

## DESERET EVENING NEWS

### WEATHER REPORT.

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 4 a. m. today:

Barometer reading at 4 a. m. 30.2 inches; temperature at 10 a. m. 77; maximum 82; minimum 53; mean 68, which is normal.

Deficiency of the daily mean temperature since the first of the month, 1 degree.

Excess in precipitation since Jan. 1, 2.20 inches.

R. J. HYATT,  
Local Forecaster.

### TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

6 a. m. 68  
8 a. m. 70  
10 a. m. 77  
12 m. 82  
2 p. m. 84  
4 p. m. 80  
6 p. m. 72  
8 p. m. 65  
10 p. m. 58  
12 m. 50

### YESTERDAY'S RECORD.

Highest 84  
Lowest 50

## The Semi-Weekly News.

Is issued Mondays and Thursdays and contains all the cream of the Daily and Saturday News.

### LOCAL BRIEFS.

Hugh Douglas, assisted by Prof. McClellan, will give a song recital in the First Congregational church later in the month.

The case against the Heath Brothers of the Salt Palace, charged with violating the liquor ordinance, will be heard by Judge Diehl on Wednesday next.

Rev. Dr. Paden preached last evening in the First Presbyterian church, an interesting discourse on friendship, the ideal type of which he said was the friendship of the Savior.

County Attorney Whitaker has found officially that Mrs. C. L. Herber's three-year-old child was smothered as the result of an accident, and the mother was in no wise accountable.

The real estate men will remove the Utah fair exhibit to the new information bureau headquarters on Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 10 a. m. The exhibit has been distributed a large quantity of literature to visiting dignitaries, and the park tent was crowded all day Saturday by curious strangers.

Three new members of the All Hallows college faculty have arrived. They are: Rev. William J. Gibbons of Alabama; Rev. John H. Hayes of Dublin; and Rev. J. P. Rie of Lakenburg. Rev. M. J. Murphy, for several years vice president of the college has been made president of Jefferson college, Jefferson, La., whither he has gone.

Fred B. Everett, secretary of the Utah Volunteer Firemen's association, has announced that the members thereof are requested to meet at their hall on Sunday at 2 p. m. to make arrangements for turning out on Labor day and participating in the Labor day parade. All old volunteer firemen are cordially invited to attend his meeting.

Mischiefous boys unharmed two horses at Calder's park Saturday night, and rebuffed them in the exchange. One animal belonging to Bert Barrett then walked home alone, leaving its owner to take the steers, and the other man actually drove home without discovering the transformation until later. Matters were straightened out yesterday.

Jesse A. Blow of Australia, brother of O. E. Blow of Tooele, has been declared sane by the court, and is now a resident of this city. He is a man of defective vision, and no visible means of support, and the Tooele brother has been notified that on filing a \$1,000 bond that the emigrant will not become a public support, the latter will be allowed to land; otherwise he must be returned to Australia.

The "News" had a pleasant call Saturday from William J. Meyer, special agent of the census bureau, who is here collecting data on railroad valuations in this state. The same to form an interesting part of a volume on "Wealth, Debt and Taxation in the United States." The gentleman came in last night from Wyoming and will proceed from here to the northwest.

Mrs. Meyer was a classmate of Al. Mithouab at the Michigan university and was being shown about the city by that gentleman today.

There was another interesting meeting yesterday morning, at the state prison of the local Society of Christian laborers. Miss Mary Mayne, the electionist president, and those who were addressed by W. E. Stinson, formerly president of the Christian union, Miss Mayne, the present vice president of the union; Miss Mabel Jones, Miss Mayne's sister and others. A feature of the day was a vocal duet by Miss Mabel Jones and her sister, Miss Mildred Jones. The prisoners were very attentive.

C. H. Hammer was arrested on Saturday by Sheriff Emery on the charge of stealing a bicycle several weeks ago from the west entrance to the city and county building. The wheel belonged to Alva Glover. Hammer was entering the joint building grounds at the time he was arrested, and it is thought by Sheriff Emery that he was intending to steal another wheel. Deputy Sheriff Joe Burdick succeeded in getting a confession out of Hammer after he had been lodged in the county jail, and the hands of several different owners since Hammer took it, will be returned to its rightful owner.

