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Idaho Sugar Quarrels Coer

Long-Standing Difficulties Between Blackfoot Citizens and Soren Hanson Are Settled by the Latter Paying \$6,500 Out of His Own Pocket, as a Sate for Damaged Business Interests—Means More Beet Planting.

(Special to the "News.") Blackfoot, Idaho, May 23.—The long standing difficulties between various people in Blackfoot and Soren Hanson of Hyrum, Utah, growing out of the failure to establish a sugar factory here, have been closed up by compromise. It will be remembered that Mr. Hanson proposed to organize a sugar factory here, and that the articles of incorporation were duly executed, he signing for a great share of the capital. Afterwards he joined the Utah and eastern promoters, who decided to locate a factory at Idaho Falls, claiming that the agreements of the Blackfoot people had not been lived up to, and that the articles of incorporation had been filed in violation of his understanding. Later the Blackfoot company, which had the name of the Idaho Sugar Co., obtained an injunction preventing the Idaho Falls company from using the same title. This injunction was modified, however, until the case could be heard in court. As the matter has now been definitely disposed of, the case will be dismissed, the Blackfoot company will disincorporate or change its name, and the field will be left free to the Idaho Falls concern.

ROOSEVELT'S PICTURES FREE.

Committee Purchases Ten Thousand for Gratuitous Distribution and Decoration in the Business District—Tabernacle Services to Last Only One Hour.

At the meeting of the committee on the president's reception, held at Mayor Thompson's office last night, it was decided that 10,000 large sized pictures of President Roosevelt should be purchased and distributed free around the business section of the town for decoration purposes. The expectation is that most of the business houses will give a holiday until 1 o'clock p. m., as there will be very little business doing while the parade is going on. At that hour the president leaves the town for Ogden. The tabernacle exercises will commence at 10 o'clock and be over about 11.

FATAL EXPLOSION ON STEAMER.

Occurred on the Coban of the Black Diamond Line—Saloon Destroyed—One Waiter Killed—Two Passengers Missing—Thought They Were Thrown Overboard.

Quebec, May 23.—The steamship Coban of the Black Diamond line from Sydney, C. B., for Montreal, which passed inward off Matane last yesterday, signalled that an explosion had occurred on board which completely destroyed the saloon and blew up the poop deck. Three iron beams were also broken in the lower deck. A waiter was killed and two steers passengers are missing and are thought to have been thrown overboard by the force of the explosion.

THE RELIANCE IS A GREAT BOAT.

Matinecock, Point, L. I., May 23.—Although the victory of Reliance over Columbia on Thursday is sufficient in the minds of many to stamp her as the ultimate defender of the America's cup against Shamrock III, a large number of yachting enthusiasts came down to the sound today to see her match her sailing ability against Columbia and Constitution.

MORE CYCLONES STRIKE KANSAS.

Kansas City, May 23.—A special to the Star from Manhattan, Kan., says a cyclone passed over the western part of the Rier county last evening, traveling in a northwesterly direction. At Hala, on the Rock creek, two people were killed and 12 injured, several, it is thought, fatally. Railroad traffic was blocked for some time on account of great trees and debris being blown on the track. The storm was accompanied by a heavy rain and hail storm, stones as large as hen's eggs falling. Many dwellings and out-buildings were wrecked.

Will Race Shamrock I.

New York, May 23.—American yachting men are planning to challenge the yacht club in particular will probably be

DESERET TELEGRAPH NEWS.

TRUTH AND LIBERTY. SATURDAY, MAY 23, 1903. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. FIFTY-THIRD YEAR.

SHEEP LOSSES HAVE BEEN HEAVY

This Much is Conceded by Leading Wool Growers.

ARE NOT ANXIOUS TO TALK.

Dying by Hundreds Along the Tetons—Varying Opinions as to Actual Losses. Reports are commencing to come in of heavy losses in live stock, especially among the ewes and lambs, owing to the big storm this week. While it is somewhat difficult to arrive at any facts, everyone interested in the sheep business, when seen, admits that the losses have been very heavy. Especially does this hold good among flocks along the Wasatch range which have been driven to the summer range after shearing. The major portion of the flocks are among timber, consequently are on the snow line and have felt the full extent of the storm.

