



TRAINLOAD FRUIT FROM WM. M. ROYLANCE CO.

THE above is a picture of a train of fruit that was loaded and shipped one day in September, 1905, by the William M. Roylance company of Provo, Utah. Mr. Roylance is the oldest established and largest shipper of fruits and produce, honey, alfalfa seed, etc., in Utah. He has always maintained that the farmer and fruit grower were their worst enemies, because in seeking their potatoes, onions or other vegetables or in packing their peaches, apples or other fruits they invariably try to put trash into the middle of the sacks or boxes that is not fit for the market, and causes the

dealer to lose money and for this reason he has adopted a new method for packing fruits. He has the farmers bring their fruits to his warehouse, where he carefully sorts and packs it so that nothing but the very best is put onto the market. This firm ships fruits and vegetables to almost all parts of the United States and have the reputation of furnishing the very best in their line, and their goods are sought after where they are known. Mr. Roylance says they can not begin to fill their orders for fruits and would handle 10 times as much as are raised at the present time of the right varieties and quality. In alfalfa seed and honey they ship into foreign countries.

They pay to the farmers around Provo cash for their products an amount fully equal to that paid for sugar beets, so that the farmers should only raise the very best and increase their acreage so that such firms as the William M. Roylance company could be heartily supported which would insure them a cash market for their products. If outside buyers want the very best of fruits and produce, and to deal with a long established and thoroughly reliable house they will make no mistake in dealing with the William M. Roylance company of Provo, Utah. Mr. William M. Roylance himself is mayor of the city, showing that the people have confidence in his honesty, ability and integrity.

PROVO MEAT AND PACKING CO.

THE Provo Meat and Packing company is an institution that is much farther reaching in its dealings than is generally known. The business was begun in the year 1901 and at that time was the largest and best in the state. It was equipped for the general curing and packing of meats rendering of lard, etc. Soon after starting in business it became necessary to enlarge their facilities, their room and their equipment. Mr. T. C. Thompson, chief owner, took a representative of the "News" through the plant and certainly it was a great surprise to one the wonderful facilities therein installed. In the main store where the retail business is done a fine array of meats, green and fancy groceries, canned and preserved goods were in the array, the back ground is set with a series of the ice boxes or refrigerators in which are kept the choicest meats. At the rear of the building are three smoke houses and shipping arrangements, while the whole basement is equipped with freezing rooms. A dynamo to make power for an ice making machine, a bone grinder and sausage mill, a meat chopper, a steam boiler is placed for the various necessities of curing meats, heating of the building and rendering lard, etc. Mr. Thompson informed the writer that their market was extending to all parts of the western country radiating from Provo with a particularly good market between

Provo and Denver. The upper story of the building is elegantly fitted up for the Provo Commercial club with a complete suite of rooms, including a reception, smoking, buffet, bath, toilet and private rooms.

ELECTRICAL INTERESTS.

ARE looked after by Mr. B. B. Bachman who has been dealing in electrical supplies of all kinds; does electrical wiring and construction in all parts of the state. Mr. Bachman is a native citizen of Provo and enjoys the confidence of his people.

THE HINES-KIMBER GROCERY AND MEAT CO.

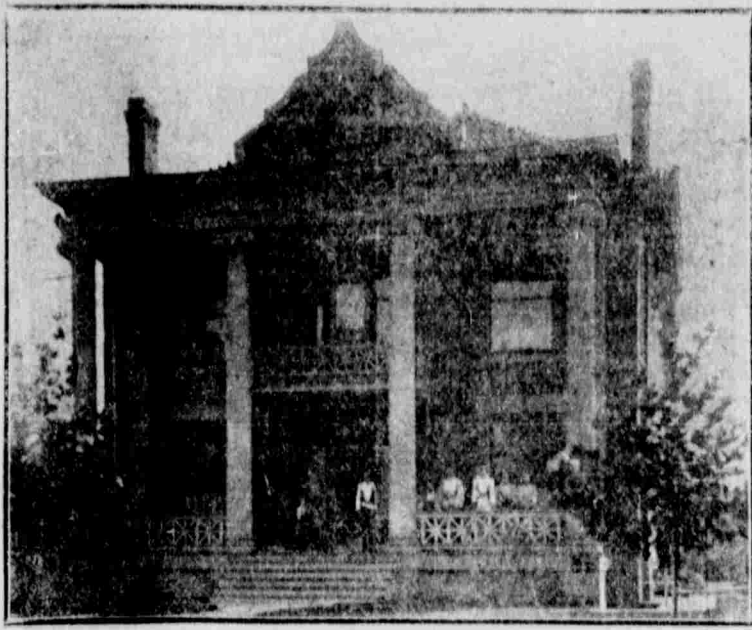
THE HINES-KIMBER GROCERY & MEAT CO. is an enterprising firm of the west end, and the stock includes a complete line of staple, green and fancy groceries in all that the word implies. In addition a neatly and thoroughly equipped butcher shop is maintained, at which the choicest cuts in all meats, both fresh and cured, are served, and to judge by the rapidly growing trade, the prices must be satisfactory to the public. The business is managed by Mr. Fred Kimber, who with Mrs. K. Hines and A. S. Hines, her son, constitute the company.

