

Will Welcome Officials of the G. A. R.



HEBER M. WELLS.

At the Commercial club's annual banquet, to be given tomorrow evening, the presence of distinguished Grand Army guests, makes the occasion the most important in the entire series of similar events.

Former Gov. Heber M. Wells, who, as the state's first executive, carried Utah through the period of the first war in which her troops were actively engaged, will welcome these veterans of the war which occurred before Utah was so organized that the government might call upon it for a quota of soldiery.

In 1898 Gov. Wells turned over to the parent government first the rough riders who were sent away towards Cuba under command of Lieut. Col. John Q. Cannon. Then there were delivered two batteries of artillery, destined for the most brilliant artillery service performed in the Philippine operations before Manila, and later in the insurrection of natives of Luzon. With them was sent a troop of cavalry, destined

only for service in replacing government troops on the Yosemite country, and for the second call for volunteers he turned over a third battery of artillery, whose members reached only the Pacific coast.

For tomorrow evening's banquet, at which former Gov. Wells will preside as toastmaster, the club rooms have been decorated in a way to eclipse previous effort. Drapings illustrative of the blue skies of the north completely cover the ceiling. On the walls, equally effective drapings have been hung, and across the west wall an illuminated American flag has been arranged. The event of welcoming the Grand Army men into the state is considered by all who have a part in preparing for tomorrow's banquet, to be one calling for their utmost showing of hospitality. To indicate the elaborateness of the preparations, the entire stairway from the street to the banquet hall has been draped and canopied, while Gov. Wells will call for a number of responses to toasts that will bring out some of the tenderest expressions yet voiced for the Grand Army veterans in Utah.

TRIBUNE DEFENDS POLICE.

But Their Acting Chief Said Their Conduct Was Outrageous.

In its attempted defense of the police officers who on Saturday were guilty of gross dereliction of duty, the Tribune places itself in an absurd and silly position and casts reflection upon the intelligence of the officers.

If the policemen who took Mrs. Jennie Walden from the Freed Furniture company's store to the Heracles roominghouse did not know that she was demented, it must have been because they were crazy themselves, or totally deaf and blind. The woman had been unconscious from falling upon the sidewalk, but began to come to as she was being carried to the patrol wagon. For a distance of two blocks it required an officer and two or three other persons to keep her in the wagon, and all the while she was screaming and fighting. It was with the utmost difficulty that the frail little woman could be carried up the stairs, the helpers having been added to by another officer. When placed upon the bed in her room, she sprang from it in an instant, doing her utmost to scratch and bite those who were befriending her. A young lady who had been sent over from Keith-O'Brien's told the officers that Mrs. Walden had been demented of late, and that she was absolutely insane at the time, and apparent to those present. The police hurriedly left the place, as did the guests of the house, who appeared upon the scene from curiosity, and the care of the woman pending the arrival of an ambulance devolved upon two men and two women who were entire strangers to Mrs. Walden and to each other. The action was entirely without palliation, and only the Tribune would seek to excuse it. Acting Chief Hempel, when told of the affair, said that the conduct of his men in the premises was outrageous and that they would be called to account for it.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing? Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer. All druggists sell it.

DOG FIGHTERS ARRESTED.

A dog fight within a block of the police station occurred Saturday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock in an upstairs room at 12 east First South street. The result so far as the fight itself was concerned was left in doubt because three policemen entered the room and placed four young men under arrest.

Two large bulldogs had been pitted against each other and were fighting violently when someone who heard the commotion telephoned the police and Patrolmen Curran and Tinges and Jailer Ripley hastened to the scene and placed under arrest G. M. Hebbard, J. E. Russell, Peter Targhett and J. M. Monahan.

Hebbard and Targhett furnished \$50 bail each. Monahan was locked up but Russell was released as he had nothing to do with arranging the fight. The other three will have a chance to explain matters to Judge Diehl.

FUNERAL OF J. S. N. HEMPEL.

The funeral of J. S. N. Hempel, brother to Lieut. Hempel, who was accidentally shot last Tuesday morning and who died at St. Mark's hospital Friday night, was held at the undertaking parlors of E. G. O'Donnell at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The services were attended by a large number of relatives and friends, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. William Paden of the First Presbyterian church. Burial

the night of April 20, 1907, is again under arrest, this time in Kansas City. The fellow was taken into custody while creating a disturbance on a street car so that a confederate could pick pockets without detection, and when taken to the station house made an attempt to escape. He gave the name

of J. H. Franklin but later admitted that he was Cameron, and that he was in Salt Lake at the time the Daynes company was robbed of \$1,200 worth of jewelry. He refused, however, to admit complicity in the robbery. It is not known as yet whether or not efforts will be made to bring the man back to this city.

