GAY KING CARNIVAL.

The Press Club Masked Ball an Overwhelming Success.

LIST OF MASQUERADERS.

Two Hundred and Twenty-Six People Attired in Character.—The Gorgeous Decorations.—The Prize Winners.

The Salt Lake Press Club rose from the place of an experiment, and established itself in all the dignity of one of the fixed institutions of the city, by the enormous success of its masked carnival at the Theater last evening. In the way of decorations, nothing in the history of the city has in any way approached it as a financial success it has had few equals, the receipts amounting to the handsome figure of $1075, with the matinee this afternoon yet to hear from, and as a social and enjoyable event it takes place among the foremost of the many successes which have made the club famous.

The affair started off at half past 9 o'clock with a blare of trumpets that rent the curtain up and disclosed the stage crowded with figures gay, fantastic, brilliant and grotesque in bewildering confusion. As the march proceeded the masks paired off and two by two made the grand tour of the house, amid a tempest of laughter and comment, the first applause being drawn by the delineation of a dude in checkered clothes, drawing after him a pug dog. There were just 140 masks who participated in the grand procession, but the number was largely augmented by late arrivals, and at 11 o'clock when the affair was at its height and the floor crowded with characters there were probably no fewer than 225 people participating in the festivities.

At that hour, the scene, viewed from the rear of the stage, was one of oriental magnificence—a veritable Arabian Nights vision. The entire space overhead was a bewildering but harmonious arrangement of monster Japanese umbrellas, smaller parasols and fans, graceful festoons of Chinese lanterns; it is said there were 1500 of these employed in the decorations. It was almost impossible to get a glimpse of the ceiling through the profusion of the hangings overhead; they were draped from the circles, the floor, the arch and fell in immense graceful folds to the four sides of the house. The first gallery was a regular tree-work of the three newspapers of the city, with their title pages outward, while a fantastic assortment of sashes, saddles, boots, horse shoes, etc., was displayed at intervals between the papers. The proscenium boxes were tanned with a tasteful display of plants. A calcium light threw various colors on the figures of the dancers, and the changing colors, added greatly to the glamor of the scene. On the floor everything was represented—Indians, cowboys, knights, Japanese, Dianas, fairies, troubadours, mingled in hopeless confusion; here an inky clothed Hamlet held grave converse with a pert butterfly; there a Sir John Falstaff and a pretty little harlequine of the piazza paraded in solemn silence; in another place an Indian organ grinder and his monkey sought to wheedle coins from an Irish washerwoman and a hopeless "simplicity" of the modern school; a beautiful Greek paraded with a cowboy; Spartans rested lonely on a tambourine girl; and everywhere there was the same hilarious and incongruous pairing off. The dancing by the characters continued until about midnight, when the prompter called on all to unmask, sir! amid a storm of ejaculations and wonderment, the masks were allowed to drop, and the next ten minutes were given up to hilarity. After this, many people in evening dresses took the floor, and the dancing was thrown open to all.

THE CHARACTERS.

It would be impossible to give an accurate list of all the characters represented, but the following are those noted down as the most unique people passed by in the grand march:

Mr. C. E. Stanton and Miss Amy Walker, king and queen of the carnival.
Miss Pierce, Spring.

THE GRAND MARCH.

