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PREPARED TO FIGHT.

Ambassadors at Constantinople Hold a Conference

AND LAY A PLAN FOR PROTECTION.

The War Ships of the Powers to Be in Readiness in Case They Should Be Needed.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 15. —(Copyrighted, 1896, by the Associated Press.)—The ambassadors of the powers held a meeting today to lay out a plan for measures of protection at the different embassies and the foreign population generally in the event of the renewal of disturbances here. The plan is understood to include united action of the warships of all the powers, each ship being assigned to a certain position and men to be landed at a given signal to protect the threatened points. The defense of the embassies will also, it is rumored, be considerably strengthened by the increase in the number of men now guarding them and by other precautions which will enable them to make them capable of resisting an attack for a considerable time. It is also reported that in possible contingencies the number of additional warships of the powers will reinforce the guardships now doing duty in these waters.

LESS THAN ESTIMATED.

Official Returns from Arkansas Reduce Democratic Majority.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 15.—Official returns from sixty-one out of sixty-five counties give Jones, Dem., 71,845; Hemmel, Rep., 16,403; Pike, Pop., 11,236; Gilbert, Prohi., 1,644; plurality 60,236; Jones's majority 55,442. The indications are that Jones's majority is considerably less than at first estimated.

The South Bolt.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 15.—T. H. Wagner, ex-speaker of the Oklahoma legislature, is dead. He came here from Honolulu seeking health.

255,744 Bushels for Europe.

GALVESTON, Texas, Sept. 15.—There was cleared from this port during the week ending yesterday, 40,000 bushels of wheat for Liverpool, 83,744 bushels for Cork for Manchester and 132,000 bushels of corn for Copenhagen.

Another Foolish Venture.

HANNIBAL, Mo., Sept. 15.—Mike Ida Buchanan, aged 28, committed suicide by shooting herself. She dressed herself for ballet, then went out in the woods, lay down in the grass, leaned a blow out her brains. She was engaged to be married, and her lover was in the house at the time. She left a note saying that life was not worth the while and she did not wish to become a burden to any one. Her mother is a widow.

PREPARING FOR THE SHOCK.

Legislation Promised to Make Canada Policies Payable in Gold.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—A special to the Times-Herald from Ottawa, Ont., says: In the Senate last night Sir Oliver Mowat promised on behalf of the government, in event of the silver party being dominant in the next presidential election, in the United States, that the Canadian policy holders in American companies will be protected by compelling the payment of such policies in gold, and to that effect legislation would at once be enacted if necessary. The amount of life policies held in American companies in Canada is $66,000,000, in fire companies $100,000,000, and in inland marine companies $1,750,000. As a result of payment of gold by American companies, the government takes a lien on $171,000,000, belonging to such companies, held and invested by them in Canada.

Several American companies have consented to indorse their policies payable in gold, while other companies have refused and will fight the question.

Fatal Accident.

BERLIN, Sept. 15.—Owing to the collapse of a gangway at Ruhrort, Hornberger, forty-five persons were thrown in the Rhine. Three were drowned, five were pulled out of the water in a critical condition. It is feared that several others were drowned.

CLEARING THE LAKE FRONT.

A Decision Preserving the Vast Park to the People of Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—By a decision of Judge Brentz, the second regiment and battery B armories must be removed from the Lake front within three months. This is the first decision he could reached in the suit which has been vigorously waged by Municipality West to keep the Lake front free from buildings. The decree permanently enjoins and restrains the city and the Illinois Central railroad company and any one else from erecting upon or in any manner using the Lake park for any purpose whatever other than as a public park. An appeal will, it is said, be taken to the appellate court, and this is expected to operate as a stay against the erection of the militia and police and fire departments from their present quarters.

The decree also makes permanent the preliminary injunction which Mr. Ward obtained six years ago, restraining the city from dumping street sweepings on the Lake front and from letting the ground for circuses or for other purposes for hire, thus clearly establishing the right of the public of a park in the heart of the city. The history of the litigation goes back to the dedication of the property in 1836 by the canal commissioners and in 1839 by the United States government. This, however, is the first time that the decree and permanent injunction has been entered definitely fixing and settling to what uses the land so dedicated shall be put.