A. J. SOUTHWICK & CO.

A. J. SOUTHWICK & CO. have one of the busy stores of Provo on Academy avenue, where they carry a fine stock of general merchandise, including staple, green and fancy groceries, notions, hats and gentlemen's furnishings. Mr. Southwick reports a very good year's business, and looks for continued prosperity, and intends to keep abreast of the times in the care of his rapidly growing business.

R. R. IRVINE & SON.

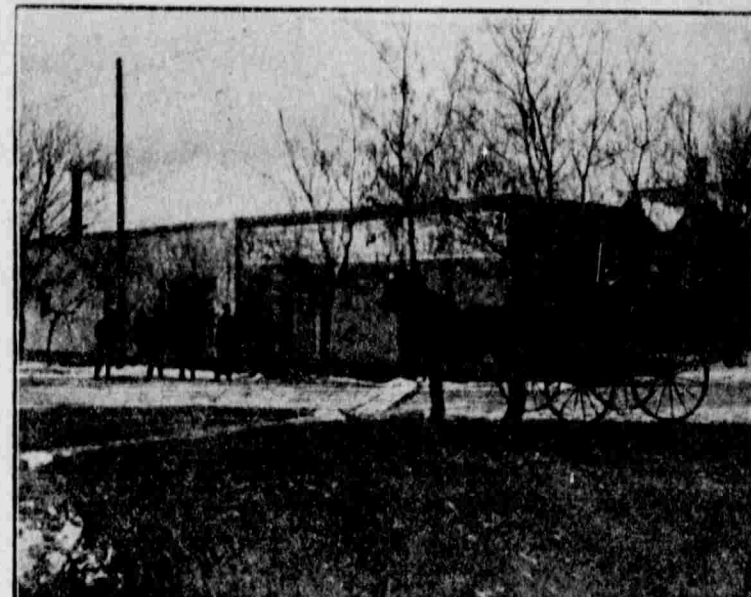
OUR old friend, R. R. Irvine, is still found at his desk, hale, hearty and jolly as ever, with the knowledge that in his later years he sees in his son, R. R., Jr., an enterprising partner, and the fruition of his life's hopes—a successful business. The firm of R. R. Irvine & Son was established in 1885, with a limited stock, which has been gradually increased, until today they occupy an elegant block covering a space of 35,000 feet, with the best arrangement of window display, and store big enough to be seen, and with as complete a stock of dry goods, shoes, ladies' and gentlemen's notions, etc., as can be found in any store south of Salt Lake.



RESIDENCE ARCHITECT R. C. WATKINS, PROVO.

THE above view is of one of Provo's fine residences, was built and is owned by Mr. Richard C. Watkins, the well known architect, who has been operating in Provo for the past 15 years. The house is a model of architectural beauty and convenience, including a hot water system of heating, plumbing, electrical wiring, etc.

Mr. Watkins is the architect for the greater part of all the school and public buildings, business blocks, and residences that have been built south of Salt Lake City, throughout the southern and eastern part of the state. Mr. Watkins is at present designing a 10-room high school building for the Richfield school board, also a large block for the Heber Mercantile company of Heber City.



