

M. & M. OUTLINES FUTURE POLICY

Pledge Taken At Last Night's Banquet to Work for Utah Art.

WILL PUSH GULL MONUMENT.

Early Closing, Home Labor, Insurance Rates, Merchants' License and Other Live Topics Discussed.

With a pledge that it will do all in its power to centralize interest in western manufacture, that it will work always to beautify Salt Lake and that specifically it will begin at once to raise a fund for the erection of M. M. Young's beautiful "Seagull monument," the Manufacturers' and Merchants' association has now a better understanding of its mission, as the result of a banquet held at the Commercial club last night.

The dinner was one on which the club chief did himself proud. Tasteless floral emblems, music from Hawaiian troubadours, and solos by Horace Ensign and Will R. Sibley kept the auditors to the after dinner speeches in good humor, and the large assemblage of business men thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

Here are some of the plans for bettering Utah commerce which were talked over.

Early closing, to save the strength of clerks, now overworked.

The opening of the Provo Woolen mills, as a symbol of hope for home industry.

The supporting of western art and home artists, now so totally neglected.

The employment of citizens as laborers instead of foreign labor, especially while American labor is idle.

The encouragement of every local enterprise that means a larger pay roll, for in this every citizen may participate.

Co-operation with the city administration to secure needed help for the business world.

Active support of the mayor in his work to determine the cause for high fire insurance rates, and the effecting of a remedy.

A demand for the repeal of the mercantile license law on the ground that the merchant is already taxed amply for doing business.

Formation of a traffic bureau to consider freight rates, and secure an adjustment of rates equitable to Utah manufacturers and merchants.

The speakers of the evening were Chas. N. Strevehl, L. R. Martineau, Neill L. Morris, former Mayor Roylance of Provo, and a number of others who were called informally to respond.

CHAS. N. STREVEHL.

In speaking of "business unity" as an essential of success, Mr. Strevehl declared that he could think of no better example of business unity than that of the banks, who had stood together in the panic, rivals helping rivals in the laboring man from the mercy of his employer, and except for the rival union of employers would have put them at labor's mercy; or organizations such as the State Fair association, the Commercial club and the Chamber of Commerce, all of which he said, represented a spirit of co-operative selfishness.

"We in the Rocky Mountain region should take advantage of the opportunities of co-operation and stand together to build up this region. A pile driver accomplishes its work by constant pounding and we should constantly pound away until we get results."

Lyman R. Martineau spoke on the subject of the M. & M.'s past, and the men who had been strongly its supporters. "We are on our honor," he said, "and we are on our honor."

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who have secured the passage of law that are not to our interests.

"One of the chief requisites of American cities is to make them attractive. We ought to beautify ours, and encourage everything done within it that will contribute to its attractiveness."

"Right now in Salt Lake we have a problem as to high insurance rates. The M. & M. association should not hesitate to co-operate with the city administration in helping to solve this problem. On the coast they have salvage corps who do not suffer from being put out of office every year or two, to have new men trained for their places at the expense of taxpayers, and the department's efficiency. A salvage corps here would help the department."

"The M. & M. is not a club. It is an association of business men. We now propose to lower the fees, and make it a more popular association. There should be power within the association to cope with all business problems with the cause of every manufacturer who is not getting a square deal."

LICENSE REPEAL.

"We should work for the repeal of the business license. It is too much to ask the merchant to pay for it after he is already taxed on all his property, and on all his personal property."

"We should work to have clerks trained to advocate home made goods. They often have it at their option to sell home made goods rather than imported, for they are frequently asked to recommend between brands."

FREIGHT BUREAU.

"We should establish a freight bureau. The one already established by the association has saved me 50 times my fees in freight rebates. The railroads have reaped a rich harvest from our lack of attention to freight details. A Philadelphia firm recently wrote me that it didn't want to do business with such stupid people as Salt Lake, because it had to pay \$1.50 per hundred to ship brick here, while it could ship them right on through clear to Japan or to San Francisco for \$1 per hundred."

NEGLECTED ARTISTS.

"Utah ought to do something for her artists. We have neglected them totally in the past, and all we have here in Utah of Dali's is a clumsy plaster cast of his 'Signal of Peace,' while a foreign government had tried to buy one of his creations for \$20,000, and his residence was in Boston, instead of here in Salt Lake, which had so much need of services such as he could render. (The speaker overlooked the Pioneer monument.)"