Under this decision the people of Chicago have a public park from Hampsoph to Park Row.

In making his decision, Judge Prentiss did not go into legal details. He followed closely the decision of the United States Supreme Court in what is known as the Lake Front case, which was decided in 1892. The present suit was first filed in 1893 with the Art Institute building which is deemed such a structure as should be placed in a park, being of an educational nature. The decree, however, besides providing that the armory and battery buildings shall be removed within three months, also forever prohibits the Illinois Central Railway company from encroaching upon the park.

The ordinance for the improvement of Lake Front park passed last year, is not in any way affected.

Mayor Swift has decided to sign the ordinance turning the Lake Front park over to the South Park board.

THE RETURNS FROM MAINE.

Indications of a Republican Plurality of About 50,000.

The Largest in the History of the State—Gains in Almost Every Town.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 15.—Returns from small towns and plantations in distant parts of the state are as usual coming in slowly. It is not probable that all of them will be heard from before tomorrow. The vote from the cities and towns which poll more than two-thirds of the entire vote, indicates, however, that the Republican plurality will be between 48,000 and 50,000, the largest in the history of the state. In every county the Republican ticket was successful. Almost every town showed Republican gain.

The Democratic vote was 40 per cent less than in 1892, and about 20 per cent of this has gone to the Republican ticket; the other half are stay-at-homes. The vote of the Prohibitionists and Populists throughout the state shows a loss from 1892 of about 26 per cent.

The vote from 200 of 519 cities, towns and plantations is 60,913 for Powers, 27,143 for Frank. In 1894 when Cleaves was carried by the men antprohibitionist majority of 41,000, these towns gave the Republican ticket 56,893; the Democrats 21,133. The Republican gain in plurality is 2,913 this year, if the proportion of gain is kept up. The total vote is estimated at 124,000 in round numbers: Republican 53,000; democrats 34,000; scattering 8,000. Republican plurality 46,000.

In the first congressional district Reed's plurality is in doubt. Dingley has about 11,000 plurality in the second and Mitchell about 15,000 in the third. From figures at hand it is certain that the Reed's plurality in the fourth will be about 15,000. In representative districts heard from the election of not five Democrats in the house is known and in one of these there is doubt. All thirty-one senators are Republicans.

THE EFFECT OF IT.

MADISON, Neb., Sept. 15.—Senator William V. Allen, temporary chairman of the St. Louis convention, and later chairman of the Populist unification committee said today: "The result in Maine was anticipated as that state was believed to be under the complete domination of the money power. It will have the effect of largely increasing the silver vote in the West and uniting all discordant elements.

WHEELER CONGRATULATED.

CANTON, Ohio, Sept. 15.—Major McKinley received the following telegram from Augusta, Me., late evening: "Offer you hearty congratulation. This is your triumph. The Republican party has achieved the most sweeping and magnificent victory ever accorded any party in the history of Maine. We carried every county in the state, elected every state senator and at least 120 out of 151 members of the house of representatives and received every county official; it has given each member of our magnificent delegation in the national House of Representatives the largest majority ever received; elected our candidate for governor by the greatest majority ever given a candidate for that high office; endorsed the St. Louis platform and declared for McKinley and Hobart by 50,000. The Republican vote exceeds by several thousand the largest Republican vote heretofore given and the vote for the Democratic candidate for governor is the smallest ever cast with the exception of the vote of 1894, which was only 30,000 less. We have kept pace with Vermont and have cut the Democratic majority from the phenomenal one in Chicago will not prevail when met by argument and reason. We have been aided in this great victory by many Democrats who placed country above party and who believe you cannot divide the people into parties on a question of simple money, pure and simple. They share our victory with us. What more could Maine have done for the cause of good government, honest money and protection?"

