

MINING CONGRESS BUILDING SITE.

City Council Will Offer Fine Piece
Of Ground for a Permanent
Home.

OPPOSITE THE JOINT BUILDING.

Liquor License Agreement May Have
Been Reached—That Objectionable
Advertisement—Other News.

The Utah delegates to the American Mining Congress, who will leave for Portland on Saturday evening to bend every effort to secure the permanent headquarters for the congress for Salt Lake City, will have the city council making them to the extent of a donation of a fine building lot for the location of the headquarters. The committee on public grounds and finance of the city council last evening decided to recommend to the council that the city lot just across the street north of the city and county building be donated as a site for the permanent home of the congress, should it decide to come to Salt Lake to establish headquarters. The lot is 50x165 feet and would be an admirable location for a building of such a nature.

LIQUOR LICENSE AGREEMENT.

It is believed that an agreement has finally been reached in regard to the amended liquor license. The committee on municipal laws and license again considered the matter last night and heard the liquor dealers, and it was decided to amend the ordinance so that all saloon men, druggists and restaurant keepers who take to transact a retail liquor business shall pay a uniform license of \$1,200 per annum. The existing of liquor in private wine rooms, boxes or stalls in saloons or restaurants will be prohibited. Druggists and saloon men do not want to take out a retail liquor license and do not make a profit on the sale. The ordinance in regard to prohibiting women from entering saloons between the hours of 7 o'clock in the evening and 7 o'clock in the morning will not be changed.

OTHER MATTERS.

The committee on streets decided to grant the petition of Whittaker and Talley, asking that an advertisement of a non-union sign on one of the city water pipes be removed from in front of their place of business. The public grounds committee will go to Liberty park tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock to look over the site asked for a speedway track for fast horses. The Real Estate association asked that such a track be constructed on the city of W. G. Margretts to do the city's garbage work for \$1,400 per month and thus save the city about \$2,000 per year was rejected by the finance and safety committee. The finance committee referred to the city attorney the claim of the Home Finding association for \$50.00 for the care of Oliver Rose, the infant child of Frank Rose who was executed for the murder of his wife. The attorney will be asked to decide as to the legality of the claim.

AT THE RESORTS.

Today is "Employees day" at Saltair, and indications are that by tonight there will be a big crowd at the resort. Fifty-six prizes donated by local merchants will be awarded the lucky ticket holders and during the day there will be a bowling contest, guessing bee, boys' races, prizes for the heaviest and the lightest men, dancing, etc. The committee in charge of the outing has not yet decided just how all the prizes shall be awarded, but they will arrive at an understanding this afternoon at the beach when the announcement will be forthcoming.

The Butchers and Grocers of Salt Lake announce that there will be a carnival on Aug. 24, on which day high carnival will be held. Accordingly housewives are duly warned to lay up supplies by way of advertising the event of Wednesday, the Butchers and Grocers will indulge in a big and characteristic parade through the business section of the city. Appropriate costumes and floats will be among the features. The following program has been prepared for their entertainment:

\$1.00
Buys a pair of Men's Work Shoes.

A pair of Men's Goat Slippers.

A pair of Men's Suspenders.

\$1.25
Buys a pair of Men's Ox-fords.

A pair of Congress Shoes.

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Buys a Ladies' Patent Tip Walking Shoe.

WE ARE CLOSING OUT.

THE MOORE SHOE CO.,
258 South Main.

Dr. Price's CREAM Baking Powder

IN USE THE MOST ECONOMICAL

Greater in leavening strength,
a spoonful raises more dough,
or goes farther.

Price Baking Powder Co.
CHICAGO.

at Lakoon: Rolling barrel contest, wheelbarrow race, blindfold race, tug of war, Ogden vs Salt Lake, baseball, Ogden vs Salt Lake, broncho-riding contest, "Arizona" Joe vs "Texas" Dick; boat race, Ogden vs Salt Lake; bowling contest, Ogden vs Salt Lake.