"Here in our midst is Hon. Young. Shall we drive him forth as we drove the others forth? Or shall we learn how to utilize such men and secure their valuable work for our own city? I suggest that we pledge ourselves to raise the sea gull monument which he has designed to illustrate one of the most beautiful stories ever told of any country."

LOCAL STRIFE.

"We have here local strife, and it will continue as long as the business interests will let it continue. We should combine to kill this strife, and bring peace. It cannot come while one faction here is saying as the little boy said to the other little boy with whom he was playing on a log, 'If one of us should get off, there would be much more room for me.'"

PLEDGE SEA GULL MONUMENT.

Following the speech of Mr. Morris, Mr. Strevehl moved that the M. & M. pledge itself to the erection of the sea gull monument, or to help in doing it, and opened the contributions with a donation of \$10, in which a number of those present joined him.

Mayor Roylance of Provo spoke of the opportunities here for fruitgrowing and other industries, and of the markets in which Utah could compete, and he was followed by O. E. Morris of Walkers, who spoke of early closing and its effects on a large business institution.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, 1898.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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FEEDS HIS WIFE ONCE EACH WEEK

According to a complaint filed in the district court today, John L. Graham is an exceedingly cruel husband, having for a period of nearly two years beaten his wife at least once a week, dating from their marriage. Mary Graham is the plaintiff, and she avers that she has lived with defendant as long as she possibly can, and asks that the bonds of matrimony be severed.

In her complaint, Mrs. Graham specifically alleges that on Jan. 26, 1908, her husband struck her a number of times with his fist on another occasion, shortly before the birth of her child, defendant dragged her about the house by her heels and bat her. In addition to a divorce plaintiff asks that defendant be enjoined from coming near her home, as she fears that he will kill her.

SHERIFF EMERY SUEED.

Sheriff C. Frank Emery and his sheriffs, Joseph Nelson, Edward E. Jenkins, Edward E. Rich, Jr., Arthur Frewin, Joseph C. Sharp and J. Parley White, were made defendants in a suit filed today by Lena Barrager. Plaintiff demands \$1,000 for the alleged unlawful seizure by the sheriff of two trunks containing wearing apparel, to be deprived, of which plaintiff was unable to go upon a certain journey, and was therefore injured to the amount of \$1,000.

SUIT ON REDMAN FIRE.

Agnes Evans has entered suit in the district court to recover from the Glens Falls Insurance company of New York the sum of \$1,000, which was paid due on a fire insurance policy. Plaintiff sets forth that certain property belonging to her was totally destroyed by fire in the Redman Van & Storage company's warehouse, Nov. 18, 1907, and that the defendant company refused and still refuses to pay the amount of the policy.

COLD CAUSE HEADACHE.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. Used for colds, fever, headache, cold in one day. E. W. Grove's signature on box, 25c.

CHARLES SANSON CALLED.

Charles Sanson, an aged resident of the Twentieth ward, passed away at the age of 82 years. He came to Utah in the early days, and underwent all the experiences incident to pioneering. He was always active in Church work, and for a long time was secretary in the Sunday school. His system of keeping the Sunday school records was said to be nearly perfect.

Deceased was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. The funeral will be held some time Monday, March 30, the exact time not yet having been announced.

LATE LOCALS.

Leave for Idaho Falls—George T. Odell and several members of his family, go to Idaho Falls tonight for the purpose of attending the funeral of Mr. Odell's brother-in-law, Gilbert J. Wright, which will take place tomorrow afternoon.

Travelers' Banquet—The first annual banquet of the United Commercial Travelers for this district will be held, 6:30 p. m., Saturday, April 4, at the Commercial club, when the governor, mayor and other prominent officials are to be present. Altogether, it is expected that 250 persons will be present. A good program of speeches is being arranged.

Death of Mrs. Budd—Mrs. Ellen Budd, widow of Charles Budd, died yesterday afternoon, aged 74. She leaves three sons and two daughters, Charles Budd, Mrs. R. E. Pickett, George E. Budd and Mrs. Alice Rowland of Salt Lake, and Arthur W. Budd of Butte, Mont. There are 31 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The funeral will be held Sunday from the undertaking parlors of Joseph E. Taylor.