Miss Little Phelps, Fairy.
Miss Jenny Baker, Folly.
Mrs. Stinson, Quaker Lady.
Mrs. Schofield, School Girl.
Mrs. L. Stevens, Domino.
Mrs. Rogers, Dominos.
Mrs. S. J. Pollock, Domino.
Miss Daisy Newman, Baby.
Miss Amy Walker, Carnival Queen.
Miss Mary Brown, Dancing Girl.
Miss Mary Orton, Queen of Stars.
Miss Tyler, Valentine.
Miss Stevens, Fool.
Mrs. Geary, Spanish Gipsy.
Miss Blanche Chadwick, Vivandiere.
Miss Grace Chadwick, Modern Juliet.
Miss Florence Drake, Yum Yum.
Miss Ores Cady, Sailor Girl.
Mrs. Willie, Amerina.
Mrs. Wall, Music.
Miss Appleby, Enchantress.
Miss Tate, Huntress.
Gertie Bailey, Red Riding Hood.
Kate McAllister, Ace of Hearts.
Ella Brewster, Russian Princess.
Ella Hyslop, Spanish Dancer.
Miss May Fleek, Domino.
Mrs. Henry, Irish Widow.
Mrs. Newman, Jockey.
Miss Mabel Newman, Folly.
Miss May Jones, Jockey.
Mrs. Gibson, Widow.
Miss Mae Dye, Juliet.
Miss Pearl Sharp, Queen.
Miss Ida Cree, Lady of the Empire.
Miss Cowell, Corner Boss.
Miss Sadie Gilbert, Lady Godiva.
Mrs. J. W. Farrell, Glove Queen.
Virginia Farrell, Daily Verdict.
Miss Hacker, Domino.
Mrs. W. A. Robertson, Lady Grey.
Nellie Beckstead, St. Valentine.
Mrs. Wormsmith, Red Riding Hood.
Mrs. H. J. E. Webster, Red Riding Hood.
Nellie Gladstone, Sunflower.
Miss Miller, Sweet Louise.
Miss Burns, Mermaid.
Miss Greenwood, Rosalind.
Margaret Reed, Montana.
Mrs. S. Gudgin, Queen of Hearts.
Mrs. Lizzie Gudgin, School Girl.
Mrs. T. F. O'Malley, Ann Hindu.
Mrs. Woodmansee, Domino.
Miss Ella West, Roseola.
Mrs. Cogle, Black and Yellow Folly.
Miss Haight, American Flag.
Tera Bankofsky, Domino.
Nellie Perkins, Domino.
Mrs. W. H. Reed, Tambourine Girl.
Carrie Chandler, Night.
Miss Annie Stromberg, Gypsy.
Miss Maggie Tanner, French Queen.
Mrs. J. F. Hughes, Night.
Mrs. L. H. Tyler, Morning.
Miss Addie Caroline, Butterfly.
Miss Amy Powers, Troubadour.
Mrs. Chesley, Wan Yum.
Miss Shoaf, Domino.
Miss Bessie Gallagher, Pop Corn Girl.
Miss Ida Wingland, Gipsy Queen.
Mrs. Minnie Cutsinger, Queen of Hearts.
Miss Ellen Jones, Cinderella.
Miss Tracy Lind, Queen of Night.
Mrs. George Lehrich, Joan of Arc.
Mrs. Rosa, Gypsy Lady.
Mrs. A. R. Lawrence, Infanta.
Mrs. John Egan, Green Folly.
Mrs. Miller, Summer.
Miss Sanders, of Logan, Tambourine Girl.
Miss Mamie Nelson, Domino.
Mrs. Lizzie Gillespie, Domino.
Miss Maude Moss, Fairy Lamp.
Miss Daisy Smedley, Little Lord Fauntleroy.
Mrs. Walt Spring.
Mrs. E. M. Moss, Queen.
Mrs. Isbell, Irish Lassie Abroad.
Mrs. A. C. Rees, Domino.
Mrs. Fanny Sharp, Domino.
C. M. Jackson, Mephistopheles.
Percy Perkins, Sailor.
Fred Dennis, Clown.
G. Pierce, Dandy.
Mr. S. J. Pollock, Domino.
F. C. Standley, Grecian Peasant.
T. R. Jones, Jewel Box.
Mike Donovan, Cow Boy.
Mike Sullivan, Cow Boy.
Peter Fleming, 49 Irish Fusiler.
C. J. Lowry, Harlequin.
R. J. Underwood, Domino.
Lellar Sommer, Tambourine.
Milton L. Oglesby, Mazeppa.
Frank Hoggan, Prince of Darkness.
George N. Lee, Indian Squaw.
A. D. Northbrook, Cardinal.
J. T. Wall, Domino.
Lee Hayward, Sandhoger.
Hiram Rendall, Sandhoger.
A. Wilson, German Peasant.
J. R. Smith, Gypsy Chief.
J. H. Brinkley, "Hoss."
F. A. Dodge, Ace of Diamonds.
J. D. Cutler, Ace of Clubs.
E. L. Perry, Ace of Spades.
A. Gustafson, Cr Footmen.
A. J. Watt, Domino.
George Armstrong, Domino.
E. G. Pierce, Soldier.
J. R. Clinton, English Dude.
William Dyer, Gypsy King.
W. W. Maynard, Fireman.
J. Hirschman, King Coal.
S. L. Woodmansee, Clown.
F. W. Cole, Ghost.
H. P. Phillips, Domino.
J. A. Greenwald, Domino.
David Keeler, Captain de Merlinos.
Thomas Kerns, Nine Spot of Diamonds.
E. W. Kessler, Sultan of Turkey.
Dr. J. Keyser, Prince.
L. Mowery, Indian Chief.
James Anderson, Scotch Piper.
Ed H. Gaspar, Minstrel from Dahomey.
Alma Sharp, Mephisto.
F. A. Owen, Crazy Quilt.
A. N. Rosenbaum, Prince Henry II.
G. W. Johnson, Clown.
J. G. Eccles, Scheiber.
E. H. Hamilton, Diamond Prince.
A. A. Fenner, White Sailor.
D. Heath, Mephistopheles.
Al Sickels, Domino.
Barlow Ferguson, Hunter.
W. C. McDonald, Japanese.
H. L. Pope, Sheet and pillow slip.
N. Chase, Domino.
F. F. Mason, Spanish King.
G. E. Lulach, Hooker.
F. H. McLain, Polish Prince.
Y. Hogg, Clown.
John Cain, Irish Prince.
W. McAllister, Italian Organ Grinder.
Mr. Donnie, Monkey.
J. H. Dexter, Sohrt.
S. J. McCarville, Hamlet.
Chief Sutton, Devil in Charge of Echo Canyon State.
E. K. Gillespie, Domino.
E. M. Miller, Monk.