J. H. MANLEY."

Liquor Dealers Fail.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The house of J. W. Nutkins & Co., wholesale dealers in wines and liquors, was closed by the sheriff today on a judgment for $23,000 in favor of the Union National bank. The failure is attributed to the action of New York firms suing out a replevin for $6,000 worth of champagne, forcing the bank to refuse to secure. It is believed the accounts run between $140,000 and $150,000, and liabilities 25 per cent less.

Letter Carriers' Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—The local letter carriers' association met last night for the purpose of ratifying the preliminary action of the Atlanta convention in the matter of the choice of this city as the meeting place for next year. A committee was appointed to take the necessary steps and to compile and issue a circular.

The local convention association purpose to entertain over 600 delegates and for this purpose it has been estimated that between $6,000 and $8,000 will be needed.

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ANOTHER OFFER FROM SPAIN

Will Grant Home Rule to Cuba and Recall Weyler,

If the Insurgents Will Lay Down Their Arms by September First.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—A special to the Tribune from Jacksonville, Fla., says: Spanish Consul Sola, who says he represents Minister De Lome, has told J. A. Huan, representative of the Cuban junta here, that if the insurgents would lay down their arms by November 1, Spain would grant complete home rule to the island. Sola said sincerely would be granted to every man who had been in the revolution, and that Spain would recall General Weyler immediately. Representative of the crown in Cuba who would be acceptable to the insurgent leaders. Mr. Huan agreed to lay the proposition before the junta, but told Sola it would hardly be accepted, as nothing short of absolute independence would satisfy the Cubans now.

Bryan Goes to Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 15.—Hon. W. J. Bryan left Louisville this morning at 7:40 for the Blue Grass region of Kentucky, and will make speeches at noon at Lagrange, Eminence, Versailles, Midway and Lexington, completing the day's speaking at Maysville, Ky.

At Versailles Bryan will be the guest of Senator C. J. B. Blackburn. Bryan expressed himself as very much pleased with his Louisville reception.

BRYAN ARGUES THE CAUSE OF SILVER.

JAMESTOWN, Ky., Sept. 15.—Bryan's Kentucky tour was made from the platform of the car at La Grange.

The campaign, he said, was of the greatest importance. The money question deserved the deep study of everyone. He said he found his visit to Kentucky unnecessary as the silver sentiment predominated before his coming. He was applauded wildly by the 700 people present.

After leaving La Grange Engineer Ben Schutts of the Louisville and Nashville train to which the car was attached gave Bryan the fastest ride he has had in the entire campaign, sending the train along at a mile over eighty miles an hour.

At Eminence it was raining, but the citizens of Henry county flocked about the speaker's stand to which Bryan was taken. He gave a long and quite speech devoted for the greater part to answering statements made by his opponents, that in consequence of greater production of silver than of gold there would be a depreciation in the value of silver and would depreciate in value. He admitted the product of silver had been three times as great the last twenty years, but he said in the last five years the production of gold had increased more rapidly than silver and the price of silver bullion had fallen more than at any other time. He said the price of silver was affected by the law of supply and demand. The repeal of the Sherman law stopped the purchase of 54,000,000 ounces of silver a year and decreased the price of it and lessened the demand for silver.

AT FRANKFORT.

In his speech at Frankfort Bryan emphasized the statement last night that he would not believe in free coinage of silver (Democrats or Republicans) should come the straight Republican ticket, but he was willing to be sure to be indorsed by Populists.

Three Friends in Peril.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The secretary of the treasury has received a telegram from the collector of customs at Fernandina, Florida, stating that the schooner Hohenlinden, of Boston, Three Friends had arrived at that port, presumably from Key West. No further particulars were obtainable.

Defeated a Free Silver Man.

LOWELL, Mass., Sept. 15.—John Harrington was nominated for Congress in the first district by the Democrats in this state defeating Jeremiah H. Sullivan. Sullivan was a free silver delegate in Chicago.

A FICTITIOUS CHARGE.

To Save Tynan's Brother of the Conspiracy Accusation.