The lucky numbers at the Woodmen outfit at Saltair Tuesday, with the prizes drawn, are as follows: Prize No. 1, W. O. W. fraternal emblem, drawn by ticket number 32,047; prize No. 2, soft pillow, by ticket number 33,044; prize No. 3, W. O. W. fraternal emblem, by ticket number 34,054; prize No. 4, silver forks, by ticket number 34,054; prize No. 5, W. O. W. fraternal emblem, by ticket number 35,053; prize No. 6, jewelry, by ticket number 32,421; prize No. 7, cigars, by ticket number 32,788; prize No. 8, piano scarf, by ticket number 33,826. Holders of the lucky numbers may secure their prizes by calling on T. W. Lawson at the store of F. Auerbach & Bro.

KING WAS CAUGHT.

Old Veteran Mourned Loss of Position
And Then Tried to Escape.

This is to be a brief story of how Tom King, whose summer and winter boarding place is at 120 east First South, better known as the city jail, tried to quit the place last night.

Some days ago Jailer Sol Kimball placed King in charge of the gang of trustees, with full power to act. Tom felt his position and acted accordingly. But there came a time when there were no more trustees. That was yesterday, and Tom lost his position. He felt grieved about it and tried to drown his sorrows in a bottle of alcohol. Then he decided to make his escape from the place. He was seen by a foot watch, between a partition and the stone wall. It required much squeezing and hard work for him to get into the place, but he finally succeeded and laid him down for a good long rest.

Early this morning Tom awoke with a burning thirst. He tried to arise but found himself held as though in a vice. He wriggled and twisted and then began to yell for help. His cries were heard at last, and Officer Sperry and several other blue coats hastened to Tom's assistance. Sperry took hold of the prisoner, while Officers Johnson, Clive, Furster, Sullivan, Seligman, Armstrong, Davies, Jailer Kimball and several others, got hold of Sperry. At the word "Ho!" they began to pull.

With the loss of a pair of overalls and about a yard of cuticle, King was at last rescued and carried up stairs. "I will do it," said Mr. Kimball, he said, and he won't till the next time.

DENVER AND RETURN \$18.00
Via D. and R. G. Aug. 20, 21.

Final limit 30 days. Stopover allowed. Spend your vacation in the mountains of Colorado. See any Rio Grande Agent for particulars.

THEFT OF \$40 BOX.
Results in Husband and Wife Being
Put in Another Kind of a Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foley are in the city jail, charged with the larceny of a box valued at \$40, the property of Proprietor Lydell, who conducts a roominghouse near the Saltair depot. The Foleys were arrested this morning by Detective Burt and Officer Sperry. It is alleged that the prisoners stole the box several days ago from the landlady and attempted to ship it out of town to a confederate. When arrested this morning, Foley said that some man, whose name he could not remember, brought the box to them and asked them to ship it to him as he was unable to take it with him. The woman denied all knowledge of the affair. Both were locked up pending a hearing before Judge Diehl.

CANYON MYSTERY.
Deputy Sheriffs Return With a Tuft of
Hair as Clue.

Deputy Sheriffs Irvine, Bell and Edwards, who were detailed to investigate the trail of blood discovered leading into a tunnel in Big Green canyon yesterday, returned last night bringing with them a tuft of hair found on the ladder in the shaft. It is believed that the hair is from an animal and not from a human being so that there will probably be nothing sensational developed in the case. Some of the blood and hair were turned over to Chemist Harris for a complete analysis to be made.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.
(DO YOU REMEMBER?)

B. H. Roberts, in the disguise of a tramp, recovered the bodies of the martyred Elders, Gibbs and Berry, in Tennessee.

Pope Leo addressed his formal protest against the French divorce law.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

E. V. Debs, as a witness before the strike commission, gave his sensational description of the sufferings of the railroad men.

A gigantic incendiary conspiracy of anarcho-social origin was discovered in Chicago.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.

The Shamrock I arrived in New York with Sir Thomas Lipton to lift the America's cup.

The Wellman arctic expedition was abandoned because of the terrific exposure the men had been forced to endure.

sure as to whether or not it came from a human being or an animal. The deputies took about 70 feet of rope with them but it was not long enough to reach the bottom of the shaft. Deputy Sheriff Bell was let down in by a rope as the ladder in the shaft was thought to be unsafe. As his foot struck the ladder it gave way and he was not held by the rope he would have met with a serious accident. The bottom of the shaft, which was filled with water, was dragged and the hooks fast to the shaft, resembling a body but as the rope was not long enough the object could not be drawn to the surface.