First ladies' prize was awarded to Miss Addie Caroline, butterfly; the first gentleman's prize to Mr. James Anderson, Scotch piper.

The decorations were the work mainly of Mr. Will McAllister, who is entitled to be called an artist.

Mr. Will Sargent, the projector and general manager of the whole affair, covered himself all over with glory as a successful "worker up" and inciter of public interest.

Olsen's band was as capable as ever, though some effect was lost by having the instruments located in the gallery.

The supper, which fed the hungry in good and ample order, was the inspiration of mine Host Brand.

The matinee opens at 2 this afternoon and lasts till 10 o'clock tonight.

HISTORICAL.

One year ago today the members of the reportorial staffs of the various local daily newspapers met in the parlors of the Metropolitan hotel in response to a call by a number of newspaper men to discuss the advisability of organizing a Press club. As a result committees were appointed and a temporary organization effected. One week later the election and installation of officers took place at the Continental hotel as follows:

E. G. Irvine, president; J. H. Bloor, vice president; J. L. Hanson, recording secretary; Joseph Jenkins, corresponding secretary; Joseph Leipman, treasurer. H. C. Brownlee, Richard Wells, Will C. Higgins, J. R. Letcher, board of managers.

Since that time Messrs. Jenkins and Wells have left the Territory and their positions are now filled by William Nelson, Jr., and Grant H. Smith.

The objects of the club are to unite the members of the newspapers and other literary professions, further good fellowship, extend necessary aid and generally advance the interests of journalism.

Any person of good, moral character, not less than eighteen years of age, who has for one year been connected with the press of Salt Lake City, or elsewhere as proprietor, publisher, editor, reporter, correspondent, artist or author or who is engaged in literary pursuits is eligible to active membership.

At the outset the club was composed, as it is today, of representatives of every daily newspaper in the city. There have been the regular and usual struggles to keep the organization together. At times the task was not an easy one but it is now certain that the club is a permanent institution and one that promises to grow larger and stronger and more useful from this time forth.

SUITS ON PROMISSORY NOTES.

Three More of Them Filed in the Third District Court Today.

Peter Molloy began suit in the Third District court this morning against J. H. Clark and M. J. Clark, to recover $259.20 on a promissory note, with interest at one per cent per month from November 1st, 1890. Richards, Moyle & Richards are the plaintiff's attorneys.