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THE DYNAMITE PLOT.

Damaging Evidence Against One Of the Men Arrested

AMONG ARTICLES IN HIS POCKETS.

A Cartist Dynamiter Released from Portland Prison by Order of High authority.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—A representative of the Associated Press was informed today that none of the men arrested on the charge of taking part in the dynamite conspiracy have applied to the United States embassy for protection, as might be expected were they naturalized Americans. Among the articles found in the pockets of the Hotzenan prisoner was a bill from a chemist at Antwerp (where a complete laboratory for the manufacture of bombs was discovered) for a large quantity, and a letter dated Boulogne-sur-Mer, Sept. 12th, addressed J. Wallace, in which are the following passages: "If you care not go to Scotland, come to Boulogne where ourselves can not be tolerated among our brothers."

A dispatch from Glasgow says the police have obtained additional evidence against Edward Bell.

The Evening Telegraph company this afternoon announces that Sir Matthew White Ridley, secretary of state for home affairs, has ordered the release of Joseph Bell, one of the Carlist dynamiters, from Portland prison.

FOR THEIR DEFENSE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The following statement is printed here today:

The Irish Nationalists of this city have headquarters in the Potter building, held a secret meeting at the home of one of the members last night and arrangements were made to provide counsel to defend Tynan and Kearney, the dynamite suspects, and prevent their being taken to England for trial. It is said that $2,000 were subscribed and the fund will be increased to $50,000 today.

Later an investigation of the statements made proves them without foundation in fact.

John Daly's Welcome.

LONDONDERRY, Ireland, Sept. 15.—Upon the arrival here of John Daly, the released Irish dynamiter, the mayor and the corporation officers of the town met him and an ovation was tendered him by many thousands of people. In replying to an address Daly again repudiated the dynamite outrage and said that he believed that Gladstone were too noble, brave and generous to advocate such principles. Daly also paid a visit to his mother in the city.

The houses of Lemerick were illuminated and there was a torchlight procession in Daly's honor.

INSANE ASYLUM VICTIM

A Woman Imprisoned There by her Husband and Son.

Startling Tale of Hate it Was Done so That Her of Property she Had Acquired.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Through the filing of a suit in the superior court yesterday a story which would read almost incredible came to light.

The plaintiff is Mrs. Elizabeth Cavanaugh, an aged woman who owns considerable property and she designates as the defendants her son Robert and her husband Morris Cavanaugh, she charges them with having conspired together to rob her of her possessions and with having kidnapped her and caused her to be held a prisoner for four long months in a local private insane asylum.

Years ago Mrs. Cavanaugh took in washing. She saved her money and invested it in the then Mission sand wastes. When the city grew and her property became valuable she was in comfortable circumstances. Then she said to her prosperity she recently won quite a sum, she in a lottery.

After this stroke of good fortune her troubles began. Her husband commenced to work and her son induced her to execute a deed of trust, placing all her property in his hands. He and his father then induced her to leave the house, one night and conveyed her to an asylum, from which she was released by another son, a teacher in the Jesuit college to whom she managed to smuggle a letter.

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THE SUPREME COURT

Attorneys Admitted to Practice and Appeals Cases Reviewed.

IN THE THIRD DISTRICT COURT.

Judges Street and Ritchie are Busy—Suit Against a Nursery on Account of Sour Grapes.

C. O. Willey Jr. and James F. Smith were today admitted to practice in the Supreme court of the state of Utah. The admission was upon recommendation of an examining committee composed of A. N. Cherry, Henry Van Pelt and Jno. G. Gray, Esqs. On motion of D. H. Wenger, H. L. Pickett of the supreme court bar of California was also admitted to the bar of this court.

In the case of Wm. Perego, appellant, vs Wm. H. Dodge et al, appellant's request to file a bill in equity alleging fraud on the part of respondents in securing judgment against appellants, was taken under advisement till tomorrow.

James McGregor vs Silver King Mining company, appellant, and Crescent Mining company vs Silver King Mining company, appellant; ten days additional time granted respondent in which to file a petition for rehearing in each case.

