

DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today:

Barometer reading at 6 a. m., 29.69 inches. Temperature at 9 a. m., 73 degrees; maximum, 85; minimum, 65; mean, 75; which is 2 degrees above normal.

Deficiency of monthly mean temperature since January 1, 1895, degrees, 1.0. Precipitation since the first of the month, .10 inch, which is .12 inch below the normal.

Accumulated excess in precipitation since January 1, 1895, inches, .06.

FORECASTS TILL 5 P. M. SATURDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, with local thundershowers.

Utah (Forecast made at Denver, Colo.): Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, with local thundershowers.

Wyoming: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, with local thundershowers.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The barometer is highest over the northern plateau, Lake region, and Ohio valley; and lowest over the southern plateau, extreme northwest, and Manitoba.

Precipitation occurred over portions of Utah, Colorado, Arizona, South Dakota, Minnesota, Upper Lake region, Manitoba, the Atlantic and Southern states. Thunderstorms were reported generally. It was raining this morning at Atlanta, and about the same.

Slight temperature changes were reported.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecaster.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

8 a. m. 71
9 a. m. 72
10 a. m. 74
11 a. m. 76
12 noon 78
1 p. m. 80

YESTERDAY'S RECORD.

Highest 86
Lowest 59

The Semi-Weekly News.

THE GREAT COUNTRY PAPER OF THE WEST.

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

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The remains of Joseph Leland, son of President James W. Packman, of Nephi, who died in this city on Wednesday, have been shipped home, where the funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Michael Killen of Mackay, Ida, died last evening at Holy Cross hospital from Bright's disease. James Killen, his brother, had not heard of him for 29 years until he was notified of Michael's illness at Mackay.

A troop failed to choose a captain last evening. Two-thirds majority is necessary to a choice, whereas J. S. Wash Young received 11 votes and first lieutenant A. W. Cahne, Jr., seven votes. The troop will have to vote again.

Construction on the Butte-Salt Lake line of the Postal Telegraph company will begin next Monday, each gang of workmen covering 10 miles of wire per day. Limestone will be last evening at this city from Chicago to begin work on the northern line.

Floyd Denton, nephew of State Senator J. A. Denton of Caliente, Nev., is at a local hospital recovering from the effects of an operation for the removal of an eye. The boy accidentally shot himself in the head and so injured the eye that it had to be taken out. He is doing nicely.

Rev. N. A. Fredenburgh of Topeka, Kan., one of the noted evangelists of the west, will spend next Sunday in this city and will address the prisoners at the state prison at the regular afternoon service. He is in Portland, Or., today, and writes that his coast trip in the interest of prison work has been very successful.

Yesterday's Tabernacle organ recital included this interesting program: "Prelude to Lohengrin," "Romanza," by Wolsteinholme; "Meditation," by D'Evere; "Serenade," by Moszkowski; march from "The Merry Widow," by Strauss. The audience was large, and the music was enjoyed. Tomorrow's recital will be of the popular variety, at 5:20 p. m., as usual.

C. P. Myers of 725 Jordan street was struck down by an automobile yesterday afternoon, while crossing Second South and East Temple streets. Myers was unhurt, as the machine was running slowly, but he jumped up and put after the chauffeur, intending to give him a beating. The chauffeur, "Steam," ran away from the revengeful Myers.

John Noon, the vagrant who was crushed under the wheels of a Rio Grande yard engine, was buried today in the potter's field. He was the "black sheep" of a well-to-do Pennsylvania family. Noon's Pennsylvania relatives were wired yesterday, but they advised local burial at public expense, and the casket finally fell on a wasted life this morning.

The many friends of James T. Woods, a veteran of the Elkhart ward, will regret to learn that he is under the necessity of undergoing another operation for the removal of a stone in the bladder. This is the fifth time he has previous operation having afforded him more than temporary relief. It is to be hoped that this time the operation will be successful.

President Charles W. Needham of the Columbian university, who has been stopping here for a day or two, left last night for Denver. Dr. Needham met yesterday with several Salt Lake ladies, members of the auxiliary of the Washington Memorial association, which proposes to raise half a million with which to build an administration building for the university. The ladies promised to make a special effort to raise funds after the vacation season had ended.

The remains of Lorenzo J. King were tenderly laid to rest yesterday afternoon, following services at the home, 62 west Third North street. The speakers were Elders Daniel L. Lang, J. S. Tanner, Joseph E. Taylor and Isaac Isaacson, who referred to the excellent character of the deceased and to the integrity of the "Mormon" faith. The home was filled with sympathizing

relatives and friends and there were many beautiful floral emblems. The deceased was born in Kayville, Feb. 19, 1879. On June 17, 1903, he married Miss Rose Vick, by whom he has one child, a little girl four months old. Mr. King was for some time past a bookkeeper at Auerbach's, and many of his fellow employees attended the funeral.