PERSONALS.

Miss L. M. Slade has removed her dress making parlors to 138 east Fifth South, where she will be pleased to meet her friends.

Mr. M. A. Overbeck, formerly manager of the Western Moline Plow company in this city, will enter the employ of the consolidated Wagon & Machine company on April 1.

Ex-Councilman Crabtree returned last night from Sacramento, where he went to look over the fruit and produce situation. He says the prospects are flattering, although on account of the decrease of acreage and the dry spell, the strawberry crop from this section of the state will be short this season. The fruit trees are now all in blossom, presenting a beautiful appearance.

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Very quickly if you will resort to the Bitters as soon as you notice the first symptom of distress. Thousands of persons, afflicted from time to time by their watery bowels, tell you of their wonderful merit. But try it yourself and save a lot of unnecessary suffering.

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PRaise for Big Organ.

Paul Nicholai, a Tourist, is Moved to Express Thoughts in Writing.

That the great organ in the tabernacle is appreciated by strangers as well as by the people of this city and state has often been attested. Tourists from all parts of the civilized world have praised the wonderful instrument and the efficient performer that presides at the keyboard, and the impression thus made upon the minds of persons sojourning for only a short time is perhaps surpassed by nothing the intermountain country has to offer. One of the latest travelers to become enraptured while at an organ recital is Paul Nicholai, a guest at the Wilson and who wrote as follows to the "News":

"At the suggestion of a friend I attended an organ recital at the tabernacle. Little did I conceive of the grand story for me. I have heard most of the famous organs found in this country as well as abroad, but never before did I listen to such fulness of sweetness, melody and harmony as I heard from the tabernacle organ, a symphony produced by the divine touch of a master hand. In my opinion the mind could conceive of nothing more perfect and deliciously exquisite to the soul than the music that lifts the human voice through those inanimate reeds."

"I could scarcely believe the possibility of a rendition so like the human voice. The inspiring, it is called, 'Every.' All present, as I must have been surprised."

"The blending of voices in the rendition of 'Cavaleria Rusticana' was still more astounding and charming, where not only one voice, but a quartet and chorus were produced with a full organ accompaniment."

"I awoke as from a dream when the organ ceased to inspire, that the sweet reality was at an end. Surely I voice the sentiments of all present on that occasion when I feebly express thanks for the privilege of listening to such inspiring a recital, music that lifts the soul to higher spheres."

GOOD FOR EVERYBODY.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." "Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold, and a druggist's counter as a blood purifier it is unequalled. 50c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 So. Main."

Anderson Insurance Agency.

To Whom It May Concern: Mr. Albert Smith has resigned the position of secretary and accepted his relations with this agency, and will engage in the real estate and brokerage business.

Mr. W. H. Ellison has been elected secretary and treasurer of this company.

ANDERSON INSURANCE AGENCY. By Hugh Anderson, President.

THE BARRIER.

By Rex Beach—Author of "The Spoilers."

This novel is in every way worthy of the author of the "Spoilers." It is a buoyant, bracing story of the last frontier. A story of primitive passions, of overpowering romance, of rough, picturesque conditions. Above all, it is the story of a great hate and a great love. Price \$1.50.

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Colorado Southern	25 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	55 1/2
Erie	16
Illinois Central	125 1/2
Missouri Pacific	18 1/2
Mexican Central	18 1/2
Missouri Pacific	18 1/2
New York Central	92
Pennsylvania	116 1/2
Rock Island	15 1/2
Rock Island pfd.	25 1/2
St. Paul	113
Southern Railway	75 1/2
Union Pacific	126 1/2
Union Pacific pfd.	78 1/2
Wabash	11 1/2
Western Union	15 1/2
Great Northern	127 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Amalgamated Copper	60 1/2
American Car & Foundry	45 1/2
American Locomotive	45 1/2
Am. Smelting & Refining	71 1/2
Am. Smelting & Refining pfd.	61 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	23 1/2
International Paper	92 1/2
National Lead	79 1/2
National Lead pfd.	79 1/2
People's Gas	83 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	24 1/2
Pulman Palace Car	153 1/2
Standard Oil	540
Sugar	15 1/2
United States Steel	24 1/2
United States Steel pfd.	18 1/2
Western Union	53 1/2
Int. Met. pfd.	20 1/2
Mackay Co. (b)	57 1/2
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FUNERAL NOTICE.