While it was the prevalent belief among local Masons that the Utah contingent at the San Francisco convocation would be very light at the last moment, this belief was happily shown to be a mistake, and a Pullman left Saturday night from this city, with these excursionists on board. Eminent Commander C. J. Francis, several weeks ago from the west entrance to the city and county building. The wheel belonged to Alva Glover. Hammer was entering the joint building grounds at the time he was arrested, and it is thought by Sheriff Emery that he was intending to steal another wheel. Deputy Sheriff Joe Burdick succeeded in getting a confession out of Hammer after he had been lodged in the county jail, and the hands of several different owners since Hammer took it, will be returned to its rightful owner.

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### MAJORITY MUST SIGN.

At Least Two Trustees Must Agree to Employment of Teachers.

In an opinion rendered upon request of the Carson county school trustees, Atty.-Gen. Breeden holds that a contract for the employment of a principal or teacher signed by only one member of the board is not legal, and that the majority of the board must vote for the employment of a teacher before he is legally employed. The opinion follows:

"A contract with a teacher signed under such circumstances is absolutely illegal. No teacher can be employed by individual members of any school board. There must be a meeting of the board called, and there must be a majority of the board vote for a man before he can be considered elected. A contract obtained otherwise is void."

### ANOTHER VETERAN.

Samuel K. Gifford Adds His Name to List of Jackson County Survivors.

Springdale, Washington Co., Aug. 31. I have just heard the report of Thomas J. Patten, who says he knows of 10 survivors of those who were driven from Jackson county, Mo. I myself was driven from there. Mr. Patten says he was baptized in 1838 at Clay county, Mo. I was baptized in 1838 at Jackson county, Mo. by Solomon Hancock. I was driven five times; came to Utah in 1850; lived in Mantle 13 years, and have resided in Dixie nearly 40 years. I am nearly 80 years old, blind and almost helpless. My residence is now in Springdale, Washington county, Utah. Oliver Demill, now of Rockville, this county, was also driven from Jackson county, Mo. I think Catherine Ellett Winger, who was driven from there, is still living in Monroe, Sevier county, Adella Demill Squire was born in Jackson county, Mo. She is a resident of Mantle. John Lawry is also of Mantle. I think his brother Abner is still living in Sanpete; perhaps there are others in Sanpete.

A short time ago there was a piece written in the "News" by Mary Rollin Lightner of Minersville, showing that she was still living. Whether her brother Henry is living yet or not I cannot say. I believe there are others in Mantle, but since I hunted up about 100 names some 20 odd years ago, which were published in the Deseret News, the greater part of them have passed away and but few now remain to return. I am the only surviving son of Alpheus Gifford, who was baptized in the fall of 1830 or very early in 1831. I have a sister, Rhoda Gifford Hatfield, living in Springville, Utah, who was driven from Jackson county, Mo.

Yours truly,

SAMUEL KENDELL GIFFORD.

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## SUDEN DEMISE OF BISHOP EMPEY

Well Known Citizen and Church Worker Passes Away After A Short Illness.

### PNEUMONIA CAUSE OF DEATH.

Was Bishop of the Thirteenth Ward And President of the D. A. & M. Society.

Bishop Nelson A. Empey, one of the best known citizens of this intermountain region, passed peacefully away at 5:30 yesterday afternoon at his residence, 180 east South Temple street. The



BISHOP N. A. EMPEY.

Bishop had been ailing for only a few days and his demise, therefore, will come as a great shock to his many friends, some of whom had not learned of his affliction.

The first sign of illness came on Wednesday night last when he complained of chills. On Friday he was feeling much better and hoped to be at his place of business in a day or two. Saturday, however, he was somewhat worse than the day previous and on Sunday morning, his physician, Dr. William T. Cannon, called in a number of physicians for consultation. They decided after a thorough examination, that the patient had a well advanced case of pneumonia, and that his chances for recovery were very slight. This proved to be the case, for despite all that loving hands and skilled medical attention could do for him, he gradually grew weaker and passed away as indicated above.

