

DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

(Observations taken at 8 a. m.)
Salt Lake City—Barometer, 29.51; current temperature, 60; maximum temperature, 62; minimum temperature, 50; mean temperature, 57, which is 3 above normal.
Accumulated excess of precipitation since first of the month, 2.2.
Accumulated excess of precipitation since first of the month, 4.16 inches.
Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1st, 4.16 inches.
FORECAST FOR SAT. & SUNDAY.
Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity.
Threatening conditions continue; probably a heavy rain shower or rain and snow; light changes in temperature.
For Utah Made in the Mountains.
Fair to clear, mostly sunny; probably a shower or rain in the afternoon.
WEATHER CONDITIONS.
The birth of low pressure, now central north of Montana, covers the plateau. Heavy mountain and snow clouds. Precipitation has increased over Washington and Oregon, and is moderately high over the Mississippi Valley. Rain has fallen over Eastern Washington, eastern Colorado, Texas and New Mexico and Wisconsin. Temperature changes have been slight.
L. H. MURDOCH,
Section Director.

TEMPERATURE TODAY.
7 a. m., 70; 12 noon, 67; 2 p. m., 63; 3 p. m., 61.

SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS...

CIRCULATION

TODAY 17,920

January 1, 1899, 10,280.

(Based Mondays and Thursdays.)

The largest circulation of any paper between Denver and the coast.

OUR AIM:

20,000 by the 20th Century!

NEW NAMES ADDED TO THE NEWS SUBSCRIPTION LISTS

from January 1, 1899, to Saturday, August 25, 1900, (after deducting all copies discontinued):

Daily, 1,334

Saturday, 2,681

Semi-Weekly, 7,920

Total, 11,639

To-day's Metals

SILVER, Bar, 61 7/8

COIN, \$4.00

CASTING COPPER 15 3/4 cents a lb.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The muster in and the election of officers of the cavalry troop of the National Guard will take place tonight at 7 o'clock.

A. L. Simonds, the water inspector of the Fifth precinct, said this morning that in his precinct the proclamation of the Mayor concerning the use of water was being generally obeyed.

The National Guard election held last night to fill the vacancies resulting from the resignations of officers, resulted in the election of O. H. Hanning as captain of company B. First Infantry, Frank Moyle was elected over S. H. Lund by a vote of 24 to 2. Lieutenant Colonel W. G. Neuberger had charge of the election.

D. F. Grant, special agent of the Home Fire Insurance company of Utah, has returned from West Fort, where he has been adjusting the losses sustained by Mrs. Gibbs from fire. Mr. Grant states that the settlement made was satisfactory to all concerned, and that he was the more pleased to have closed it up, amicably, on account of the many rumors which had been in circulation regarding the fire.

The members of the battery band met last evening at E. Kline's office on West Temple and elected Edward Albertson as bandmaster in the place of W. F. Aldrich, who has been at the head of the organization ever since it left the Philadelphia. Considerable discontent has been manifested among the members of the band owing to Aldrich's irregular financial transactions, and the action of last night was the result. Mr. Albertson says that he had intended to resign for some time and return to Clear Lake, where he has a business opening waiting for him. The new band master is a cornet player, and was formerly a member of the Terry B.

Boarding places wanted by students. Send your name, address and rates to the Salt Lake Commercial, Triplex Building. Full opening Sept. 4, 1900.

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Interest paid on savings. W. P. Armstrong, president. P. W. Madison, vice president. J. K. Calne, cashier.

UTAH COAL

Castle Gate, Bannock and Clear Creek—Lump, \$1.00 per ton. Winter Quarters Lump and all run coal, \$4.75 per ton. Anthracite all sizes, \$5.00 per ton and \$5.25. 12 So. Main St. Telephone 429. D. J. SHARP, Agent.

PREACHING AND PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Of the 1000 copies of this popular book published last year only three or four hundred remain and the author has decided to sell them through the ordinary agencies for church publications. Your local agent will order the book for you or it will be sent postpaid from the Deseret News Office. Cloth, 15c; paper, 10c.