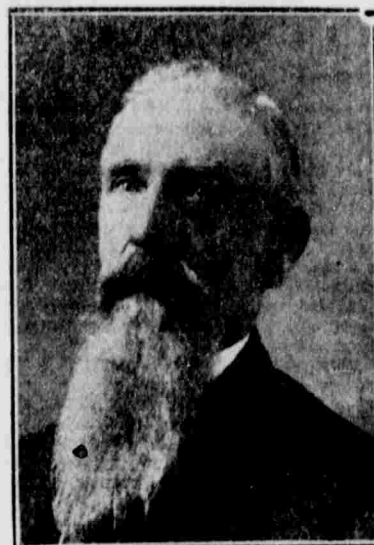
PROVO CARRIAGE FACTORY, A. F. AHLANDER & SONS PROP.

THE firm of A. F. Ahlander & Son began the business that is here represented about 13 years ago. It was then a small concern, merely a blacksmith and repair shop, but in the old country Mr. Ahlander was a master carriage maker and repairer, while the son Frank is an experienced iron worker and general blacksmith. It was not long before these gentlemen found an excellent field

for the manufacture of carriages, buggies and wagons, and with this incentive blossomed out as the only carriage factory in the state. These gentlemen have built and shipped out a great number to various parts of the country and they are enlarging their facilities for work on a much larger scale. The buggy shown in the engraving was made in their shop. These gentlemen are to be congratulated for their worthy enterprise.

THE GRIER HOUSE.

FOR the past eight years commercial and traveling men have recognized the Grier House as the ideal central place for stopping, when in Provo. It has some 33 rooms, each of which is fitted up in that home style that is not alone refreshing, but is



JOHN GRIER, PROVO.

restful, clean and commodious. The restaurant and sample rooms in connection are also an agreeable feature of a visit to this popular hostelry. The proprietor, John Grier, whose portrait is herewith presented, is as well known perhaps as any man south of Salt Lake City, and to know him is to respect him, and with his facilities to make his guests welcome, insure and conduce to his growing business. Every one likes John Grier and knows his whole aim is to make his guests feel at home, contented and comfortable.

THE ALLEN ICE CO.

THIS firm has been in existence for the past 18 years and has served the public with their product faithfully and fairly. The ice is gathered only from the pure waters of Provo river, with settling ponds, etc., for the purifying of the ice, and is stored in commodious houses ready for the summer trade. The three storage houses will hold over 2,000 tons, and still an expected shortage at the end of the season. The Allen company have a market that reaches to California on the west, and to Milford and other points on the south, and while ice men are called extortionists, the Allen Co. have ever been moderate in their demands of the public. They formerly gathered ice from the lake, but finding the water not pure enough they sold out that branch and now use only pure river water.

Distilled Water.

At less than a cent a glass from Salt Lake City Soda Water company. No fever germs, no impurities can get into the system when it is used. Phone, Bell, 156-k, Independent, 155.

T. T. DAVIES.

T. T. DAVIES is the architect who counts 23 residences, the elegant Fifth ward meetinghouse of Provo, the \$20,000 meetinghouse for the Pleasant Grove ward, the Lehi district school, besides the new dormitory for the Hungerford academy at Springville, to his credit. Mr. Davies has also 14 residences in Utah and Sevier counties, and is converting the old Spanish Fork meetinghouse into a modern and up-to-date opera house, also many large commissions in hand for the coming season. Mr. Davies is a Provo boy, still young, and yet he stands high in the profession. He is located at 241 east Second South street, Provo.

The Brigham Young University,

PROVO, UTAH.

NEW CLASSES will be organized after the holidays, affording splendid opportunities for becoming familiar with modern methods of farming.

Total number of students in attendance at middle of first semester—1905—over one thousand one hundred



THE UNIVERSITY PROPER

Consists of:

1. College,
2. Normal School including Training School.
3. Commercial School.
4. High School.
5. Music School.
6. School of Arts and Industries.
7. Preparatory School, (especially adapted to the needs of young persons beyond the common school age who desire elementary instruction.)

CLASS IN ELEMENTARY AGRICULTURE.

The Agricultural department, under the direction of Dr. John A. Widtsoe, now has an enrollment of an even one hundred students, representing twenty counties of Utah, and the states of Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado Nevada, and Arizona, and Canada and And Old Mexico. Instruction is given in the methods of Modern Agriculture, with special reference to western conditions. Next Summer, each student will conduct experiments bearing on the problems of his home locality. This work will be under the direction of the University. The record of the results will form part of the student's course. This new departure will be a direct benefit to the farming communities, as it will bring to each locality the demonstration of the value of modern farming methods.