State of Utah ex rel Morgan Richards Jr., State auditor, vs Charles E. Stanton, clerk of the Third district court in and for Salt Lake county, permission given for the filing of writ of mandamus issued against Charles E. Stanton and case set for hearing on September 25th.

Wasatch Mining company, respondent, vs Francis T. Jennings et al, executors of Wm. Jennings, deceased, appellants; arguments for appellant by Jos. L. Rawlins and hearing proceeding with argument in behalf of appellant by Mr. Dickson.

THE DISTRICT COURT.

Cases Done by Judges Street and Ritchie Today.

Judge Street made the following orders in the civil division of the Third district court today:

De Lorenzo et al vs Charles Oneille, petition to remove contest overruled and the says to answer.

Geo. Mallet & Co. vs Frank Burmester et al; motions to be set with N. J. Hill.

Chas. J. Handley vs Daniel Powers; dismissed for want of prosecution.

J. H. E. Webster vs Thomas Head; motions by counsel to strike out.

W. J. Gilbert vs J. H. Bacon et al; time to file bond on attachment extended to Monday next.

Blue Mazey Piano company vs F. J. Brown; send to the foot of the calendar.

J. H. Bowman vs Salt Lake county et al; demurrer to last amended complaint argued and submitted.

J. H. E. Webster vs John Hall, and J. H. E. Webster vs E. E. Hansen; motion by plaintiff, on affidavits, for a continuance.

John R. Wilson vs Pacific Loan & Building company; jury waived; trial.

Judge Ritchie today heard the demurrer to the amended and supplemental complaint in the case of Dominick F. Cuzzy vs J. C. Hudson et al, and took the matter under advisement.

He heard also and hearing proceeding Jens S. Blom, a native of Germany, and Carl August Carlgren, a Swede.

SOUR GRAPES.

A Nursery Company Sued for Damages on Grape Vines.

Tomy William Bartlett entered suit in the Third district court against the Utah Nursery company upon a complaint which alleges that in March, 1892, the defendant company sold to the plaintiff $250 worth of nursery stock in the shape of 1,000 grape vines. The company, it is said, knew that the vines to have been continued and adapted to growth in Weber county, and that they would produce grapes equal to the best grown in California. Contrary to the guarantee of the company, says the complaint, the grapes produced failed to ripen and were, and still continue to be, worthless to the plaintiff. He therefore prays for damages in the sum of $1,000 and for costs of suit. Dickson & Dickson are attorneys for the plaintiff.

HOW ALIEN WOMEN CAN VOTE.

They Must First Marry a Citizen and a Qualified Voter.

This morning Attorney General Bishop received a telegram from C. W. Sorenson, registrar at Mount Pleasant, containing the following question: "An alien woman, with a citizen, can she register and vote?"

A reply was immediately telegraphed to Mr. Sorenson, saying:

"Yes; if the citizen is a voter."

No County Bond Sale.

It is probable that there will be no sale of county bonds made until after the election in November, in fact that seems to be the determination of the county commissioners, who will refuse all offers which are not advantageous to the county. At yesterday evening's meeting the board received several offers which were made and the matter is now therefore held in abeyance.

The matter of election booths was also deferred till next meeting and in the meantime Dyke & Dyke refuse to put up the necessary bond required and the commissioners decline to replace it.

After passing upon a number of minor matters and claims the board adjourned till Monday next.

THE GREEN BAG.

W. C. Hall and Tom Holmes have declined to act on the police and fire board.

The board of insane asylum commissioners will tomorrow hold its meeting at Provo, adjourned from last week.

John C. Davis of the supreme court of Pennsylvania was yesterday admitted to the bar of the supreme court of Utah.

Royal P. Young of this city and Agnes Lee of Pioneer, Lincoln county, Nevada, were today given a license to marry, as were E. M. James and Eva S. Skinner, both of this city.