CROMER'S PLUMBING.

Sanitary Inspector Makes a Discovery
And Swears Out Another Complaint.

Special Sanitary Inspector W. J. Korth has sworn out another complaint against W. H. Cromer, charging him with failing to connect his premises at 246 east Second South street with the sewer. On April 23, Mr. Cromer was served with a notice to connect his premises with the sewer and upon his failure to do so a complaint was issued against him. On May 16 he took out a permit to connect his premises with the sewer and the case against him was dropped.

It was thought that the connection had been made all right until yesterday when Plumbing Inspector Leaker went to the premises to inspect the plumbing. A diligent search on his part failed to disclose any plumbing at all. A further search was made and it was found that the connection had been made with the sewer main and the pipe was run just inside of the fence and at that point the pipe was plugged up. So that the connection was merely a bluff, presumably, it is thought by the officials, to evade the ordinance. Mr. Cromer will probably decide to carry the pipe a little farther and connect with the house by the time his case is settled in court this time.

\$10 Cash Prize.

Holder of lucky number will receive a ten dollar cash prize at Saltair Employees' day, Thursday.

STOLE A TYPWRITER.

Then Pawned it for \$10 and is Now
Boarding at the City's Expense.

Because of O. P. Donnelly's alleged affection for a typewriter, he was arrested last evening by Officer Furster and lodged in jail.

It is proper to state, however, that the typewriter in question is a machine and not a woman. It is claimed that Donnelly stole it from the Rio Grande Western depot. The property belongs to B. Thurman, who had left it at the depot for a good long rest.

"TO THE DIVORCE JUDGE."

Strange Letter Received This Morning
From Absent Defendant.

According to a letter received this morning addressed to "The Divorce Judge," Josephine Lyons, from whom Walter E. Lyons is seeking a divorce in the district court, was somewhat surprised to learn of her husband's action. Mrs. Lyons lives at Winthrop, Mass., and says in her letter that she learned by accident that her husband had initiated divorce proceedings against her, charging her with desertion. She said that her husband was in Winthrop on Saturday, Aug. 6, and stayed with her until the following Tuesday, when he left her for Rumford Falls, Me., on business.

The complaint was filed in the district court here on May 16, 1904, but as the defendant is not a resident of the state the summons has to be published. There has as yet been no answer or appearance filed on the part of Mrs. Lyons.

She says that she has resided in Winthrop for 10 years and denies that she has deserted her husband. The letter states that Lyons has been living with a woman in Salt Lake as his wife and that the woman is a divorced woman whose home is in Roxbury, Mass., and her name is May Peters or Mrs. Bigelow. She says that her husband has taken out some life insurance in the name of the woman and she also said that she has corresponded with her husband regularly up to the time he came to see her two weeks ago.

The affidavit for the publication of the summons filed by Lyons states that his wife was a resident of Maine. It is apparent from the letter from Mrs. Lyons that this statement on the part of her husband was absolutely false. She says that she corresponded with her regularly and knew where she was all the time. It is very probable that Mrs. Lyons will put in an answer to the complaint and that she will make it rather hard for him to prove his charge of desertion.

"NEWS" WIDELY READ.

Norwegian Sends Sample of Sputa for
Analysis in Utah.

The recent article in the "News" on tuberculosis in Utah has been read with interest as far away as Norway, and P. M. Peterson of Trondheim, Norway, has written to the Utah state board of health, enclosing two specimens of sputa from his own lungs, for analysis, and stating he was much interested in what the "News" had to say. Just why Mr. Peterson should want to make the Utah board such a present is not very clear to the secretary. However, the sputa will be examined.

COLORADO EXCURSIONS.
August 20th to 21st.

Via Oregon Short Line. Round trip from Salt Lake and Ogden to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo only \$18.00. Five days transit limit each way. Tickets good 30 days.