The North American Savings, Loan and Building Co., a corporation doing business at St. Paul, Minnesota, has brought an action against Louis M. Byars to recover $500 on a promissory note secured by a mortgage, $50 attorney's fee, and costs. Smith, Lee & Gray are the plaintiffs' attorneys.

The National Bank of the Republic instituted proceedings today against William Greenbeck, S. S. Greenbeck and N. H. Greenbeck to recover $12,000 on a promissory note, with interest at one per cent per month from January 14 8, 1893, $1000 attorney's fee, also foreclose suit. Sutherland & Howat are acting as attorneys on behalf of the plaintiff.

VERY ENCOURAGING.

Secretary McDaniel is Delighted with the Prospect for Utah's Exhibit at the World's Fair.

A NEWS representative waited upon Secretary McDaniel this morning and learned from him the following interesting principles as the result of his recent visit to Chicago:

Utah's preparations for the opening of the World's Fair are well advanced. While in Chicago recently, the secretary, in company with Architect Dalgleish, made a thorough examination of the Utah building, and after comparing it with other buildings of a like character to the grounds the architect realizes the opinion that no state or territory could make a good showing in that direction as Utah, for the money expended.

A large number of Utah people visit the World's Fair grounds every week, and so far not a single Utah visitor has expressed the least dissatisfaction with the Utah building, but rather that a few minutes the outlook astonishing, which will be changed when the final coat of paint is put on in the spring. The secretary states that when all the interior decorations are in place in the Utah building no one will be ashamed to own himself of Utah at the World's Fair. The furnishings and inside decorations will not be placed until some time in April, so that everything will be fresh and bright for the opening.

The opening exercises on the first of May will be very simple in character. No speeches, dedication odes or orations will be delivered. The general director will officially notify the President of the United States that everything is in readiness, and President Cleveland will declare the Exposition open and start the machinery by touching a button.

The general buildings are all completed. A few of them have been adressed considerably by snow and ice this winter, but it will not require much time to repair them.

The Utah exhibits will be forwarded to Chicago on the 1st of March. Everything will be sent by freight. The secretary's office will be moved to Chicago in the first or next month and Mr. McDaniel will attend to the receiving and distribution of the exhibits to the several buildings. When everything has gone forward Executive Commissioner Ringer will proceed to Chicago and give his personal attention to the placing of exhibits.

Utah stands well at Chicago. The Fair officials are always willing to grant any reasonable request made by the commissioners, since the work of getting ready for the placing of our exhibit has been facilitated and in many instances materially advanced by reason of favors shown.

Utah will have exhibits in all of the principal departments and the display will be in every way a credit to the Territory. As a whole the exhibit will be a fair representation of the varied resources of the Territory.

Should the Fair be continued another year the experience gained this year will enable the commission to make a much better exhibit next time.

The suggestion to keep the Fair open two years has not been formally considered yet. There is a growing sentiment in favor of the proposition, and it is possible that before the close of the World's Fair the national commission will decide to continue the exposition for another year.

"The Mackaye Spectaterium."

There is being built at Jackson Park, Chicago, an immense building which will be used during the Columbian Exposition as the place where it is rumored a very noble presentment of the incidents of Columbus' voyage of discovery will be given. "The Mackaye Spectaterium," as this building is called, will cover an area of 500 by 200 feet, and the ideas that are there to be carried out originated with Mr. Steele Mackaye, and are said to be novel and unusual. The Columbian Celebration company, which is erecting the building and promoting the proposition, is composed of some of the best known men of Chicago, and is headed by Hon. Benj. Butterworth as President. Among the well-known Chicago gentlemen who are sponsors for the success of the enterprise are Messrs George N. Pullman, Marry Ryan, Franklin H. Head, Ignatz J. Cage, Leroy D. Tuttle, E. H. Butler, J. C. Hinsey and others of the prominence not often connected with anything of this nature. The Spectaterium proximate and accessories are to cost about $1,500,000 and the entire production will probably be given on a scale in which the arts are never appeared before. There are many mysteries contained in the production that promise to prove very fascinating, and what these are, and what the nature of them will be, the managers are at present intent to keep very quiet in order to protect the project from plagiarists, and that herd of irresponsible adventurers who haunt the heels of the inventor ready to pounce upon his ideas and appropriate them.

