

BELL TELEPHONE SUES INDEPENDENT.

Alleges Fraud on Part of Defendant
In Using Same Numbers for
Business Departments.

HAS CAUSED MUCH ANNOYANCE

Plaintiff Claims to Have Lost Business
By Careless Patrons Calling up
Wrong Party.

Late yesterday afternoon the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company filed a complaint in the district court against the Utah Independent Telephone company, alleging fraud on the part of defendant in using the same numbers for its telephones as those adopted by the plaintiff. The numbers objected to are those used by defendant in its various business departments, it being alleged that the use of said numbers has occasioned plaintiff no end of trouble and annoyance, and put them to a great deal of unnecessary expense.

In this connection George Y. Wallace, Jr., attorney for plaintiff, cites the fact that the use of the same numbers by the independent has resulted in people calling up the plaintiff when they have some complaint to make about defendant's service. He calls attention to several instances where people had called up the Bell telephone department when there was something wrong with their independent phone. Men, he says, were sent out to discover the reason of the trouble and much time was wasted for nothing. Mr. Wallace states further that a subscriber of the independent company had called them up to have his telephone repaired and when the matter was not attended to he came to the Bell company to raise trouble.

It is also alleged that in the matter of contracts much business is lost to plaintiff by careless persons calling up the independent telephone inadvertently when they want the Bell and when they are giving better service, and are using every means in their power to retain their dwindling business. It is ridiculous to suppose that they will win the suit, but on the contrary it will rebound to the benefit of the independent company. We do not fear the result. The Bell company has no copyright on the telephone numbers and cannot keep us from using them if we so desire. Judge Hall has signed an order requiring defendant to appear Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock and show cause why an injunction should not be granted preventing the use of the numbers complained of.

INDIAN IN BUSINESS.

Convert to the Mormon Faith Proves
Himself an Insurance Man.

Life insurance is rather a new field for the red man. But he has finally invaded it, and with success, too. The young man who has pioneered the way of his people in this line of activity is a useful and respected member of the "Mormon" faith with a number of friends in Salt Lake. The story of his business life is thus told in an eastern newspaper: The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York has recently added to its list of agents a full-blooded Pima Indian, Lancelito Hill, from Phoenix, Ariz. The Pimas are an agricultural tribe of North American Indians, residing on reservations in the Salado and Gila valleys of southern Arizona. They number, as a tribe, about 4,500 individuals. Lancelito, a typical Indian of decidedly handsome cast of countenance, is at present twenty-one years of age. He was born in the reservation wigwam, fifteen miles east of Phoenix. His father's name was James Red Milky Way. Until Lancelito was twelve years of age he lived the carefree life of the savage boy, tempered only by occasional contact with Spanish "greasers" and Mexicans. At the age of twelve, however, his father placed him in the government school at Phoenix, where he remained until leaving for his present position with the Mutual Life. At this school over 800 Indian boys of which are girls—received their education from the United States. The Indians are of mixed tribes drawn from all the surrounding territory. The age limit is from five to twenty-one, all being required to leave at the latter age. Lancelito rapidly adopted the language and customs of civilization. Knowing no language but his own when he entered the school, in less than one year he was able to speak fair

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English, and at present speaks with but a slight accent. He took an active part in affairs at the school, playing right halfback on the "second" football team, and being promoted in the school band from bass drummer and cymbal man to the dignity of E-flat bass horn and a trombone in less than two months. He was also prominent in oratory, in which he won the first prize immediately before leaving the school.

Lancelito leaves in the west a family consisting of his parents, two married sisters, four half-brothers and a half-sister. His father still continues in the tribal condition, and speaks nothing but Pima and a little Spanish. Lancelito is well pleased with the east, and especially with his good fortune in having obtained a position with the oldest American insurance company and the largest in the world.

Special appropriateness is added to his employment by the Mutual Life, in view of the fact that this company's emblem is the well known Indian head, with the characteristic motto, "The First American Life Insurance Company."