The Salt Lake Ministerial association gave a farewell banquet last night at the Wilson to Rev. John Richardson and Rev. L. E. Bailey, who are to shortly leave this city, respectively for New Cumberland, W. Va., and Lander, Wyo. Rev. Dr. T. W. Pinkerton was toastmaster, and these toasts were responded to: "Life's Touch and Go," Rev. Dr. W. M. Paden; "The Work and the Worker," Rev. D. M. Helmick; "Our Problem," Rev. Bruce Kinney; "That Which Remains," Rev. R. Wake; "Ab Revoir," Rev. P. A. Simpkin. Responses to these toasts were made by Rev. Richardson and Rev. L. E. Bailey. A committee composed of Revs. Kinney and Simpkin was appointed to draw up letters of dismissal and recommendation from the association.

We pay 4 per cent interest per annum on \$1 to \$5,000. Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. Joseph F. Smith, President; George M. Cannon, Cashier.

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REAL ESTATE MEN wanting deeds, contracts, agreements or other legal blanks, will find the latest forms at the Deseret News Book store.

THE EGYPTIAN SYCE.

The function of the Egyptian syce is to act as a runner, and as such he precedes the carriages of the wealthy and especially those of high officials. Syces also serve as groomers or horsemen's attendants.



As such they are frequently seen in the streets of Cairo and other Egyptian cities arrayed in gay livery. The actual duty of the syce, however, is to clear the way for his master's coming carriage. In the narrow and overcrowded streets of Cairo the services of a syce are almost an absolute necessity. In the country, where the roads are not impeded, the runners are sometimes put to a severe test.

CASTILLA AND RETURN, \$125.

Via D. & R. G., Sunday, Aug. 14th. Leave Salt Lake 8 a. m. Returning arrive at Salt Lake 9 p. m.

WORLD'S FAIR EXCURSIONS.

Via Denver & Rio Grande. To St. Louis and return \$42.50. To Chicago and return \$45.00. To St. Louis and return via Chicago, or vice versa, \$50.00.

Selling date: Tuesday and Friday of each week. Stopovers allowed. Final limit 60 days from date of sale. Pullman and tourist sleepers through to St. Louis without change.

Choice of routes. See any D. & R. G. Agent.

EXCURSION RATES

Via Oregon Short Line. St. Louis and return \$42.50. Chicago and return \$45.00. St. Louis and return via Chicago, 50.00. Through Pullman sleeper via the U. P. & Wabash line.

Limit 60 days. Transit limit ten days in each direction. Tickets on sale Tuesdays and Fridays each week. Stopovers allowed.

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Always go one route, returning another. When you go ask for tickets either going or returning via Colorado. See all the Rocking without additional cost. Through standard and tourist sleepers.

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Descriptive literature sent free on application to Advertising Department, Grand Trunk Railway System, 135 Adams St., Chicago, Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A.

Cheap Rates to Boston

Via New York City and Boat. \$29.70 for the round trip from Chicago, via Nickel Plate Road, August 12th, 13th and 14th, with liberal stopover at New York City returning, and also stopover at Niagara Falls and Chautauque Lake within final limit, if desired. Also rate of \$17.75 from Chicago to Boston and return, via direct lines.

Tickets good on any train on above dates and also on special train from Chicago at 8 a. m., August 13th. Final return limit September 30th, by depositing ticket. Through sleeping car service. Meals in Nickel Plate dining cars, on American Club Meal Plan, ranging in price from 25c to \$1.00; also service a la carte. Write Chas. E. Johnson, District Passenger Agent, Nickel Plate Road, Room 205 Century Building, Denver, Colo., for reservation of berths in through standard and tourist sleeping cars, and full particulars.

11.00 TELEPHONES.

For Residences. 20 outgoing calls per month. No charge for incoming calls. 25c for excess calls.

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For Residences. Unlimited service. ROCKY MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

For Over Sixty Years. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by mothers of all ages, always with success, and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. 20 cents a bottle.

WOMEN MAY ENTER UNTIL MIDNIGHT.

Salt Lake's Liquor Ordinance Will Be so Amended as to Admit Of Ths.

MATTER FIXED UP LAST NIGHT.

Hereafter Drug Stores Will Be Prohibited from Selling Liquor At Soda Fountains.

A delegation of saloon men appeared with their attorneys before the license and municipal laws committees of the city council last evening in regard to the ordinance regulating the sale of liquor by druggists and restaurant men, as well as saloon men. At the conclusion of the meeting, it was decided to submit an amended ordinance in regard to the matter to the council, on Monday night, which, it is thought, will overcome the objections which the liquor dealers have against the present ordinance.