### HIS ACTIVE CAREER.

Nelson Adam Empey, Bishop of the Thirteenth ward, was the son of William Empey and Mary Ann Morgan and was born at Preston, Province of Ontario, Canada, May 7, 1837, and came with his parents to Nauvoo, Ill., about the year 1840. There the family resided until the exodus of 1846, when they came to Salt Lake City. Bishop's father was a farmer and his mother was a homemaker. Bishop was educated in the common schools of Nauvoo, and was a member of the Great Salt Lake Valley in 1848. The family located in this city, where Nelson has resided ever since. In 1855 he was called on by the missionaries to the White Mountains. The mission was in charge of David Evans, of Lehi, Utah county, and none of the brethren composing it were acquainted with the road, nor with the country through which they were to travel, but through the influence of Elder Empey, an Indian guide was secured at Pimlico, who piloted the party safely through. In September, 1855, he, with others, was called on a mission to the Elk Mountains, but having traveled as far as the Sevier river, the company with which he traveled received news that the settlers already there had been attacked by Indians and were forced to abandon their improvements and flee for their lives. Consequently the company sent out to strengthen the new colony returned. For a number of years he held the commission of captain of Company A (cavalry) in the Nauvoo Legion. During the "Buchanan war" he took a very active part in the defense, and did some excellent and important service. Together with three others (Geo. Grant, James McDonald and L. Ensign) he served as express messenger and was constantly on the move between this city and the camps in Echo canyon and other points. He brought most of the official messages which passed between Gov. Young and the army, and also President Buchanan's proclamation of pardon to the people of Utah. He was also employed as a special guard around the person of President Buchanan during his visit to the city. His daughters have since been married. For seven years he accompanied the president on most of his round trips in the territory. In early days he also participated in a number of dangerous Indian expeditions in which he exhibited much courage and skill. In 1867 he performed a mission to the Muddy (now in Nevada), where he lost everything he owned at that place by a disastrous fire. After his return from that mission he was engaged for some time on the Union Pacific Railroad, a contractor. In 1869-70 he filled a short mission to Canada, where he labored for several months among his relatives and friends, being enabled to allay considerable prejudice existing against the "Mormons" in Utah at that time. In 1877-78 he filled a mission to Great Britain, laboring in the Nottingham conference, part of the time as president of the same. In July,

1878, he was suddenly called home by a telegram, being wanted in connection with the administration of the Brigham Young estate. For many years he acted as one of the presidents of the Thirteenth quorum of Seventy, and on Dec. 21, 1881, was ordained to the office of counselor to Bishop Miller Atwood. On the death of the latter some years ago Elder Empey was called to succeed him as Bishop, a position he has filled with honor and credit ever since.

### HAD MANY FRIENDS.

Bishop Empey possessed many excellent qualities as a presiding officer in the Church. His charitable feelings toward the poor and the deep interest he took in even the humblest member of his ward, coupled with his natural kind and winning ways and his trueheartedness, won for him a multitude of friends. As a member of the Old Folks committee he exhibited great veneration and esteem for age, and in his business relations, being a member of the firm of Clark, Eldridge & Co., he was universally known for his honesty and reliability. For many years Bishop Empey has been connected with the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing society, first as director and vice president, and later as president, he having succeeded President John R. Winder in this position. To his untiring efforts is due largely the success of the state fairs.

### SURVIVING RELATIVES.

Bishop Empey leaves a wife and one

## CHURCH NOTICES.

The Tenth quorum of Seventy will hold its regular monthly meeting in the Second ward meeting house on Tuesday evening, Sept. 6, at 7:30.

The monthly meeting of the High Priests of the Ensign stake will be held in Room 24, Brigham Young Memorial building, next Monday evening, Sept. 5, at 7:30 o'clock. Brethren, please come to meeting. We very much desire to see you all.

HAMILTON G. PARK, JOSEPH H. FELT, LEVI W. RICHARDS, Presidency.

The regular monthly Priesthood meeting of Pioneer stake will be held Tuesday, Sept. 6, at 7 p. m. in the Seventh ward assembly rooms. All the Priesthood and especially the Priests, Teachers and Deacons, are urgently requested to attend this meeting.

WILLIAM M. LACHLAN, SYLVESTER Q. CANNON, CHARLES H. HYDE, Stake Presidency.

The High Priests' quorum of Liberty stake will hold its regular monthly meeting in the Second ward assembly hall on Monday, Sept. 5, at 7:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired. Elder C. W. Penrose will deliver a lecture on "Redemption of Zion."

JOSEPH BEDDINGTON, WILFORD WOODRUFF, JR., FRANCIS SCHOLTES, Presidency.

The stake and ward officers of the Y. M. M. L. A., Pioneer stake, including missionaries and class leaders, will meet in the Fifth ward assembly rooms on Thursday, Sept. 8, at 7:30 p. m., which meeting all concerned are urgently requested to attend.

ALEX. C. KAVAN, JR., EDWARD H. EARDLEY, HARRISON E. JENKINS, Stake Superintendency.

## TEMPLE NOTICES.

The Logan Temple will close on Friday, July 22, and re-open on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1904, at 8 a. m.

M. W. MERRILL, President.

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8-rm lights, 43 W 2nd St. \$25.00  
8-rm water, 335 E 6th St. \$25.00  
8-rm br, 62 S Main St. \$25.00  
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