Maria A. Gleason has entered suit for a divorce against John J. Gleason, whom she says is guilty of chemetrous misleading her and is habitually intoxicated. Mr. Gleason asks for a decree of divorce and alimony and that she be allowed to resume the name of a former husband, Cassidy.

The mandate of the Supreme Court of the United States affirming the decision of the lower courts in the case of William Perego vs William H. Dodge et al, was received yesterday. The action was begun in March, 1886, to quiet the title to certain valuable mining ground in Summit county, which the defendants claimed. In the lower court judgment was rendered in favor of defendants, and this judgment has since been affirmed by the territorial Supreme court and the Supreme Court of the United States.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Very Trust of Railroad Land in Summit County Unassessed.

The State board of equalization met today, Lund, Thomas, Booth and Dee all members present. Secretary Thomas reported that the county assessors of Davis, Juab, Millard, Rich, Utah, Washington, Wayne and Weber had not yet made returns as to the total assessment of their respective districts. The delinquent officials will immediately be called to task for their failure.

The secretary was instructed to compile the reports of the several county auditors of the assessed of property assessed in their counties.

Chairman Lund brought up the matter of the complaint of Mr. Walsh of Summit county to the effect that there were 40,000 to 50,000 acres of land owned by the Union Pacific in that county that was unassessed.

The secretary was instructed to promptly communicate with the Summit county commissioners and the Union Pacific railway officials regarding the entire.

Mr. Booth was instructed to draft rules to govern the action of assessors and county boards of equalization and the secretary instructed to prepare blank for assessment rules and taxpayers' statement for 1897, after which the board adjourned.

U. of U. Examinations.

The entrance examinations to the University of Utah will be held in the University main building, commencing at 10 a.m. tomorrow morning.

This Morning's Fire.

Shortly after 10 o'clock this morning the fire department was summoned to the residence of D. J. Sullivan at 315 South Seventh East street. The summer kitchen adjoining the house had taken fire through sparks from a chimney and through the prompt action of the department, coupled with the assistance of a bucket brigade, the blaze was extinguished, with but a nominal loss. The house although furnished has been unoccupied for about two weeks.

Wisconsin Conference Change.

TOMAH, Monroe County, Wisconsin, Sept. 1, 1896.—Having changed our headquarters from Milston, Wis., to Tomah, Monroe county, Wisconsin, I thought it proper to make it known through the columns of your esteemed paper to the saints generally. The state of Wisconsin now is a conference in itself. There are but four Elders in the conference at present. We are willing to present the truths of the everlasting Gospel before the people wherever we can, that all may have an opportunity to hear the same. We are willing to meet our friends of friends, and allaying much prejudice. Our greatest obstacle is the difference that is set before mankind in the part of our country in religious matters.

The health of the Elders is good. If any of the friends of the News have friends, relatives or acquaintances residing in this part of the country, we kindly ask them to inform us of their whereabouts, and we will visit them if opportunity permits. Following are names and addresses of Elders in this conference:

F. M. Dayton and J. J. Simmons, Tomah, Monroe county, Wisconsin.

F. M. Dayton and H. Christensen, Augusta, Eau claire county, Wisconsin.

FREDERICK J. CHRISTIANSEN, President Wisconsin Conference.

Snowflake Stake Conference.

The quarterly conference of the Snowflake Stake of Zion was held at St. Joseph on Sunday and Monday, Aug 30 and 31, 1896. There were in attendance the presidency of the Stake, most of the High Council and Bishops, besides quite a large congregation of the Saints from the neighboring settlements. Four meetings were held in the capitol and one Priesthood meeting on Sundayevening. An excellent feeling prevailed, and the speakers were all inspired to offer such instructions as were most needed to bring the people to a more perfect union. The generous hospitality of the few families composing the village of St. Joseph was rather heavily taxed with the multitude that flocked to open them; but they were equal to the occasion—like the Saints—and declared that the Lord will make it all up to them. The general and local authorities were sustained by the unanimous vote of the conference; and the Bishop's reports showed the people ordinarily prosperity profited throughout the Stake.