The amended ordinance will provide that women may enter saloons between the hours of 7 and 12 o'clock p. m., instead of prohibiting them from entering saloons during the night time at all. It will abolish wine rooms and private apartments in saloons and restaurants, and will restrict the sale of liquor in restaurants to only patrons who are served with meals and will prohibit the sale of liquor by druggists except in quantities not less than half a pint and except upon prescription.

DRUG STORES AND RESTAURANTS.

The license of druggists and restaurant men will remain at \$400 per annum, but they will be prohibited from selling liquor on Sunday, just as the liquor dealers are, and the sale of intoxicants at soda fountains will be prohibited.

DUNCAN'S "AD" SCHEME.

There may be some trouble in the courts over the waste paper box franchise granted to L. Patman Duncan, owing to a protest presented to the council on Monday night against an advertisement on one of the boxes in front of Whitaker & Dallas' cigar store, of a non-union cigar. The protest asked that the advertisement be removed. Mr. Duncan claims that there is nothing in his franchise which prevents him from placing his advertisements wherever he pleases, and if the council interferes he proposes to fight the matter in the courts. It is said that Mr. Duncan gave his word of honor that such competitive advertisements would not be carried on by him. No action was taken in the matter by the committee last evening.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The regular meeting of the Priesthood of Ensign stake will be held Friday, the 12th inst., at 7:30 p. m., at the Twentieth ward meetinghouse.

SPECIAL SUMMONS.

You are hereby summoned to appear before the undersigned, at the Bishop's office of the West Jordan ward of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, in Salt Lake county, Utah, within 30 days after the first publication of this notice, if within the state; and within 40 days thereafter, if out of the state; to answer to certain charges and countercharges, and to show cause why you fail to appear, or make other satisfactory arrangements within the specified time, action will be taken against you in the Bishop's court of said ward on Wednesday, September 14, 1904, at 7 o'clock p. m.

Signed: JOHN A. EGBERT, DANIEL R. EATMAN, JOSEPH E. WELLS, JOHN M. KNIGHT.

HUGE BLAST.

About 37,500 pounds of Black Powder Touched Off Near Evanston.

About 37,500 pounds of black powder were touched off by electricity at a point near Evanston yesterday with the result that about 50,000 yards of rock and nearly 10,000 yards of cement gravel were loosened up ready for attack by steam shovels.

This huge blast was placed in position by the Utah Construction company which is engaged on work of rectifying the main line of the Union Pacific at the point indicated by cutting down a curve. The shot cost in labor and material in the neighborhood of \$7,000. The preparatory work has been in progress for some weeks. In all seven tunnels were bored into the hill for about 100 feet, and three were made and shafts sunk through the hill.

In order to keep the powder dry watertight boxes were constructed. Electric wires were then run to the big caps attached to the various charges. To procure a simultaneous discharge of all the powder the handles of the batteries were all lashed to a bar which was pushed down completed the circuit and touched off the powder.

When the blast was fired the ground shook. The big point of rock lifted a few feet and settled back into place and the strata were effectively pulverized. Some debris rolled down but to the main line of the Union Pacific but no damage was done. The work was cleared without any great delay in traffic.

The explosives were placed 25 feet below the surface. Black powder blast used because of its lifting properties. The blast was a success in every sense. The work was done under the direction of Foreman T. L. Scott, with A. H. Christensen in general charge.

Sendoff for H. S. Kerr.

The Commercial and Ladies Literary clubs of Montpelier, Vermont, will give a social and banquet in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kerr who leave shortly for Peru where Mr. Kerr goes as general of the Corps de Pacific road. A. H. Christensen will be toastmaster and the following toasts will be in order during the evening: "Man," Mrs. Jennie Christensen; "Woman," W. D. Livingston; "Friends," Mrs. H. S. Kerr; "Love and gain," L. R. Anderson; "Railroading," J. H. Hornung; song, Geo. H. Bradley; prognostication, Mrs. Jennie Kerr; Crawford, and speech by Mr. H. S. Kerr.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

C. O. Whittemore, counsel for the Salt Lake Route, is down at Caliente.

Agent Betts of the Chicago & Alton is back from a trip to Montana.

District Freight and Passenger Agent Moore of the Salt Lake Route is down at Milford today.

National Encampment, G. A. R.

The Nickel Plate Road will sell tickets August 12th, 13th and 14th, at \$17.75 for the round trip from Chicago, via direct lines, with stopover at Niagara Falls and Chautauque Lake if desired, within final limit. Also, if preferred, rate of \$20.75 between same points for the round trip via New York City and Boat, with liberal stopover returning at that point. Tickets good on any train on above dates and also on special train from Chicago at 8 a. m., August 13th. Final return limit September 30th. Chicago agent, La Salle St. Station, Writs Chas. E. Johnson, District Passenger Agent, Room 205 Century Building, Denver, Colo., for reservation of berths in through standard or tourist sleeping cars, and other detailed information.