TEMPERS ARE COMING.
The blue prints of the schedule of movement of special trains for the Knights Templars en route to San Francisco has been received by the Rio Grande officials here. It shows in all 44 trains and special cars combined. The first train to arrive in Salt Lake from the east will be that bearing a contingent of Philadelphians. It will arrive here early on the morning of the 23rd.

Nevada Branch.
The old Eureka & Palisade railroad running between Palisade on the line of the Southern Pacific company to Eureka, is to be extended. A party of surveyors is now at work in the field between Eureka and Elko, in White Pine country. The work, it is understood, is being done under the direction of the White Pine Copper company.

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MOORE RESIGNS FROM SAN PEDRO.

Locating Engineer of the Salt
Lake Route Severs Con-
nection With Road.

GOES TO JACOB'S NEW LINE.

He Has Accepted Position of Chief
Engineer for the Bingham Inter-
Urban Proposition.

Col. Chas. D. Moore has resigned as locating engineer of the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake railroad, and has accepted the position of chief engineer of the new Jacobs' road to Bingham. Mr. Moore is a very prominent railroad engineer, having been connected with the Burlington, Santa Fe, Mexican Central and others, and was the chief engineer of the Salt Lake & Mercur; the task of laying out the last named road was one of the greatest engineering feats in the country. Mr. Moore has been with the San Pedro from its inception and for the last year had charge of reconstruction of constructed lines. Mr. Moore will commence work of survey of permanent line on Salt Lake & Bingham at once.

It is understood that Col. Moore handed in his resignation some time ago, but it was not finally accepted by the San Pedro until yesterday.

F. B. SEMPLE GETS IT.

Made Chief Clerk to General Passenger
Agent Hooper of D. & R. G.

City Passenger Agent Frank B. Semple of the Rio Grande at Denver has been appointed chief clerk to General Passenger Agent S. K. Hooper, effective Sept. 1. Mr. Semple attended to the duties formerly performed by T. E. Swann, assistant general passenger and ticket agent who resigns at the end of the month. The office of assistant general passenger agent was abolished a few days ago, so Mr. Semple will really hold that position without the title, however. The successor to Mr. Semple as city passenger agent has not yet been named.

WHAT M'CORMICK SAYS.

Director of San Pedro Says Harriman
Owns Half Interest.

W. S. McCormick, director of the San Pedro and the Oregon Short Line, is in Arizona looking into a mine there. On Wednesday he was in Los Angeles and gave out an interview regarding the Salt Lake Route. The following special dispatch from Los Angeles to the Salt Lake Railway company, dated Aug. 11, deals with the subject:

Regarding the hitherto unsettled question as to whether the Harriman interests are concerned in the ownership of the Salt Lake railroad or not, W. S. McCormick, a well known banker of Salt Lake City and a director in the Salt Lake Railway company, stated today in an interview that it is an open secret that the Harriman and Clark people are interested jointly in the road, each party owning exactly half of the stock of the road.

McCormick has recently made a trip over the already completed portion of the road, and states that it is expected that the construction of the line will be finally completed by December 1. About 80 miles yet remain to be constructed, part of which has already been graded. The completion of the road and its opening to traffic will be attended with elaborate ceremonies at the point of juncture of the two ends of the line and at the two terminal points. The management of the road expect to reduce the running time between Salt Lake and Los Angeles to 24 hours.

TRAFFIC SPECIALIST.

Still Another High Priced Appointment
By Harriman For Economy.

Chicago, Aug. 18.—J. W. Midgley has been employed by the Hill, Harriman and other big railroad interests to study the feasibility of applying the clearing house system to railroading and to devise a plan for so doing. Mr. Midgley's duty is to show the railroad men how business principles can be applied to the use of railroad equipment, how economies can be effected in the handling of freight at terminals and how big savings can be made in the settlement of inter-company accounts.

The most important and promising of these reforms is said to be the development of important tonnage centers of extensive clearing yards.