L. M. SAYANS, Clerk of Conference.

SERIOUS RUNAWAYS.

"Lem." Cohn Very Badly Injured Down on State Street.

TOM ECOTT'S HORSE KILLED.

John Merrill, a Lad of Seventeen, Thrown Out of a Buggy on Second South Street.

Two serious runaways created considerable excitement this morning and both were attended with more or less serious consequences.

The first one occurred on State street, between Third and Fourth South streets, and resulted in the death of a horse and the serious injury of Mr. "Lem." Cohn, a gentleman of between 60 and 65 years of age. It appears that a boy was driving along State street with a delivery wagon on which was a big advertising sign. In some way the sign fell from the wagon and frightened the horse attached and the animal ran into a cart driven by Deputy Sheriff Thomas and carrying he and Mr. Cohn. As a result the cart was smashed up, the occupants thrown out, Mr. Cohn falling on his face and right shoulder. The unfortunate gentleman's nose was broken and his right shoulder and collar bone probably fractured. A shaft of one of the rigs pierced the right side of one of the horses, owned by Mr. Tom McCoy, and the animal whirled around and dropped dead.

City Treasurer May conveyed Mr. Cohn to his home at 125 West, Fourth South street, and secured the attendance of Dr. Daily.

The second runaway occurred at the junction of Commercial street and Second South street, and John Merrill, a lad of about 17 who lives on Fifth East between Fourth and Fifth South streets, was the victim.

The boy was in the act of getting into the buggy, when by some means the whip fell on the horse's back and every the animal shot on a jump, throwing the boy out on the car track. The lad was picked up and carried to a drug store near by and Dr. Smith called in. It was found that a very severe cut was sustained under the chin and a bad contusion on the outside of the right eye, besides minor bruises of the body. The physician found it necessary to keep the boy lying on his back in the back room of the apothecary's store to keep him quiet, fearing that more harm at that time might aggravate the injuries so as to result in concussion of the brain. The lad was removed to his home later in the day. The rig belonged to Mr. F. J. Conway.

While the injuries in both cases are very severe at present writing, there is no cause to apprehend fatal results. The patients, however, will be laid up for some time.

CITY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

Enrollment Figures Last Evening Showed 9,319 for the First Day.

When the attendance of pupils was figured up last evening it showed that 9,319 had enrolled at the various city schools yesterday, the opening of the present school year. That is a gain of 336 over the opening day of last year, and shows the fact that interest in education is still manifest in Salt Lake. The only drawback is the lack of room for some of the lower grades and of proper accommodation for High School students. The enrollment by schools was as follows:

Franklin	520
Church	496
Lincoln	496
Washington	496
Bryant	496
Longfellow	496
Harper	496
Garfield	496
Polk	496
Jefferson	496
Franklin	496
Fremont	496
Grant	496
Irving	496
Jackson	496
Lincoln	496
Longfellow	496
Madison	496
Quincy	496
Washington	496
Wells	496
Wilson	496
Emerson	496
Tech	496
Twelfth	496
High School	496
University Training School	496
Total	9,319

BE INSULTED LADIES.

Gus Everes Fined $25 for Using Obscene Language.

In the police court today Gus Everes, who has been before Justice Wenger on several different occasions, was fined $25 for using obscene and insulting language to ladies. Everes, who is a tamable vender, was convicted on the testimony given by Frederick Maycock, also a dispenser of tamales, who testified that on last Friday the defendant while under the influence of liquor went along Second South street west of the poteeffice, insulting every lady whom he met. Everes is hard of hearing and it was extremely laughable to watch him as he sent every mouth wide open and hand to his auricular organ in his attempt to catch an understanding of the words which convicted him.

At the close of Maycock's testimony Justice Wenger asked Everes if he had anything to say, when he answered quickly, "Yes, he lies." He was afterwards sworn and testified in his own behalf, all the while holding up his right hand as he sat in the witness chair. His testimony contradicted that given by Mr. Maycock.