UTAHNS AT THE FAIR.

Visitors Who Registered at State
Building July 18 to 24.

Special Correspondence.
St. Louis, July 25.—The following Utah visitors registered at the state building from July 18 to 24:

JULY 18.
Joseph R. Morrell, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Bradley, Allen P. Bradley, John W. Shurtliff, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Van Cott, Edison W. Coale, Irwin E. Pratt, David W. Henderson, Dolis M. Inney, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moyle, James E. Evans, Mrs. James A. Miner, Bruce M. Bradley, Mrs. Thomas Maloney, Miss Louie Moyle, Mrs. Dora Lavitt, Mrs. Nancy Nave.

JULY 19.
Hattie M. Wishard, Daisy L. Andrews, W. J. Young, A. W. Gates, Joel R. Parrish, Claire Heymanson, James G. Duffin, Mildred Cunningham, Henry Peterson, Nellie Herman, C. W. Ray, Mary L. McGee, Maude Holmes, A. Ed Anderson, Edith Herman.

JULY 20.
W. H. Irvine, L. M. Brown, Mrs. L. Marcell, J. I. White and wife, Fanny Marcell.

JULY 21.
R. L. Christensen, Fannie Cummings, Mrs. W. L. McLeod, Miss Glenn Douglas, J. A. Greenwald, Laura M. Cummings, George McCormick, D. J. Thurman, Mr. Myrtle Reese, Miss Nora Reese, Mrs. McCormick, F. R. Daniels.

JULY 22.
Carrie J. Stewart, Mrs. F. M. Grady and son, George M. Sharkey, W. T. Brooking, Joseph S. Jones, The realtors, David J. Richards, George S. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richardson, Alina Timothy, Martin I. Rushman, James McFarlane, George C. Keller, Ralph Kilman, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hedquist, Julius P. Gertsch, William H. Snyder, Rudolph Marti, Frank Murphy, Rodney Hillman, Charles C. Wendelboe, Beryl Nelson, Mrs. Sam Newman.

PIONEER DAY IN ST. LOUIS.

Utah People Celebrate the State's
Natal Day at the World's Fair.

Special Correspondence.
St. Louis, July 26.—Even in this city where everyone is so busy "doing" the fair, time was taken by the missionaries, the Saints and their friends to do honor to the memories of that brave hand-full of history-making pioneers who entered the Salt Lake valley fifty-seven years ago.

Away from the din and noise of the city, the merry party claimed one corner of beautiful O'Fallon park, overlooking the great river, and with flags, flowers and bunting decked it in holiday attire.

Amidst the greatest enthusiasm the following entertaining program was carried out:
Song—Utah, the Queen of the West.
Invocation—Elder Archie P. Spila-bury.
Song—The Star Spangled Banner.
Address of Rev. Josephine Cluff.
Solo—Jeanette Martin.
Recitation, "A Woman's Choice,"—Elder Attewell Wootton.
Song—O ye Mountains High.
Oration—Prof. Horace G. Cummings.
Chorus—Sunday school primary class.
Song—America.
Benediction—Elder Archie P. Spila-bury.

An elaborate luncheon was then spread, at which appropriate toasts were responded to, followed by games and songs in which all took part. When the party time came, the members reluctantly returned to their homes, carrying with them a deeper love and respect for those noble pioneers and a pleasant memory of the first Pioneer Day in St. Louis.

The Elders and sisters are being very successful in their work both in canvassing the city and in arousing the interest of members of long standing, who, through being deprived of meetings and church associations for a number of years, have become lax in their religious duties.

An effort is also being made to reach members and friends who are visiting the fair, and our attendance at Sunday school and evening services is often greatly augmented by their presence as well as that of missionaries going to and from their respective fields of labor.

A cordial invitation is extended to all home people, coming to the fair, to spend Sunday morning and evening with the Saints at St. Louis.

JEANETTE McKAY.

