

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

The Great Country Paper of the West.

IS MAKING MANY IMPROVEMENTS

Church Completes Paving of Street East of Temple Block.

WALL RECEIVES IRON COVER.

Big Barn Being Removed to Make Way for New Gymnasium—Old Landmark to be Preserved.

Issued Mondays and Thursdays and Contains All the Cream of the Daily and Saturday News.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Desert Trolley Cars—Supt. R. E. Hunt of the street railway, and wife, have gone to Provo canyon for a week's fishing.

To Attend Convention—Dr. Grace Stratton, 100 S. 2nd, Kansas City in a few days to attend the annual convention of osteopaths.

Mrs. Horsley Very Ill—Mrs. C. H. Horsley of 224 F street, is reported in a critical condition at the L. D. S. hospital, from appendicitis.

John D. Evans Dead—John D. Evans, 100 S. 2nd street, Ninth Ward, died last night, of paralysis. He was a native of Wales, and leaves a widow and eight children.

Horn Kills Five Horses—A fine dray horse belonging to P. J. Moran, and valued at \$300, dropped dead at Third and Second East streets, at 11 o'clock last night, overcome by the heat.

Col. Scott Improving—Col. Walter Scott of the Fifteenth infantry is able to sit up and receive his friends at Fort Douglas. He appears to be getting along better than was expected to the gratification of many friends.

Falls From Bicycle—Elliott Gillespie of 664 west Fourth North, nephew of Patrolman Gillespie, fell from a bicycle yesterday afternoon and received painful injuries. The thumb nail of his right hand was torn off and his head and face were cut and bruised. The youngster was picked up and taken to the emergency hospital, where Dr. G. S. Paul dressed the wounds.

Zion's Savings Bank & Trust Co. Pays 4 per cent on deposits. JOSEPH F. SMITH, President. ANTHONY H. LUHND, Vice-President. O. C. BEEBE, Cashier.

MARTIN COAL CO. All kinds of Coal. Phones 520.

THE DESERET BUILDING SOCIETY.

No. 18 East South Temple Street (Templeton Building), loans its money on first mortgages to home builders. Over 6,000 shares installed stock (payable after one year) per share already subscribed; nearly 4,000 shares yet to be had. The Society also offers 2,000 shares (\$100 per share) paid up stock, on which 6 per cent, per annum, payable quarterly, is guaranteed. Stock withdrawable in cash under the rules.

Nephil L. Morris, president; Hugh J. Cannon, vice-president; Quayle Cannon, secretary; O. C. Beebe, treasurer.

ENTER STORMY PROTEST

Merchants Object to Show of Discrimination and Granting of Special Privileges.

Hardware dealers and mining machinery firms who were compelled by enforcement of the city ordinance to remove all signs from the sidewalk in front of their premises, were not satisfied when they saw that favorite jam was shown in the matter. It was found that the Salt Lake Hardware company, with whom firm Councilman Black is associated, was not complying with the law. Consequently a letter was addressed to the council, calling that body's attention to the matter. After a few days of importunate communications of law was interjected after reaching the hands of the recorder and before presentation to the council.

Finding that nothing was being done to place all persons on an equal footing in regard to the ordinance mentioned, another letter has been sent to the mayor and council, reading as follows:

"Salt Lake City, Utah,
July 15, 1908.
To the Hon. Mayor and City Council,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

"Sir—Some months ago the undersigned, some merchants, went to the city hall to remonstrate with the recorder in pieces of machinery occurring sidewalk space in front of their respective places of business. We were glad to comply with this request, believing it would assist in a great measure to beautify the principal streets of this city.

"Certainly machinery houses on Second south street have not complied with this order and the sidewalk display is being increased from time to time.

"We understand certain ordinances prohibit the use of sidewalk space for this purpose and we respectfully petition your honorable body to enforce the ordinance against all dealers in machinery and hardware unfortunate in favor of our dealer over another.

"Respectfully submitted,

"Fairbanks, Morse & Co.,
"By C. E. Bolton, manager,
"Mine and Smelter Supply Co."

"By J. W. Gates, manager,
"Utah Mining Machinery & Supply Co."
"By J. E. Galligher."

This is not the first case where communications are lost in transit or never get back from committees. The mayor's letter and the above are only two of many.

"Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil is the best remedy for that often fatal disease—croup. Has been used with success in our family for eight years."—Mrs. L. Whiteacre, Buffalo, N. Y.

EXCURSION TO CANADA.

August 10th.
Via Oregon Short Line. Greatly reduced rates to Stirling, Raymond, McGrath, Cardston and Lethbridge, 30 day limit. See display advertisement in this paper for rates, or City Ticket Agent, 201 Main St.

Salt Lake Photo and Supply Co. Kodaks, Finishing, framing, 14 Main St.

JOIN YOUR FRIENDS
And eat your lunch at that cool place,
THE ROYAL CAFE.

Don't overlook the special Sheet Music sale. Chamberlain Music Co., 51 Main St.

WILL TEAR UP MAIN STREET.

Plan to Resurface Thoroughfare Is Again Being Agitated.

The matter of resurfacing Main street, from South Temple to Fourth South street, is again to be agitated. Property owners favorable to the proposition claim that their ranks have been swelled by persons who fought down the proposition a few weeks ago. Those who have changed their minds have done so, it is said, upon the assurance that the street will be permitted

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A CONTENTED WOMAN.

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