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Old Books, Music and Magazines. Put them in strong covers for preservation. Many records of value can be saved by having them bound. The News bindery can do the work in any form at any price.

HON. THOMAS J. STEVENS DEAD.

One of Ogden's Best Known Citizens Gives Up the Struggle for Life—Bishop of the Fifth Ward and Member of Gov. Wells' Staff—Funeral Sunday.



After eight months of a wasting illness and much suffering, Hon. Thomas J. Stevens, Bishop of the Fifth ward of Ogden, this morning surrendered the struggle for life, and passed into the great beyond. A complexity of troubles appeared during his illness, but the immediate cause of his death, according to his physician, Dr. Rich, was cancer of the liver.

Bishop Stevens was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Ogden. He also had many friends and admirers in this city and throughout the State. His residence in the Junction city has covered a long period of time, and his industry and ability caused him to be associated with the best interests and development of the resources of the community in which he lived. In the ordinary course of events he might have lived for years to come as he was still a young man, having only passed the fifty-second annual mile stone in life's journey. He had held numerous positions of trust and in all of them earned the respect and confidence of his associates. He had been spending the winters in Salt Lake with his two children here. Some months ago he made a protracted visit to San Francisco and Southern California, accompanied by his wife in the hope that health would come back to him. In this, however, he was doomed to serious disappointment, as instead of getting better he apparently gradually grew worse until the end came. His funeral will be held from the Weber Stake tabernacle on Sunday at 2 p. m. It is expected that a large number of Salt Lake friends will go up to Ogden to attend the services.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

Thomas Jordan Stevens was a native of Bristol, England. He was born Jan-

uary 24th, 1848, and was the son of Jacob and Eliza Stevens. He embraced the faith of the Latter-day Saints when but eight years of age and emigrated to Utah in 1864, arriving in Salt Lake City Nov. 2nd of that year in Captain Warren S. Snow's company. His father and mother, brother W. H. and sister Eleanor Stevens Nelson, the latter the first born of the family, have all preceded him in death's flight. In 1868, he joined the militia, organized for the purpose of defending the people against the sufferings and aggressions of the Indians, and was sent to Sanpete and Sevier counties to assist in quelling uprisings in those sections and to protect the settlers from the depredations then being made.

In 1872 he was sent on a mission to Arizona and remained there something like a year. He was for a long time one of the counselors of Bishop Edwin A. Strudford of the Fourth ward and on the organization of the Fifth ward of Ogden, he became its Bishop and held the office continuously till the time of his death. He was city recorder of Ogden for six years, three consecutive terms beginning in 1885. For two years prior to the first mentioned date he had been sheriff of Weber county. He was for a long time director of the Weber Stake academy. He was also a director of the Utah Loan and Trust company's bank and its cashier until compelled to resign on account of ill health. In politics he was a Republican and as such, was elected to the first State Legislature of Utah. He possessed a well developed liking for military life, the inclination dating as far back as the sixties. This fact, together with his well known capability, caused Governor Wells to select him as a member of his personal staff. He was made commissary general with the rank of colonel. So creditably did he discharge the duties of his office that Governor Wells on his resignation of the position, he was appointed him to the position. His death will be a distinct loss to the National Guard of Utah.

DEATH OF MRS. PRIEST.

Sad Event Occurred at the Residence of Mrs. William Igleheart.

Mrs. Philena Priest, the mother of Joel L. Priest and Mrs. William Igleheart, died at the residence of the latter at P street, yesterday at 5 p. m. Mrs. Priest has been ill for some time with typhoid malaria, and her end was not unexpected. The deceased was a native of Henderson, Ky., but for the past few years had been spending the winters in Salt Lake with her two children here. Besides Mr. Priest and Mrs. Igleheart, her surviving children are Geo. Priest of Princeton, N. J., and Mrs. W. N. Cummings of Louisville, Ky. All of the family were at her bedside at the last with the exception of Mrs. Cummings. The funeral services were held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Igleheart at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The interment will take place at Henderson, Ky., Mr. Geo. Priest and Mrs. Igleheart will accompany the remains on the homeward journey, and will be present at the interment.

