

**Newton**—Last week farmers busy putting in crops; nights cold; very little spring wheat has come up yet; fall grain not making much headway; wild grass and lucern backward; trees have not leafed out; gardens being put in; rain needed badly.

**Box Elder County**—Grouse Creek—The week has been fine for putting in crops, but rain is very much needed. High winds all the week which has dried the land very much. Lucern and grass is looking fine and green; nearly all the wheat and oats have been sown.

**Utah County**—Lake Shore—The best crop is all planted; fall grain doing well, so is spring grain; preparing land for potatoes and corn; peas and radishes are through; shade trees are leafing out; good rain needed.

**Lake View**—Warm days and cool nights during past week; ground getting dry; rain needed to germinate sugar beet seed lately planted; some farmers still busy putting in small grain; fruit trees are all in bloom; much fruit said to have been killed by frost in early part of the month.

**Santaquin**—First part of week stormy; started to snow and hail but finally settled to rain which proved a benefit to farmers and gardeners. Crops look good and outlook for fruit promising.

**Wallsburg**—Weather dry, and if rain don't come soon, farmers will have to irrigate.

**Lehi**—Warm, dry and windy; a pretty good week for growth but very dry; irrigation of lucern commenced; high winds done damage; fruit blossoms out. Max. temp. 100; min. temp. 35.

**Payson**—Crops progressing finely; gardening fully commenced and looking fine; field crops in good condition; early potatoes planted; also early corn.

**Weber County**—Harrieville—The week has been favorable for all farm work, but the dry, windy weather has retarded the growth of vegetation. The canals and ditches are being cleaned out for irrigation, which appears to be the only salvation from a Nebraska horror. Preparations for planting corn and tender vines in full operation.

**Wasatch County**—Heber—The week has been good for putting in crops, nearly one continuous sunshine, only a few scattered clouds on three days. Grain land on the benches is dry, like unto an ash heap. Will have to irrigate to start the grain if no storm soon. Some grain that was sown early is starting nicely; gardens backward; meadows and pastures begin to look quite green. Max. temp. 76, min. temp. 20. No rainfall.

**Uintah County**—Vernal—This week has been very favorable for farming; plowing and seeding continues, grain coming up fine; some potatoes planted, also all early vegetables; rain would be a great benefit; fruit trees look promising. Max. temp. 72, min. temp. 30. No rainfall.

**Washington County**—Gunlock—We have had a few warm days since last report. Fruit still in danger; uncommon backward spring; prospect for water very good.

**Pinto**—Most of grain in and that which was put in early is coming up.

**New Harmony**—The past week has

been warm and pleasant. Grain growing nicely; fruit trees in bloom.

**Sevier County**—Joseph—Irrigation commenced; oats not in; wheat coming up; weather conditions unfavorable.

**Monroe**—Early grain up and looking well; farmers busy putting in oats and lucern; land is being prepared for potatoes, corn, etc. Max. temp. 90, min. temp. 28.

**Richfield**—Week has been favorable for plowing. Farmers busy putting in gardens; apricots and plums in bloom.

**Sanpete County**—Fountain Green—Past week warm and pleasant; heavy frost nights; watering lucern commenced; rain would be appreciated by the farmer.

**Moroni**—In general, fine weather; cold nights; wheat about all in, some coming up; trees begin to leaf; lucern growing nicely.

**Spring City**—Gardening well under way; grass and lucern growing fast; trees blooming; gooseberries and English currants leafing out; apricots in bloom; stock going to the hills for feed; rain needed.

**Wales**—About all grain in and early seeded is coming up fine; rain needed, as the ground is getting dry; grass and lucern looking well; light shower of rain night of the 19th.

**Salt Lake County**—Herriman—Warm, dry and windy; fall grain looking well; spring wheat all in; land in good condition for spring crops.

**Garfield County**—Panguitch—Farmers are putting in a large acreage; season very backward; ground is frozen yet.

**Tooele County**—Center—It has been warm during the week with light frost every night; no rain yet.

**Summit County**—Rockport—Weather favorable; lucern has started and grass on range is growing fast; considerable gardening done; drying wind every afternoon.

**Juab County**—Levan—The dry, windy weather with cold nights all through the week is drying out the ground very fast, and if rain don't fall soon, spring grain will have to be watered up. Lucern is backward, nights too cold for growth; apricots and plums in blossom.

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## CONSTITUTION ARTICLES.

Two more articles were presented to the Constitutional Convention Thursday. They were the article on schedule specifying the exact manner in which existing Territorial laws will be succeeded by those of the new State and the article on public salaries.

### ARTICLE ON SCHEDULE.

The first section of this article says: "That no inconvenience may arise by reason of the change from a Territorial to a State government, it is hereby declared that all writs, actions, prosecutions, judgments, claims and contracts, as well of individuals as of bodies corporate both public and private shall continue as if no change had taken place and all process which may issue under the authority of the Territory of Utah previous to its admission to the Union shall be as valid as if issued in the name of the State of Utah."

All laws of the Territory now in force, not repugnant to the Constitution shall remain in force until they expire by their own limitations, or are altered or

repealed by the Legislature. All fines, penalties and forfeitures accruing to the Territory or to the people in the Territory shall inure to this State and all debts, liabilities and obligation of said Territory shall be valid against the State and enforced as may be provided by law.

All recognizances heretofore taken or which may be taken before the change from a territorial to a state government shall remain valid and shall pass to and be prosecuted in the name of the State, and all revenue, property, real, personal or mixed, and all judgments, bonds, specialties choses in action, claims and debts, of whatsoever description, and all records and public archives of the Territory, shall issue and vest in the State, and may be sued for and recovered.

All criminal prosecutions and penal actions which have arisen, or which may arise before the change from a territorial to a state government, and which shall then be pending, shall be prosecuted to judgment and execution in the name of the State. Whenever the judge of the district court of any county shall have qualified, the causes then pending, except such causes as would have been within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States district court, had such court existed at the time of the commencement of such causes within such county, and the records, papers and proceedings of said district court, and the seal and other property pertaining thereto, shall pass into the jurisdiction and possession of the district court for such county. Where two or more counties constitute a judicial district it shall be the duty of the clerk of the district court having custody of such papers and records to transmit to the clerk of such county or counties, other than that in which such records are kept, the original papers in all cases pending in such district court, and belong to the jurisdiction of such county or counties together with transcript or so much of the records of said district court.

Whenever a quorum of the judges of the Supreme court shall have been elected and qualified the causes then pending in the Supreme court of the Territory except such causes as would have been within the exclusive jurisdiction of the United States circuit court had such court existed at the time of the commencement of such causes and the papers, records and proceedings of said court and the seal and other property pertaining thereto shall pass into the jurisdiction and possession of the Supreme court of the State and until so superseded the Supreme court of the Territory and the judges thereof shall continue with like powers and jurisdiction as if this Constitution had not been adopted.

When the State is admitted into the Union and the district courts in the respective districts are organized, the books, records, papers and proceedings of the probate court in each county and all causes and matters of administration pending therein shall, upon the expiration of the term of office of the probate judges on the second Monday in January, 1896, pass into the jurisdiction and possession of the district court of the same county, created by the Constitution, and the said district court shall proceed to final judgment, decree, order or other determination in the several matters and causes as the Territorial probate court might have done if the Constitution had not been adopted. All officers, civil and military, now holding their offices and appointments in the Territory under the authority of the United States or under the authority of the Territory shall continue to hold and exercise their respective offices and appointments under this Constitution.

The election for the adoption or rejection