are being turned away. Prof. Lund, director of music at the university is in charge, and the roles are filled by the students of his music department. An effort is being made to induce him to give a Salt Lake presentation of the opera, and a date may be arranged for. He was today the recipient of many congratulations on the remarkable success of last night's performance.

PEACE CONFERENCE.

Big Gathering to be Held in the Assembly Hall May 18.

On May 18 peace gatherings will be held in Salt Lake. This is in conformity with the policy of holding peace meetings in the various states to create sentiment in favor of peace, and to organize state associations to work in co-operation with the national and international associations. A program for the Salt Lake meeting, which will be held in Barratt hall, is being prepared, under the direction of Gov. Cutler.

ESTATE OF W. T. HOOLEY.

G. H. Backman Appointed Administrator, Also Guardian of Insane Wife.

Judge Armstrong today appointed G. H. Backman as administrator of the estate of William T. Hooley, who was shot and killed by his insane wife in this city several weeks ago. The bond of the administrator was fixed at \$250. Mr. Backman was also appointed as guardian of the estate and person of Edna A. Hooley, the woman who did the shooting. His bond in this case was fixed at \$17,250.

BIRTHS EXCEED DEATHS.

Weekly Report Shows Gain of More Than One Hundred Per Cent.

The health record for the week shows that the gain of births over deaths in this city is more than 100 per cent. No cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis are reported, and other contagious diseases are diminishing.

Following is the weekly report of the city board of health for the week ending May 3, 1907. Forty-four births were reported during the week, 19 males and 25 females. A twenty-one deaths were reported during the week; 14 males and seven females; six were shipped here for burial.

There were reported during the week eight cases of contagious and infectious diseases consisting of two cases of diphtheria, two cases of measles; one case of meningitis; and three cases of whoopingcough, one case of scarlet fever; while 17 cases of diphtheria remain in quarantine.

"A GENTILE SCHOOL."

Interesting "Information" Given by Backman to Party of Tourists.

As a citizen was walking along North Temple street, just east of Main, a day or two ago, he was passed by a three-seated vehicle, the owner of which makes a livelihood by carrying

tourists about the city. In the rig were five persons besides the driver, and the latter was "telling" the strangers all about Salt Lake. Pointing to the LaFayette school, the man said:

"That is a Gentile school and is attended entirely by Gentile children. Fifteen years ago there were no public schools in Utah and then not until the non-Mormons took the matter in hand."

The carriage was within a few feet of the sidewalk and the citizen referred to and who had distinctly heard every word, gave a significant smile. "Is that statement not true?" inquired the man who was enlightening the persons next on sight seeing.

"Not a word of it is true," said the pedestrian. The other retorted, "Thirty years ago there was not a Gentile nor a public school in Utah." "I have been in Utah 40 years," said the citizen, and that long ago there were not only many gentiles in Utah, but there were public schools from one end of the territory to the other and had been for years."

The tourists became intensely interested, and their looks gave evidence that they wished to hear further from the citizen rather than from his misinformed, but the driver whipped his horses into a trot and soon disappeared around the corner.

GEORGE RIDDLE READINGS.

Harvard Man Will Appear at Congregational Church on Friday.

Mr. George Riddle of Harvard university will be the next artist to appear on the University of Utah course of lectures and recitals. Mr. Riddle has a wide reputation as a reader throughout the country and is equally famous for his singing of Greek plays at the institution from which he comes. Press notices in critical papers place him at the head of the list, and Salt Lake are assured of a rare treat in the opportunity of hearing him.

Mr. Riddle, it will be remembered, was to have appeared here last December, but was compelled to cancel his engagement from Chicago owing to a severe attack of bronchitis. At that time he promised to return to Salt Lake in May, and he is now in fulfillment of the promise. He reads at Ogden, Logan and Provo before coming to Salt Lake on Friday next. Preceding his recital here, Principal George A. Eaton of the High School will entertain Mr. Riddle at a number of other Harvard men at the university club. The reception may take place next Tuesday evening, in which event Mr. Riddle will come to Salt Lake between recitals of his Ogden engagement. He reads at Ogden on Monday and Wednesday.