Cheap Rates to Boston
Via New York City and Boat.

\$29.75 for the round trip from Chicago, via New York City, morning and evening, 12th and 14th, with liberal stopover at New York City returning, and also stopover at Niagara Falls and Chautauque Lake within thirty days, if desired. Also rate of \$17.50 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 8:15 a. m. August 1st. 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 \$2 to \$1.00, also service à la carte. Write Chas. E. Johnson, District Passenger Agent, Nickel Plate Road, Room 205 Century Building, Denver, Colo., for reservation of berth in through standard and tourist sleeping cars, and full particulars.

PROVO CANYON AND RETURN, \$2.00

July 30th—Good Until Aug. 1st.

Good fishing. Splendid family resort at Upper Falls. Delightful surroundings. Cool canyon breezes. No mosquitoes. Train leaves Salt Lake 9:00 p. m., returning leaves Upper Falls 9:00 p. m. Sunday and 3:10 p. m. Monday.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK BRIGHTENING UP.

Confidence in a Good Fall and
Winter Trade is
Growing.

HARVESTS WILL BE EXCELLENT

Spirit of Optimism Grows—Chicago
Retailers Are Said to Be
Pessimistic.

New York, July 29.—The advisers received this week from special agents of the International Mercantile agency at the leading trade centers of the country are in the main, satisfactory. The spirit of optimism is growing and confidence in a good fall and winter business increases from week to week. Current activity in the different industrial lines is not great, but it is better than it was a year ago with the very wholesome influence of a faith in better things. A decided reaction has occurred in the movement of stocks, but this is not due to any material change in business prospects.

There has been good growing weather for the crops which are approaching harvest under continued improved conditions. In the spring wheat sections of the northwest some rust has been discovered which will reduce the yield. Harvesting is in progress in nearly all of the leading winter wheat states, and the results betoken a good crop. Fall orders being received are thought they would be two weeks ago. It is beginning to be believed, though, that the total yield will leave a small exportable surplus and that the price of wheat and flour during the next 12 months will be high. The speculative months are now at the top price for this movement, having been helped by a war scare which produced an opposite effect on stocks. The return on wheat in the southwest have stimulated business in that part of the country. Collections in the St. Louis district have far exceeded those of last year. Fall orders being received are beyond expectations. Boots and shoes have been in especially good demand though clothing is slow. Dallas reports bright trade prospects.

The first symptom of discouragement that has been shown at Kansas City is apparent this week in reports of a slack condition of trade in most lines. Chicago retailers are said to be more pessimistic than they ought to be in view of actual events. The packing house strike casts a shadow over trade clothing, men's furnishings, shoes and wearing apparel quite satisfactory. Indianapolis indicates some improvement in dry goods and shoes, though with hardware behind last year. The most gratifying trade statements of all are those from Pittsburgh. This is due to the improvement that has come about in the iron and steel trade. The tone in this basic trade is certainly much better than it has been in a year, and a sharp revival in it is not improbable after election.

WORLD'S FAIR EMPLOYEES.

Their Salaries Are Reduced From
5 to 20 Per Cent.

St. Louis, July 28.—An order was promulgated today, effective Aug. 1, reducing the salaries of all employees of the world's fair company from 5 to 20 per cent. The reductions vary according to the amount received, those receiving the smallest salary of \$20 having reduced the least, and those of \$50 a month or less will be affected by the retrenchment order.

It was stated today by an official of the exposition that during the past year the reduction of salaries is part of a general retrenchment plan, by which the position company hopes to save many thousands dollars. No one of the thousands has been received by many employees, and after Aug. 1 the working force in the executive departments of the fair will be cut down to the lowest possible figure commensurate with the amount of the work that it is necessary to transact.

ISAAC V. BARNUM DEAD.

Was Inventor of Hemming Attachment for Sewing Machines.

New York, July 28.—Isaac V. Barnum, inventor of the hemming attachment for sewing machines and who is said to have possessed a fortune of \$500,000 a few years ago, died in poverty today in Brooklyn.