VAIL RELEASED.

As was expected, the arrest of Charles T. Vail at Reno a few days ago, resulted in nothing but discomfiture to himself and his friends here. Chief Pitt wired that Vail was not wanted and of course he was released. It is known

that certain persons in Salt Lake wanted Vail brought back to Salt Lake to force him to explain what has become of the fund, but it is not likely that any official action will be taken.

CHRISTMAS PICTURES.

Midgley-Bodel Co., 33 East First St.

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HOLIDAY RATES.

December 18, 19, 21, 23, 24, and January 1st, via Oregon Short Line. Limit January 4th. See agents for further particulars.

KEITH-O'BRIEN COMPANY



THE SPIRIT OF SANTA CLAUS

Ho, for Christmas! That time when we are all children!
And as children, speaking to children, we insist on registering
this deep seated belief:

THERE IS A SANTA CLAUS!

Yes, we say to you who have grown up: There is a Santa Claus!
Not a myth—for the inspiration that prompts the gift is clothed in
flesh of our flesh and breathes the same pure air that gives us life.
And if they tell you, you big, grown-up bearded child, and you,
you mother of little girls and boys, that there is no Santa Claus,—
stick your fingers in your ears and don't you believe them!

FOR SANTA CLAUS, INVISIBLE, IS BACK OF EVERY GIFT

The child receiving its first plaything, the bigger girl, the young
lady, the mother, the grandmother and the boy from childhood to old
age—all hearts everywhere that glow with gladness, that throb with
appreciation, tenderness, bear witness that there is a Santa Claus—
a somebody somewhere who does care and who showers sunshine
broadcast, not with toys and dolls alone, but with all things given.
Yes, you feel the spirit and your faith in loved ones and friends
and humanity is stronger—and you are even better in heart.

And this store, with its bounteous things for him and for her
was never more inviting than now.

was at Mt. Olivet cemetery and "Jacks," as he was known, was borne to his last resting place by six members of the police department. Patrolmen Johnson, Clough, Grundvig, Davidson, Olsen and Bush. There were many beautiful floral offerings and kind words of sympathy were spoken to the bereaved.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulax. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

BARTON'S REMOVAL SALE.

Big Clothing Opportunity. Everything One-Half Price.

SHE GOT HER HAT BACK.

On Saturday night Miss L. Van Moulton of No. 5, Kendall square reported that a large black hat with two white plumes, one of them spliced, had been stolen from her.

Last evening she was walking along the street when a young woman appeared wearing the hat. Miss Van Moulton immediately stopped the girl and demanded to know where she got the hat. The girl replied that her sister gave her the headgear. Miss Van Moulton took the girl to the Manlyton and sent for the police. Patrolman Conyers responded and Miss Van Moulton soon convinced him that the girl belonged to her. She secured possession of it and the girl was forced to go home bereft.

BALL FOR "STRIKERS."

The Machinists, Boilermakers, and Blacksmiths' unions have sent out 1,000 invitations for their grand ball to be given next Friday night, in the hall on Market street, the proceeds to go to the ex-D. & R. G. operatives who are "still out on a strike." It seems that technicalities in the laws of the unions prevent their extending aid from the union treasuries direct, so this way of giving help is devised.

THINK THEY HAVE ROBBER.

"Doc" Cameron, a crook, believed to be one of the robbers who cracked the safe of the Daynes Jewelry store on

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Good Digestion Follows Right Food.

Indigestion and the attendant discomforts of mind and body are certain to follow continued use of improper food.

Those who are still young and robust are likely to overlook the fact that, as dropping water will wear a stone away at last, so will the use of heavy, greasy, rich food, finally cause loss of appetite and indigestion.

Fortunately many are thoughtful enough to study themselves and note the principle of Cause and Effect in their daily food. A N. Y. young woman writes her experience thus:

"Sometime ago I had a lot of trouble from indigestion, caused by too rich food. I got so I was unable to digest scarcely anything, and medicines seemed useless.

"A friend advised me to try Grape-Nuts food, praising it highly, and as a last resort, I tried it. I am thankful to say that Grape-Nuts not only relieved me of my trouble, but built me up and strengthened my digestive organs so that I can now eat anything I desire. But I stick to Grape-Nuts."

"There's a Reason."
Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine true, and full of human interest.