Mrs. Ellen Budd, wife of the late Charles Budd, died Thursday at the age of 74 years, 13 days. She left three sons and two daughters, Charles W. Budd, Mrs. R. E. Pickett, George E. Budd and Mrs. Alice Rowland of Salt Lake, and Arthur W. Budd of Butte, Mont. There are 31 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning from the undertaking parlors from 9 till 10:30 Sunday morning.

NELSON—The funeral services over the remains of Harry Nelson, aged nine years and 13 days, will be held Sunday at 12:30 p. m. from the family residence, 825 west First South street, on Sunday, March 29, at 2:30 p. m. under the auspices of the Cigar Makers' union. Interment in City cemetery.

DIED.

BARRETT—At Mercier, Utah, March 27, 1908, Charles Ellery Barrett, in his forty-third year. He left a wife and three children. The funeral will be held from 8 to 9 o'clock Sunday morning from the undertaking parlors from 9 till 10:30 Sunday morning.

The funeral of Francis J. Showell, who died of pneumonia on March 25, 1908, will take place from Eber W. Hall's funeral chapel, 225 south West Temple street, on Sunday, March 29, at 2:30 p. m. under the auspices of the Cigar Makers' union. Interment in City cemetery.

SANSON—At his residence, 223 H street, at 11:30 this morning, Charles Sanson, aged 82 years.

Funeral services will be held Monday, March 30, time not announced.

KEITH-O'BRIEN'S FORMAL OPENING

Magnificent Display of Beauty--Thousands of People Throng the Enlarged Store.

Keith-O'Brien's store, as it appears after an extensive enlargement, is being visited today by thousands of people, who are charmed with its manifold beauties. The institution, viewed with eyes that are not susceptible of a fairland, The first entrance glances are at the magic windows, each of which reveals pictures, ingenious in composition and masterful in the decorative scheme. The component parts of these displays reflect the best endeavors of the world's foremost designers of apparel, fabrics, and accessories for women's fashionable attire. The costumes are the finest reproductions of the designers' art, the hats are of exceeding beauty, many of them coming direct from Paris. From the display it is evident artists and artisans of every land have contributed something towards these windows, which unquestionably surpass anything of the kind seen in the west.

Window No. 1: color scheme, pink; scenery, a selection of "Cavaleria Rusticana" to a garden. Settings: princess lace robe over satin; showing of striped satin brocade; pink lingerie gown and coat to match; dress accessories and hats following out the same color scheme.

Window No. 2: blue prevailing color; flower, the primrose; costumes displayed: white embroidered mull over light blue tulle; lace and embroidered mull, trimmed with Yac lace; embroidered lingerie robe; lace coat, dress accessories, and four hats, with colors blending in tints of blue.

Window No. 3: leading color, yellow; costumes, robes, silks, hats and accessories.

Window No. 4: a beautiful study of beige.

Window No. 5: devoted to infants' wear. Leading color, white, with just enough lavender to relieve and give tone.

Upon entering the store the first impression is the general effect of the wealth of decorations, the multitudinous displays, the rich appointments and the spaciousness of the first floor. The impression is one of a decorator's spread in all directions, embracing numerous columns, wreathing around displays and blanketing the fountain—the decorator's inspired tribute to spring.

Garlanded to every column on the main floor are eight immense stalks laden with primroses, spreading copiously over the aisles. About and beneath the stalks are wild rose and carnation smilax. On ledges and balcony rest pots of natural plants. A remarkable blanket of pink roses forms an awning over the fountain. The fountain is fringed with pink and green grasses. The lamps are shaded with large roses. On the banisters about the ceiling light-wells through which light radiates, are smilax and pink roses are everywhere in graceful profusion.

The handsome new elevators were taxed to the fullest capacity every hour of the day, and the new stairway, located between the two entrances, was in constant use.

Never in the west were more elaborate decoration schemes wrought out for temporary purposes. In harmony with the magnificence of the spectacle below, the second floor presents a scene of beauty and interest. The wide length, the high ceiling, and perfect light of the immense room are impressive. The decorations here are lilacs radiating to pink, and streamers pink and light blue.

In the center, giving pleasing relief to the expanse of the room, is a restaurant, formed by 16