ARRESTED BY GERMANS.

Manager Schubert Accused of Hav-
ing Military Plans.

New York, July 28.—Samuel Schubert, the theatrical manager, today received a cubic dispatch from his brother, Lee Schubert, that the latter was held by the authorities at Aix la Chapelle, Germany, for having military plans in his possession. The dispatch added that Mr. Schubert had called upon the United States consul, Frank H. Brundage, for assistance and had explained to him that the photographs plates which were in his possession were in a new play which he proposed to produce.

Time to Call Out Troops.

Denver, Colo., July 29.—The News today prints the following from an interview with President Charles H. Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners, who is here to confer with officials of that organization:
"It is time to call out the troops again to protect our men in the Cripple Creek district. There is no legal authority to control things. A mob controls and our men are being subjected to white-cappings, whippings and every sort of brutal treatment. I am sure that the governor had wanted to be fair but he would have ended martial law, withdrawn all the troops and left the commission and mob in control, leaving our helpless men to the mercy of that mob. He simply indorses the mob, asks us to call off the strike and let them love our men to go back. To call the strike off would be to acknowledge that we were wrong; that the treatment we had received was right, and that we got what was due us."

"The governor ignores the real issue. He asks that we call off the strike because he has called off the military, and then let the people decide who is right. If the people were to decide that the governor's military policy was right that would not settle a single question at issue. Let the governor, the mine owners and the Citizens Alliance submit the questions that caused us to strike—the eight-hour day and the right to organize. If he had asked for a de-

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

(DO YOU REMEMBER?)
Henry M. Stanley came out of Africa and reported having established trading stations for 400 miles along the Congo.
Meetings ratifying the nomination of Grover Cleveland for president were held in all principal cities from coast to coast.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.
The Japanese fleet sunk three Chinese cruisers in a fierce engagement, resulting in the loss of 1,000 lives.
Enoch Davis, the wife murderer, was sentenced to death.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.
The Hancock, carrying the Utah volunteers, dropped anchor in San Francisco harbor.
The project to make a park of the hollow at the mouth of City Creek canyon was first heard of.

clison on these questions I might have called off the strike.
"We have not yet taken up the matter of calling off the strike, but I do not see why it should be called off. It is just as well in the beginning it is just now and its continuance is just. The governor and his adjutant general convict themselves. They have been saying that the strike was over, yet they ask us to call off the strike, which they say does not exist."
"But I believe that our men will go back anyhow. If they do go back, unarmed and peaceable, as they would go, the governor will have a chance to show the people whether he is fair or not."

NEW YORK GOVERNORSHIP.

Ex-Secretary Root Says He Could
Not Accept a Nomination.

New York, July 28.—A letter from former Secretary of War Root to Gov. Odell, in which Mr. Root stated he could not be considered a candidate for governor, and could not accept the place, was read today at a conference here of Republican state leaders.

PANAMA CANAL ZONE.

Not a Part of United States in
Full Meaning of Constitution.

Washington, July 28.—Comptroller of the Treasury Tracewell, in an opinion today, defining the authority of the Panama canal commission regarding disbursements and the relation of the canal zone to the United States, holds that, while the "general spirit and purpose" of the Constitution is applicable to the zone, the zone is not a part of the United States within the "full meaning of the Constitution and laws of the country."

He held that until Congress, by express legislation shall have prescribed the form of government of the zone, the will and sound discretion of the president and his commission will control, subject only to the general spirit and purpose of the Constitution and the local revenues of the zone shall be handled in accordance with such rules as they may authorize.

He holds it unnecessary to decide whether those revenues are in a general sense moneys of the United States, because they are not such moneys of the United States as are required to be paid into the treasury department. The comptroller also holds that the commission would have no authority to adopt a system of allotting pay by employees on the isthmus, similar to that in use in the navy.

WAY AND LATTIMER.