Mr. Riddle's reading here on Friday will be Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice," and will be given at the Congregational church.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

It Will be Observed by Relief Society Officers at Lion House Monday.

The eighty-fifth anniversary of the birth of Sister Bathsheba W. Smith, which occurred yesterday and which was celebrated by the family, last evening, will be observed by the general board of the Relief society at the Lion House on Monday evening, May 7. Between 200 and 300 invitations have been issued. An excellent program has been prepared for the occasion. The reception will be from 7 to 10 p. m.

IN DIEHL'S COURT.

George John Pleads Not Guilty to Assault With a Knife.

George John, charged with assaulting J. J. Menley with a knife, pleaded not guilty before Judge Diehl this morning and the case was set for the 13th. In the meantime John is out on his own recognizance.

W. H. Taylor, colored, charged with petit larceny, was tried this morning and the case taken under advisement until Monday morning. Taylor is accused of stealing \$45 worth of jewelry from an employee at the Knutsford. His attorney, Wm. Newton, asked for a dismissal of the case on the grounds of insufficient proof and the court took the motion under advisement.

GREEK EASTER.

Three Days Celebration the Feature Commencing Tomorrow Morning.

Commencing tomorrow the Greek churches in Salt Lake will hold a three days celebration of the Easter season. The church is located at 429 south Fourth West street, and is attended by Greeks from Murray, Bingham Junction, Weber county and other outlying districts, as well as by the Salt Lake colony. The services will be largely musical in their nature and will last for a full three days.

WOMAN IN COURT.

Pitiable Case of Camille Murphy, Charged With Drunkenness.

Camille Murphy, a woman who has figured in one or two police court proceedings, appeared before Judge C. B. Diehl this morning on the charge of drunkenness. The unfortunate woman was in a most pitiable condition. She was on the verge of a complete collapse and declared to Judge Diehl that she could and would take care of herself from abstain from drinking in the future. She begged so earnestly that Judge Diehl permitted her to go.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family, the mother and brothers, of the late John M. Fowler desire to express their appreciation for the many kindnesses and the assistance rendered them by friends in their hour of bereavement.

MRS. E. FOWLER AND FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late Henry McKean desire to express their sincere heartfelt appreciation to the many friends who so kindly assisted them in their trouble.

THE FAMILY.

CARMEN TO CELEBRATE.

Will Hold Jollification Over Strike Settlement at Auditorium.

The street car men will soon hold a jollification over the satisfactory settlement of the strike and arrangements are being made to give a ball and entertainment at the Auditorium roller skating rink. A committee of carmen will make final arrangements with Phil S. O'Mara, president of the association, and the date of the ball will be announced in a day or two. The engagement of Gray and Peters, trick cyclists, closes this evening, and no special attraction has been engaged for next week. Floor Manager McCollum has resigned to take a position at Saltair, and his place at the Richards street rink will be filled by Manager Diefenbacher, who has had charge of the Ogden rink.

"BEN HUR."

Stereopticon lecture to be given by Hon. John Wilder Fairbank at the First Congregational church Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

FORTY MEN QUIT.

They Walked Right Out and Then Walked Right Back Again.

Forty hands employed by the Taylor & Brunton Sampling Works concluded Thursday evening, that they were not receiving their full share of the general prosperity. They were receiving \$2.75 for nine hours' work, which Manager William says is better wages by 25 to 50 cents than obtains elsewhere in the valley. The men, however, thought they should be let off with eight hours' work instead of nine, to improve their minds, and demanded the reduced hours of labor, which was refused. So they all quit.

However, wiser counsel prevailed later, and half the force returned to work at the old schedule of hours, and the rest came back before the day was over. No more trouble is reported.

DEATH OF J. W. SNELL, JR.

Passes Away Suddenly at Late Home After Brief Illness.

John W. Snell, Jr., aged 41, was seized with a sudden hemorrhage at 5 p. m., yesterday, after an illness of two or three days, and lived only a few minutes. His father said today, that as far as he knew, the young man had good lungs, but two years ago he was operated upon for appendicitis and it is believed his death was the outcome of this. The deceased leaves a wife, daughter of the late R. C. Lund of St. George, and three children. The funeral will be held from the late residence 266 Second East street, at noon tomorrow, with interment in the city cemetery.