AGED MAN'S SUDDEN DEATH

Thomas Pullen, a Carpenter, Expires Unexpectedly.

Thomas Pullen, a carpenter 76 years of age, died very suddenly at his home on Third West between North Temple and First North, at 6 o'clock this morning. His death is due to general debility. He lived with his wife at the place mentioned and has been residing at the city and also from a married daughter, who resides in Cottonwood. When the old gentleman came this morning he seemed to be feeling as well as usual but suddenly he fell with a gasp upon his bed and in a few minutes expired. The aged couple have resided here for about sixteen years and have no relatives here with the exception of the daughter at Cottonwood. His demise was reported to the police this morning by Fred Rich, who resides in the neighborhood. The matter will be reported to the county commissioners, who will see to the burial of the deceased.

VALUE OF CITY PROPERTY.

Commissioner Westerfield Estimates it to be Worth \$1,900,000.

Land and Water Commissioner Westerfield, who came this morning was instructed by the City Council to prepare a schedule showing what property the city owned and its probable value, has about completed his task. The real estate appraiser estimates \$1,900,000, of which 25 per cent are outside the city, and are valued at \$480,000. The real estate placed within the city, together with buildings is valued at \$1,420,000. The irrigation water rights, owned by the city, are valued at \$100,000. Mr. Westerfield did not include the water flowing into the waterworks system, not the paper, tanks, etc., which alone are estimated to be worth \$400,000.

PORTFOLIOS OF THE PARIS EXPOSITION

They consist of 120 elaborate views on heavy enameled paper, in 20 parts issued separately. The Paris Exposition is beautifully portrayed. Price only 10 cents each part to News readers. A book that sold for 75 cents and \$1.00 at the time of the World's Fair. Parts 1 to 10 now ready at the News office. Send 10 cents for a sample. You will be charmed with the work.

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CHILDREN GUESS!

The population of Salt Lake—a new \$12.00 Standard Dictionary given the successful guesser. See the "News" advertisement.

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By James E. Teasdale, Ph. D., U. S. R. S. F. G. S., professor of geology, University of Utah, a book of 116 pages, beautifully illustrated. The first complete and authoritative work on this subject, published in 1900. Price 25c. Postage prepaid. For sale by the Deseret News and all news dealers.

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The Job Printing, Binding and Publishing department of the Deseret News now include all the type, machinery, presses and supplies of the combined plants of the News and Geo. Q. Cannon & Sons Co. Estimates furnished on contracts of any size. Rush orders a specialty.

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Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a dose of WHITE'S CRISAM. Price 10 cents. Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

Get Along. If you want to be happy and get along well you should go to Salt Lake Beach Labor Day.

SALT LAKE STAKE CONFERENCE.

The quarterly conference of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion will meet in the Assembly hall Salt Lake City, on Saturday, September 1st, and in the Tabernacle on Sunday, September 2nd, 1900. Meetings will commence on Saturday at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Sunday at 2 p. m. The Sunday school conference of the Stake will be held on Sunday at 9 a. m.

A general attendance of all officers and members is requested.

ANGUS M. CANNON,
JOSEPH E. TAYLOR,
CHARLES W. VENABLE,
Presidents of Stake.

TEMPLE NOTICES.

Manti, Utah, June 11—The Manti Temple will close Friday evening, 30th July, 1900, and re-open Tuesday morning, September 4th.

JOHN D. T. MALLISTER,
President.

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On Labor Day, September 3rd, the Rio Grande Western special train departs at 9:30 a. m. with Hotel's Band. Other trains at 12:30, Noon and 11:00 p. m. Return trains leave Ogden 2:15 p. m., 7:00 p. m. and the special at 10:30 p. m.

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A DAY IN THE MOUNTAINS.

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