Light Thrown on Their Murder
In Mexico.

El Paso, Tex., July 29.—A letter just received in this city by a real estate firm from a mining man operating near Aguas Calientes, Mexico, throws some light on the murder of Messrs. Way and Lattimer several days ago. The letter states the blame entirely upon the Mexican authorities and says there is little chance of redress as Gen. Torres, who is the power in the Sinaloa district, will not allow the American consul at Mazatlan to send out a true report of the affair.

According to his statement, Torres, the nephew of Gen. Torres, went to the city clerk and asked for a warrant against the blame of Way. This was refused on the ground that the American had done nothing to base a warrant on. Torres left and made out a warrant himself and sent two officers to serve it.

The warrant was issued only for Way, and when the officers arrived he agreed to go with them, provided they would wait until he had finished his breakfast. This they refused to do, and Lattimer, who was Way's cook, walked away from the men toward the house. The officers, evidently fearing that Lattimer was going for arms and he was promptly shot. Way, when he saw Lattimer fall, started toward him, and they then turned on him and shot him dead.

The letter adds that great indignation prevails among the local Americans. Both Way and Lattimer had many friends in El Paso, where they lived formerly, and these talk of forcing a rigid investigation through the state department.

ATTACK ON PORT ARTHUR.

Report from Yokohama Says That
A General One Has Begun.

London, July 29.—Special dispatches from Shanghai and Yokohama report that a general attack on Port Arthur has begun.
A report that Gen. Kuropatkin is wounded, which is appearing in various quarters, seems to have originated at Tien Tsin, but it is not confirmed from any reliable source.

The Times correspondent at Tokio says it appears to be clearly proved that the Russians in Manchuria are using dum-dum bullets.

RUSSIANS ARE SANGUINE.

Chefoo, July 28.—A Russian army officer who is a trusted agent of Gen. Stoessel, the commander of the forces at Port Arthur, arrived here yesterday for the purpose of purchasing steel for use in the dock yards at Port Arthur. This officer declares that the Russians are sanguine that Port Arthur will never fall.

The Pope Cannot Inherit.

Paris, July 29.—The Temps today prints a dispatch from Rome announcing that a court at Naples which had been hearing a contested will case, decided that the pope is incapable of inheriting in Italy which, hitherto, has been disputed.

Child Drowned at Boise.

Boise, Ida., July 28.—Alma Nelson, the three-year-old daughter of Robert Nelson, fell from a foot bridge into a slough this evening and was drowned. The child's body was recovered shortly after the accident. She was endeavoring to follow her mother, who had gone over to a neighbor's after milk.

Russians Lose Campaign.

London, July 29.—The Daily Mail's Newchwang correspondent in a long description of the battle of Ta Tehe Kiao, which mainly repeats the details already known, says it was not until the Japanese attacked all along their front that the Russians retreated.

The Japanese artillery was immeasurably superior and their sharpshooters were very destructive. Russian runners were down by hundreds, but the guns were fought with magnificent bravery.

The Russian officers, the correspon-

dent adds, speak in the highest terms of the bravery of their men. They say Russia already has lost one campaign owing to the recklessness of the czar's advisers, but that she must have Manchuria and that she is now preparing for another campaign.

To Study Protocol With Peru.

New York, July 28.—The chamber of deputies has appointed a commission to study the protocol concluded with Peru which the executive has sent to congress, says the Rio Janeiro correspondent of the Herald.

Negotiations for a commercial treaty with Argentina are progressing, though somewhat slowly. Argentina has proposed to grant a reduction of 10 per cent on all Brazilian products. The government is therefore examining the statistical data referring to the commercial interchange between the two countries.

It is asserted that the senate while discussing the fiscal law will eliminate the sixth article, which grants a tariff reduction on American flour.