Mr. Snell was a graduate of the Columbia law school in New York where he took several valuable prizes for scholarship; he was a member of the Press club and dramatic critic for Truth, writing over the nom de plume of Mr. de Grand. He had his life insured for \$2,000 in the National Life of Vermont.

PERSONALS.

Miss Jennie Haight has removed to Fly to take a business position with the Graham Mercantile company.

E. J. Yetter, president of the Western Elaterie Roofing company, at Denver, has been a guest of the C. W. & M. company during the week.

George T. Odell, general manager of the C. W. & M. company, ran up to

Ogden this afternoon. He expects to visit the branches of the house in northern Utah and southeastern Idaho during the coming week.

FOREST RANGERS WILL EXTERMINATE WOLVES.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., May 4.—Reinholt Mattison of Salina, Utah, has been appointed forest guard and assigned to the duty of exterminating wolves on the Fish Lake forest reserve.

W. A. Moulton, Wheatland, Wyo., has been appointed forest guard and assigned to the Wind River division of American Yellowstone national forest. Moulton's assignment to this reserve is as hunter and trapper and he will devote his time exclusively to exterminating wolves, coyotes, and other animals that have been causing losses among stock and sheepmen.

John Criss, Dixon, Wyo., has been appointed forest guard on Park Range national forest and he will also be charged with duty of exterminating "brer" wolf.

LATE LOCALS.

Small Fire.—An alarm was sent in from lower Main street at 2 o'clock this afternoon, a small blaze having broken out in a residence between Eighth and Ninth South on Main. It is thought to be a defective flue fire.

Still Another Robbery.—Mrs. Farnes, who yesterday moved to 138 Pearl street, reported to the police that she had been robbed of a ladies' gold watch, set with two diamonds, three pearl pins and a gold chain. She says that during the moving and upset condition of things, she thinks some one must have broken in and stolen the jewelry. Detectives Shannon and Wilson are now working on the case.

Utah Day at Venice.—Gov. Cutler has received a communication from the chamber of commerce of Venice of America, Venice, Cal., asking him to the advisability of having a Utah day at that famous resort. The governor and all state officials are invited to be present on the date decided upon to meet the governor and senators of California. Gov. Cutler has suggested that July 16 be set apart as Utah day as there will be excursion rates in effect to California from July 2 to 8 and no doubt a large number of Utah people will take advantage of them. Should that date suit the chamber of commerce the governor will attend.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

NELSON.—The funeral services over the remains of Carl E. Nelson, aged 17 years, will be held Sunday, at 12 o'clock noon, from the Sixteenth ward meeting house. Friends are invited to attend and can view the remains on the day of the funeral from 10 to 11:30 a. m. at the family residence, 220 north Fifth West street. Interment in city cemetery.

DIED.

SPEARS.—At 1094 east Eighth South street, this city, May 2, 1907, of heart disease, Frank H., son of Albert C. and Annie Anderson Spears, aged 8 years. Funeral services Sunday at 2 p. m. from the family residence. Friends are invited to attend. Interment in city cemetery.

SNELL.—At the late residence, 266 Second East street, J. W. Snell, Jr., hemorrhage of lungs, aged 40 years. Funeral services Sunday at 12 noon. Friends invited.

R. E. Evans, florist, 36 S. Main St. Floral Designs a Specialty. Phone 961.

For Refreshment while crossing the hot sands of the desert on their way to Mecca, at Los Angeles, the visiting Shriners & their ladies, bought box after box of McDonald's Dutch Chocolates.

(On Everybody's Tongue.)

Home people know about them too. They all knew of McDonald's Chocolates—one of the first things they asked about when they reached Salt Lake.

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By the way, Sunday is Chocolate Day. Take her a box of McDonald's Dutch Chocolates. 30 cents the half pound; 60 cents the pound.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

ONE BAY HORSE, BRANDED F ON left shoulder, weight about 1,200 lbs., age about 2 years. Also one bay horse, left hind white foot, branded M with T over top, left hip; saddle marks, about all round, weight about 1,000 lbs., age about 10 years. Also one backskin horse, branded O, with top and bottom, on right shoulder, weight about 800 lbs., age about 7 years, small sore on hind leg. Above animals will be sold within 10 days if not called for.