From a general roundup this morning there seems to be no question that the losses will amount to 25 per cent since last fall, while the price of the lambs that have been dropped during the past week in many cases has been 100 per cent. The loss of the heaviest losses is said to be Sam D. Nichols of Wallburg, Utah, who out of a flock of 2,000, has lost 1,300 since March 1. These sheep, he thought, were in good condition and are now on the Wasatch range. Big head, too, is responsible for great losses. Aaron Garfield of Sandy is said to have lost 15,000 sheep in the past few hours they were in the pen at Iron Spur. Two small trainloads that went up from Tooele this morning were reported to the extent of 100 head for each trainload through this cause. So great have been the losses from "big head" in this region that government aid has been called upon to stay the disease and Dr. McBurney, a government veterinarian, has been sent to the scene to see what can be done. It is generally admitted that this disease attacks poor and poor animals, so the general condition can be gathered.

WORK WILL GO ON.

So Says Supt. Read in Regard to Double Track on First Street.

Railway & Power company does not anticipate that there will be any trouble in carrying out the work on the double track on First street, despite the fact that a minority of the residents on that street have protested against this work. The fact that the work is being carried out in the present instance as the work is a practically new franchise that was recently granted by the city council. Mr. Read says that the improvement will have the effect of relieving the pressure of traffic at Eagle Gate as the cars coming down the hill will turn to the right on reaching upper State street and will traverse North Temple street until East Temple is reached, when they will swing south. In an interview he said and put the situation to a double track. We are putting in the double track on First street as well as the safety of the public demands a double track on that street. It is a dangerous piece of road to operate with only a single track. In what weather by such a move. The grade is a heavy one and we want to avoid it if we can. We are not trying to steal anything to evade the law. The council gave us the right to do this work and we will do it. The grade has been changed since the single track was put through. That portion of the city has grown and as the city spreads out in that quarter will necessitate a quicker service. We will have to put on more cars and run them oftener. The report that we are going to use the street for some of our other lines to release South Temple street is not correct.

LOSSES ALONG THE TETONS.

C. Ira Tuttle, general livestock agent for the Oregon Short Line, who kept thoroughly posted on the livestock situation, said: "The heaviest losses seem to be in the foothills east of Idaho Falls and up along the Snake river valley. There are a few flocks in the 'big head' while there is not a lamb left after this storm. The government is sending a man up there to look into the matter and to see if he can be of any help. There were two shipments of sheep from Tooele that have each lost 500 head since they arrived. There are also a few flocks in the mountains that have lost a large number of sheep. Up in Montana the losses are the most part in sheep, as the cattle are getting along fairly well, but there is no use in making things worse than they are."

ESSENTIAL SAYS JERMAINE.

Speaking of the matter today, W. E. Jermaine, a resident of First street, said: "I have been a first class member of the B. Y. A. for many years. I have seen a lot of sheep and I know that double track is absolutely essential to the safety of the public. These cars, who are protesting do not have to ride, they can walk, they live so close, while we have to ride anyhow and should have some consideration."

OPERA AT PROVO.

"Erminie" Presented by Students of B. Y. A. Last Night. Prof. J. J. McClellan returned this morning from Provo where he went to attend the presentation of the opera of "Erminie" in the Opera house by the dramatic association of the B. Y. A. academy, under the direction of Prof. Lund. There were about 30 students on the stage and the chorus. Prof. McClellan says, showed the results of the careful and conscientious training they had been subjected to under the direction of Prof. Lund. The Salt Lake organist was delighted with the work done by the students, and thinks that in Prof. Lund they have an instructor of unusual proficiency.

OLD TELEGRAPHER DEAD.

Charles Tracey, known all over the country as an expert telegrapher, died at the Holy Cross hospital here today of a long illness. Mr. Tracey spent nearly 10 years in the employ of the Associated Press and at different times worked at nearly every important point in the United States. Tracey was about 70 years of age. He has relatives in Bangor, Maine.

Postmaster Thomas is Safe.

Such is the Opinion in Washington—Report of Investigation of Salt Lake Postoffice by Special Inspectors Put in Hands of Experts—It is Said to be Very Voluminous and Somewhat Mixed Up.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., May 23.—The report of the investigation of the Salt Lake postoffice has been put in the hands of experts by the postmaster-general. The report is very voluminous, and considerably mixed up. Assistant Postmaster-General Wynne said it would be some time yet before the report would be made public, but he believes that Postmaster Thomas will be safe.