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<p>Dressing Sacques and Kimonos.</p> <p>Made of lawn and organdies, lace trimmed, white and colored:</p> <p>95c for.....\$1.45 \$1.50 for.....\$2.25 \$2.00 for.....\$2.95 \$2.50 for.....\$3.75</p>		<p>Boys' Straw Hats.</p> <p>Made of plain and rough straw, ribbon trimmed, all sizes.</p> <p>\$1.50 and \$2.00 grade, 75c for..... 50c and 75c grade, 35c for.....</p>
<p>Ladies' Fancy Cotton Lisle Hose.</p> <p>All colors and styles, regular 65c for.....50c</p>		<p>Pyrography.</p> <p>Outfits, new ideas in designs, everything new in burnt wood work. See window.</p>
<p>Children's Hose.</p> <p>Double knee, high spliced heel and toe, silk finish, black; regular 15c and 25c hose, for.....10c</p>	<p>Infants' Silk Hose.</p> <p>All sizes in pink, blue and tan, 65c; now.....39c</p>	<p>Ladies' Black Hose.</p> <p>Spliced heel and toe, silk finish and ribbed top, regular 20c, now.....10c</p>

Saturday's Selling AT COHN'S

Means Substantial Money-Saving for the Economical Buyers. Study this Attractive List. It will repay you for the brief time you give it.

<p>49 cts.</p> <p>Will buy shirt waists made of sheer white lawn, tucked yokes and fronts, or embroidery trimmed, white lawn with black dots and navy blue and black. Values 75c to \$1.25.</p>	<p>15 cts. yard</p> <p>Will buy the genuine Anderson Scotch zephyrs, 32 inches wide in both plain colors and checks, 25c is the regular price.</p>	<p>10 cts.</p> <p>A pair will buy a splendid pair of women's lisle finish black stockings or pair of men's black cotton socks or children's fine black ribbed hose, never sold under 15c.</p>
<p>\$1.25</p> <p>Will buy girls' sailor suits made of the best Amesbury gingham, broad trimmings, sizes from 4 to 12 years. The regular prices of these run up to \$3.00.</p>	<p>10 cts.</p> <p>Will buy a white belt made of pique and madras with removable gilt buckle. 25c is the regular price.</p>	<p>19 cts.</p> <p>Will buy a pair of women's black or white lisle gloves, the regular price is 35c.</p>
<p>8 1/2 cts</p> <p>Will buy an unbleached Turkish bath towel, size 20x36, worth 15c.</p>	<p>19 cts.</p> <p>Will buy a handsome stylish belt in leading colors and white, in both leather and washable materials, fully worth 60c.</p>	<p>25 cts.</p> <p>Will buy a pair of our regular 65c Mexican stitch, ready-to-wear fancy socks, displayed in show case in the entrance.</p>
<p>9 cts</p> <p>Will buy a good huck towel, size 18x40, worth 15c.</p>	<p>17 cts.</p> <p>Will buy 2 1/2 pound bar of green castle soap sells everywhere for 25c.</p>	<p>27 cts.</p> <p>Will buy ladies' white muslin corset cover, trimmed across front with two rows of lace insertion lace around neck and arms, worth 60c.</p>
<p>10 cts. yard</p> <p>Will buy our best quality toilet de nord gingham that you will soon want for school dresses and boys' waists. 15c is the regular price.</p>	<p>\$1.25</p> <p>Will buy one of those swell shopping bags latest shape with card case and coin purse furnishings, usually sells for \$2.25.</p>	

Cohn's

75c

Will buy Ladies' White Muslin Skirt, wide flounce trimmed with fine tucks and wide torchon lace, worth \$1.25.

35c

Will buy Ladies' White Muslin Drawers, wide umbrell shape, flounce trimmed with fine tucks, hemstitching and lace edge, worth 50c.

DRY GOODS STORE
222-224 MAIN ST.

THE DRAWING FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR TICKETS TAKES PLACE THIS SATURDAY EVENING PROMPTLY AFTER 10 O'CLOCK. GET YOUR COUPONS INTO THE BOX.