J. M. WOOD, Poundkeeper, Murray.

HELP WANTED.

A YOUNG MAN FOR TYPEWRITING and general office work. Address in own hand, writing, stating salary expected. G. W. P. 238 South Main Street, City.

SHOE LASTER AND YOUNG MAN to learn cutting. Z. C. M. I. Shoe Factory.

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP NOTICES.

Consult County Clerk or respective signers for further information.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, Probate Division, in and for Salt Lake County, State of Utah. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Booth, Deceased. Notice.—The petition of Anna E. Booth, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Booth, deceased, praying that she be adjudged and decreed to be the owner in fee, of sixty acres of land, situated in section 15, township 5 south, range 1 east, Salt Lake meridian; Commencing at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of said section 15, running thence north 120 rods, west 30 rods, south 120 rods, east 30 rods, to the beginning, has been set for at 10 o'clock a. m., at the County Court House, in the Court Room of said County, Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County, Utah.

Witness the Clerk of said Court with the seal thereof affixed, this 4th day of May, A. D. 1907.

By J. U. ELDREDGE, JR., Clerk. (Seal.) By W. H. Farnsworth, Deputy Clerk. N. V. Jones, Attorney for Petitioner.

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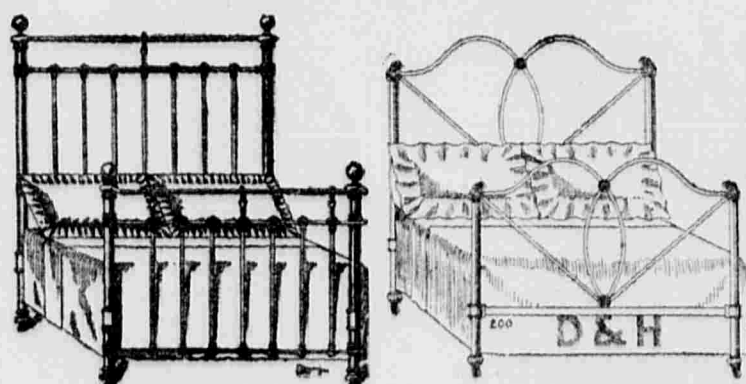
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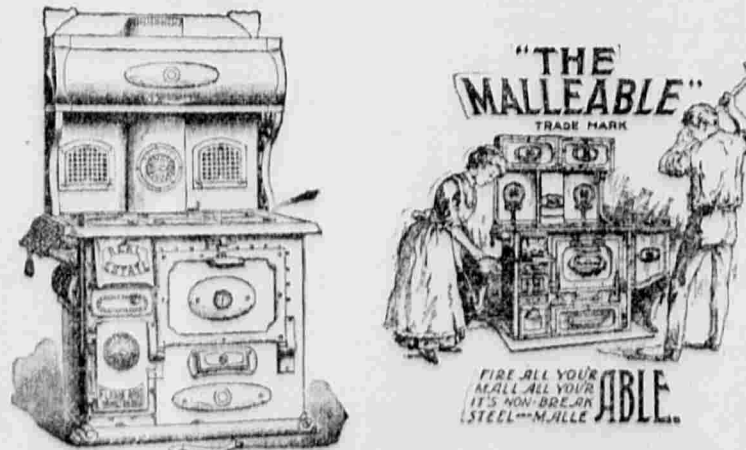
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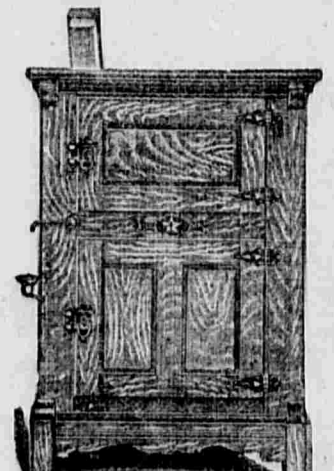
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