John William Midgley was formerly chairman of the Western Freight association in Chicago. He is now in the country who is better fitted for the important work outlined. He is well known in Utah and numbers friends by the score among western railroad men. He is 41 years of age and has entered the railroad service as a stenographer in April, 1888. As secretary to the general manager and president of the Chicago & North Western he came into touch with traffic problems early in his career. In October, 1898 he was appointed secretary of the Southwestern Railroad Rate association. Two years later he was appointed commissioner for the same organization, a position he held with credit for nine years. In the meantime he was appointed in addition commissioner Colorado Traffic association and later the Pacific Coast Line association and to a similar position on the Pacific Coast association. April 1, 1897, he was appointed chairman Associated Southwestern, Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast Lines, and was chairman of the Western Freight association until the dissolution of that organization in May, 1898.

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line is extended it will result in opening up one of the richest mineral belts in Nevada.—Reno Journal.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

L. M. Mosley, traveling freight agent for the Illinois Central at Chicago, is in the city today.

Traveling Freight and Passenger Agent Powell of the Illinois Central returned this morning from a trip to Montana.

Mr. Shattuck, the general representative of the B. & O., is once more retelling good stories around the streets of Salt Lake. His stay will be brief.

The Oregon Short Line is running from Idaho today the last popular rate excursion of the year to the sea shore points of Astoria and Columbia river points.

The Rio Grande is doing a big passenger business both east and west. The recent trouble on account of storms has now been cleared up in readiness for the big run of special trains next week.

General Freight and Passenger Agent Gillett of the Salt Lake Route is collecting data as to the amount of freight that will be forthcoming from the orange districts of Southern California next spring.

Among the latest attractions at the Rio Grande city ticket office here is a huge trout which is stuffed and mounted. The fish weighed when caught in the Gunnison river at Cobella, Colo., nine pounds one ounce. H. M. Cushing, the traveling passenger agent of the Rio Grande, claims to have caught it on the occasion of his last visit to the famous Colorado fishing resort.

One Woman Among the Thousands.

We received a letter from Waycross, Ga., from a woman who had been troubled with nervousness for a long time until she was reduced to almost a shadow. It affected her mind, she could not rest, she was nervous and irritable, she could hardly sleep. She described her case as one of thousands of other women, and then ended the letter by saying she had gained in her last month and never felt so well in her life, having no trace of her former troubles, and she offered her thanks with a smile. She commenced the use of Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic just six weeks ago. It is a tonic in which is tablet form, and should be taken right after meals and after the food you eat into strong, rich blood, feeding the nerves and curing disease by building healthy flesh. It is a tonic for the weak, the nervous, the pale, the sick, the old, the young, the feeble, the weak, thin people should use this Tonic. For sale by Z. C. M. I. Drug Department.

BOB MIXES MATTERS.

Borrowed Money from a Bartender on
False Representation—Now Thinking.

A fellow who says his name is Bob Ingersoll, was arrested last night by Detective Shannon on the charge of obtaining money from a bartender by false representation. Ingersoll represented to a bartender that he had money on deposit in the saloon, and on this misrepresentation induced the mixer to give him \$10.

A DOCTOR'S TROUBLES.

"Capt. John Rost, the physician who has proved that Dr. Shannon is an excellent remedy for cancer, has a brilliant, unexpected sort of wit," said a surgeon of New York.

"Capt. Rost was for a time in private practice. He was well, he effected some remarkable cures; but he had no patience with the imaginary ailments of a certain type of rich persons, and, to escape treating people who were not really sick, he turned to original research."

"A matron of wealth was one of Capt. Rost's early patients. She was never ill, but eternally feared that some dreadful disease was about to attack her."

"One afternoon she sent for Rost post haste. He found her in a first-rate health. She was sitting at a table, on account of the dampness, it might be unwise for her to go to the theater that evening."

"Go, by all means. It won't hurt you," said Dr. Rost.

"Then he took his leave. But as he was putting on his gloves in the hall, a servant called him back. The woman whom he was going to attend said: 'Oh, doctor, she said on his return, 'I wanted to ask you if I might eat some oysters after the theater.'"

"Yes, madam," he answered gravely; "shells and all."

ROSCOE CONKLING'S BIG FEE.

It is said that one day, when Roscoe Conkling was beginning to attain some measure of success, he dropped into the office of Charles O'Connor of New York, then one of the leaders of the bar.

"What's the trouble?" asked the latter, as Conkling excitedly paced the floor.

"I've just been subjected to the worst insult I ever received. This is the first time a client ever objected to my fee."