CONSTRUCTION ON SALT LAKE ROUTE

San Pedro is Now Tracklaying 100 Miles West of Caliente, Nevada.

GRADERS CAUSE SOME DELAY.

Trains Will be Running into Las Vegas Within the Next Sixty Days.

Word comes from the front that the San Pedro is now track laying 100 miles west of Caliente and after passing mile 100 on which the Utah Construction company grading is now delaying track laying, the remainder of the distance, 27 miles, to Las Vegas, will be completed within 60 days. There is every evidence that the San Pedro will be completed to Los Angeles before Dec. 1. The Western Union Telegraph company's poles are erected to a point 70 miles west of Caliente and wires strung 65 miles.

Division Engineer A. L. Jones is rushing the track laying west of Caliente and every foot of the work under his supervision equals in stability that of any road in the United States.

J. S. Holland has been promoted to chief clerk of the general foreman here. He was formerly connected with the Southern Pacific at Ogden, and the Oregon Short Line at Pocatello, Ida.

PAINT SHOPS TO MOVE.

Ogden Henceforth to be Headquarters and Distributing Point.

The Oregon Short Line and the Union Pacific railroads officials have completed arrangements by which the old Union Pacific roundhouse at Ogden, which has been vacant since the extension of the Short Line jurisdiction, will be remodeled and used as a paint shop, thereby closing the shop at present located here. The offices in the same building at Ogden will be remodeled and used as a joint commissary and refrigeration department. The two departments will be enlarged and Ogden will be the center for the headquarters.

WAS IT WESTERN PACIFIC?

Manager Edson of D. & R. G. Returns From Tonopah and Nevada.

Manager J. A. Edson of the Denver & Rio Grande, passed through Salt Lake en route for Denver yesterday afternoon. Just what his recent visit to Tonopah and other Nevada points means is not forthcoming. Those who are following the movements of the road ever profess to see some connection between this trip, with the plans of the Western Pacific which proposes to build from Salt Lake through Nevada to San Francisco. No word of the road is not discussing the whys and wherefores of his movements. Yesterday he affirmed that his presence in Utah was merely a courtesy call, and that his trip and inspection business. He declined to discuss the recent wreck near Pueblo containing himself with saying that it was clearly a case of an act of Providence.

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At the Salt Lake House, 100 E. 1st St., is opposite.

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RANCHES, FARMS, ACREAGE. Big list in our real estate paper, free at office. Harrington & Courtney, 15 W. Second St.

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NEW, STRICTLY MODERN 5 ROOMS, cor. lot, best location in city; will sell for less than cost. Owner leaving State. Inquire at premises, 16 South 1st, East.

WILL SELL YOU AT A BARGAIN, vacant lots, a cottage or a model home in any part of the city. Jas. K. Shaw, under Walker Bros. bank.

REAL ESTATE, RENTS, LOANS, INS. Hill Investment Co., 108 S. West Temple.

FOR RENT OR SALE. NEW 5 AND 10-ROOM HOUSES from \$1,500 to \$7,000, easy terms. Apply 445 South West Temple St.

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Short Line has returned from a trip to Idaho.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of Wells, Fargo & Co., in New York yesterday the retiring board of directors were re-elected. The directors organized and re-elected the following:

At Milwaukee yesterday Judge Jenkins denied a motion of Artemus H. "Boss" who holds some first mortgage bonds for permission to intervene in the "Pacific case." The petition was denied without prejudice to his rights at law or to bring an action against the company.

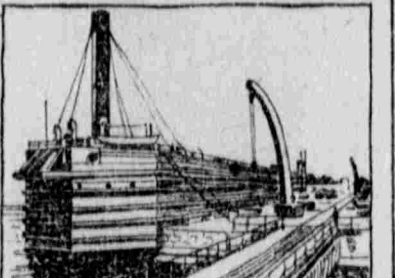
Commenting upon the story on Nicknames of railroads a local railroad man said this morning: "The News forgot the 'Nit Western,' the name given to the Chicago & Northwestern by Ludwig Eisenman when he declined to give that road any wool this season." "The Ellen" (L. & N.) and the "Beano" (B. & O.).

LIFE OF A PIONEER.

Autobiography of Capt. James S. Brown, 520 pages, bound in cloth. Price, \$2.00, for sale at Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

FLOATING COAL DEPOT.

The large floating structure shown in the cut was recently towed into Portsmouth (England) navy yard by three tugs. It is designed as a floating coal depot. It will contain over 12,000 tons of coal, and when fully loaded it will displace 19,000 tons. Four platforms,



each carrying three transporters, are placed on board, running on rails on each side of the dock so that coal may be delivered simultaneously to vessels lying alongside and on to any part of their decks. Two battleships may be loaded at the same time. This is considered a great advance in the coaling of vessels, hitherto one of the most troublesome of problems. A practical demonstration of this gigantic coal depot's usefulness is awaited.

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