THE SALE WAS STOPPED.

A Restraining Order Issued Against the Assignee in the Cohn Bros. Failure.

The highest bid received at the intended sale by auction by the assignee, yesterday afternoon, of the remaining goods at the establishment of Cohn Bros., the Main street city goods merchants, who recently failed, was $20,000, and the offer came from Mr. Stolley, representing H. P. Claflin & Co. of New York, who have a $25,000 claim against the late firm. At this point, however, the proceedings were suddenly brought to a standstill as the result of a suit instituted by J. V. Farnsworth et al., who recently recovered judgments against Cohn Bros. in the sum of $3259.44. They filed an action against Emanuel Hahn, in the Third District court yesterday, for themselves and all other preferred creditors, to prevent him from selling the goods, as he had advertised to do yesterday. The plaintiffs allege that the same was to be sold with the goods and as said loan was subordinate it would prevent the goods from bringing as high a price as they would otherwise; further, that a number of unpreferred creditors desire to be represented at the sale and that it would take their agent four or five days to reach the city. Therefore they asked that the defendants be enjoined and restrained from selling the goods in bulk otherwise than by connecting and including the said loan and claim. Judge Zerich issued the restraining order for a period of ten days and this stopped the sale.

The following judgments were entered in the Third district court yesterday afternoon against the late firm:

Nonotuck Silk company vs. Louis Cohn et al; judgment for default in favor of the plaintiffs for $1274.

Bernheimer, Ullmann & Co. vs. Louis Cohn et al; judgment for plaintiffs for $913.

James McCreery et al. vs. Louis Cohn et al; judgment in favor of plaintiffs for $1272.

To a reporter Mr. Hahn, the assignee, stated last evening that it was possible that the store would be reopened and the goods disposed of at retail sale.

Builders and Traders.

From twenty-five to thirty builders and traders met in the chamber of commerce building last night to discuss the feasibility of forming an organization to be known as the Salt Lake Builders and Traders' Exchange. The committee on rooms announced that they had secured two rooms in the Progress block at a rental of $40 per month. The committee on constitution and by-laws asked for and was granted further time. A committee of three was appointed to confer with the officers of the Builders' Exchange with a view to purchasing their office fixtures.

Utah Mathematical Society.

The Utah Mathematical society meets at the university Saturday eve., Feb. 18, at 7:30 o'clock. The object of the society is to promote a clear general knowledge of the science of mathematics; to eradicate false notions as to its nature; and to demonstrate its usefulness in all the arts and sciences.

A special invitation is extended to all the teachers of the city, and to all interested in education.

PROVO LETTER.

An Arrest for Gambling.—A $5250 Damage Suit.—Tramps in the Ascendant.

Special Correspondence of the News.

PROVO, Feb. 14.—Billy Wilson, saloonkeeper, was arrested yesterday on a complaint charging him with permitting gambling in his place of business. The complaint was sworn to by Marshal Brown, who claimed to step into the saloon on Saturday last just in time to obtain direct evidence whereon to base his complaint. Wilson was arraigned before Justice Alexander and took until Monday next to plead to the charge.

In response to a communication from District Attorney Varian, the verdict of voluntary manslaughter returned against Captain W. L. Davis of Westwater has been set aside and a new trial has been granted.

The case at present occupying the attention of Judge Blackburn is that of Perry A. Thomas vs. Springville City, a suit brought on two counts for the recovery of $5250, damages alleged to have been sustained under the following circumstances: Mrs. Lovina Thomas, wife of plaintiff, attempted to drive across a bridge in Springville which had recently been mended to a raiser chimey manner on June 2, 1892. The horse became frightened and refused to go forward, but instead backed and continued to back until horse, buggy and driver went over the side of the bridge into the creek. The horse was not physically disabled, but became skittish through the occurrence; the buggy was demolished, and Mrs. Thomas suffered serious injury. The case will probably be concluded this evening.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Michael Vaughn, 69 years of age, and Jane M. Brain, 46 years of age, of Lehi; William J. Harper, 24 years of age, and Eva Wightman, 19 years of age, of Payson.

The tramp fraternity is rapidly growing in numbers and impudence in this city. Large numbers are nightly herded in the city jail.

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