"You know I defended Gibbons for arson, and put in some tremendous work for him. He was convicted at the trial, but we couldn't help it, and I took the case to the superior court and we lost there, then on to the supreme court and that affirmed the conviction and he has been given 16 years. Now my fee only amounted to \$3,000, and the scoundrel actually had the audacity to grumble at my fee, saying it's too high. What do you think of that for impudence?"

"Well," said O'Connor, slowly, "of course you did a lot of work, and \$3,000 is not a big fee, but to be frank with you, Mr. Conkling, my opinion, founded on mature consideration, is that he might have been convicted for less money."—Success.

RETURNED MISSIONARIES.

Have you a friend or acquaintance in your former field of labor, to whom you would like to send a copy of the Semi-Weekly News? If so, take advantage of our special offer, made to aid the great missionary work. We send the paper one year to any point in the United States, Canada or Mexico at half price, \$1.00. This does not apply to points where there are regular wards or stakes. Foreign postage

UTAH, IDAHO, THE WORLD.

Three new maps, just issued, Utah and Idaho on one side, the World on the reverse side, including names of countries and towns according to the 1900 census, with a brief sketch of every country in the world. Size 27x35 inches, value 75 cents; sent to any address for 50c. Address: Western News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP. NOTICES.

Consult County Clerk or the respective signers for further information.

MATT SCHOEBERT ARRAIGNED TODAY

Charged With Being Accessory
After the Fact in Murray
Murder Case.

BAIL WAS FIXED AT \$2,500

No Clue as to Whereabouts of Murderer
—Another \$100 Reward is Posted
for Apprehension.

Matt Schoebert, the bartender at the saloon where the fatal stabbing affair occurred on last Friday night at Murray, was arraigned before Justice Culbertson this morning on the charge of being an accessory after the fact. He entered a plea of not guilty and his bail was fixed at \$2,500, in default of which he will remain in jail. The officials believe that they have a good case against Schoebert, as they have several witnesses who saw Ziegler hand his knife to Schoebert after he had stabbed Favro, and saw the bartender put it under the bar.

No clue has as yet been found as to the whereabouts of the murderer. A report was received at a police headquarters last night that a man resembling Ziegler had slept in a barn owned by J. R. Thompson at 272 South Seventh street. Officers Taylor and Horace Heath were sent to investigate the matter, but could find no trace of the man.

Another \$100 has been added to the reward offered for the capture of Ziegler. Louis Sklar, Creek labor agent, of the Rio Grande Western, has authorized Sheriff Emery to offer that additional sum in his behalf.

O. S. L. SUED FOR \$25,000.

W. H. Davis Brings Action for Damages
On Account of Accident.

A damage suit was filed in the district court today by William H. Davis against the Oregon Short Line Railroad company to recover \$25,000 for personal injuries received by plaintiff at Kemmerer, Wyo., on the night of Feb. 13, 1904. It is alleged that plaintiff was driving on a public highway near Kemmerer in a sleigh at the time of the accident and that at a point where the defendant's track stops just at the intersection of the road some cars had been pushed over the end of the track, thus blocking the road. Plaintiff's horses shied out of the road to go around the cars and overturned the sleigh, dumping plaintiff out in a ravine and on the ground, legs and arms to his damage in the sum stated above.

COURT NOTES.

Suit for divorce has been filed in the district court by Rena Smoot against C. P. Smoot on the ground of non-support. They were married at Provo on Dec. 29, 1896, and have one child, of which plaintiff asks the custody.

Susanna Duxey, aged 54 years, is the plaintiff in a divorce suit filed in the district court yesterday afternoon against William Duxey, whom she married in this city on April 29, 1893. She alleges that her husband is in the habit of coming home in an intoxicated condition and that he has been violent and vile names and violently shaking her. She asks that she be awarded their home and also a reasonable sum as alimony.

Judge Hall today granted Cordelia Piger a divorce from Robert A. Piger on the grounds of drunkenness and failure to support. Mrs. Piger was also awarded \$25 per month as alimony and \$50 as attorney's fees.

Suit for divorce was filed in the district court today by Flora Stamps

Keith-O'Brien Co.