HADLEY LINDLEY CALLED HOME.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, May 23.—The grim reaper has gathered in another of Ogden's prominent and active business men, this time it is Hadley A. Lindley, who died this morning at 3:30 at the family residence on Grant avenue, after only a few days' sickness.

ROUGH RIDERS ENTHUSIASTIC.

Will Turn Out En Masse to Greet The President.

Reports from various committees throughout the state continue to come in to Chairman Heywood of the parade committee, which indicate that there will be a very large turnout of riders for the street demonstration in honor of the president's visit.

ARRIVAL OF SAN PEDRO PEOPLE.

R. C. Kerens and T. E. Gibbon Came in This Afternoon and Went Direct to Park City—Senator Clark Will Arrive Tomorrow for the Big Meeting.

ALTMAN ON BULL HILL DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Cripple Creek, Colo., May 23.—The town of Altman, on top of Bull Hill, known as the highest incorporated city in the United States, was almost totally destroyed by fire which started at 2 o'clock this morning in the Altman hotel. As the volunteer firemen, headed by C. H. Ward and Sheriff Hargis, were unable to reach the hotel, the fire spread rapidly and the flames were finally checked by blowing up several buildings with dynamite.

BUCKET SHOP RAIDED.

Chicago, May 23.—The offices of George T. Sullivan, 233 LaSalle street, were raided by the police today and 50 men who were assisting in the raid were arrested. Sullivan is charged with operating a bucket shop and swindling his patrons.

NOTICE TO BISHOPS.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dear Brethren—Preparations are being made to appropriately celebrate, on June 1, 1903, the 162nd anniversary of the birth of the late President Brigham Young. We would be pleased to see the people take an active interest in this event, that the demonstration may be worthy of the occasion.

Crowd Around Morgue in Door.

Were Awaiting Information as to Identification of Victims of the Terrible Elevator Accident at the Donnelly Building, Pittsburg, During a Dance—Bodies Badly Mutilated—Coroner Institutes a Most Rigid Investigation.

Pittsburg, May 23.—It was almost noon today before all of the victims of the frightful elevator accident at the Donnelly building, during the Electro-Mechanical Institute ball last night, were identified. Large crowds surrounded the entrance of the morgue all night, awaiting information as to the identification of the four bodies that had been taken there from the scene of the accident and distorted that thorough identification was only possible through marks on the clothing worn, and as some had no marks on their clothing identification was impossible until friends inquired for them because missed from their homes.

THE DEAD.

Miss Mamie Curtis, 18 years old, of Hazlewood, Pa.
Miss Susie Flannigan, 19, of 477 Woodland avenue, Allegheny.
Rayden P. Plohr, 28, of McKee's Rocks.
Nellie C. Sweeney, 18.
Thirteen people were cut and bruised but with the exception of an unidentified man who is unconscious at the hospital, all are expected to recover.

ORATORICAL CONTEST.

Final to be Held in Assembly Hall Next Saturday Night. The final in the oratorical contest conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. M. I. A. of this stake, will be held in the Salt Lake Assembly Hall on Saturday night next, May 30, at 8 o'clock. There will be four contestants, C. H. Carlsrud of the Fifth ward, Nephi Cottam of the Twenty-fourth ward, C. S. Booth of the Twentieth ward, and J. B. Smith of the Thirty-third ward.

RECLAIM ARID LAND.

Portland, Ore., May 23.—The reclamation service of the United States government has plans on foot at the present time whereby over 220,000 acres of arid land in Malheur county will be reclaimed from the desert and irrigated at an expense of \$2,500,000.

PROSELYTIN ASSEMBLY.

Los Angeles, May 23.—There was only one of the Presbyterians general assembly today. An adjournment was taken at noon in order that the constitutional convention might be held in the afternoon for their entertainment by the local committee. Special trains were boarded at 1 o'clock at the station at Long Beach.

COLORADO DECLINES.

Denver, Colo., May 23.—Colorado has again declined, in a communication from the governor to the secretary of state at Washington, to reimburse William Ratcliffe, an Englishman, for his property at Grand Mesa lakes, which was burned by a mob two years ago. The refusal is based upon a report from the district attorney at Grand Junction that he could ascertain no facts which would make it incumbent on the state to pay damages.

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