

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

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

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Poultry Association to Meet—The Utah State Poultry Association will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Commercial club.

Steam Hoists Removed—The steam hoists at the New Hotel buildings have been transferred from Exchange place to within the buildings for operation.

Out of Quarantine—H. Wilson of the Y. M. C. was taken today from quarantine due to diphtheria in his family, the legal limit having expired.

Boiler Blow Out—One of the boilers in the public library blew out yesterday, causing a loss of \$1,000. No one was injured and the building was not damaged.

Foundation Now In—The foundations of the Women's building at Westminster college have been put in and are now ready for the superstructure.

On Financial Business—Cashier George Ford of the First National bank of Provo, was in here yesterday on a route to Rock Springs on financial business.

Statement Blank—The local U. S. land office has received blanks for declaratory statements and applications for purchase of coal lands. For sale by persons desiring to secure such properties.

Correspondence Method—The faculty of the Salt Lake High school has introduced the correspondence method of studying foreign languages, which has proven a success elsewhere.

Broke Her Wrist—Mrs. W. H. Foster of 111 C street, aged 59, fell over a street car at Second and Main streets last night, breaking her wrist. There were no lights there to warn pedestrians.

Joint Meeting—There will be a joint meeting of the Ladies Aid society and Women's Mission circle of the First Baptist church, 7 o'clock, at 2:30 p. m., at the residence of T. J. Nipper, 1014 Brigham street.

Analysis of Lake Water—Prof. H. H. Henshaw of the University has completed an analysis of Great Salt Lake water, whose density he finds to be 1.13107, the greatest since 1903, when the figure was 1.1292.

Railroad Men Go East—J. A. Reeves, general freight agent of the Oregon Short Line, C. J. McNitt, auditor and A. E. Hitchcock, general purchasing agent, of the Oregon Short Line, left for Chicago yesterday. A conference with J. C. Stubbs is on tap.

Will Elect Captain—Company C, First regiment, will elect a captain Wednesday night, to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Capt. A. O. Miller. Elmer J. Pike has been in command of the company since, and his elevation to the captaincy is considered probable.

Funeral of William Bassett—Funeral services for William R. Bassett of White Pine county, Nev., were held yesterday afternoon, from 4 o'clock to 5 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. M. O. Oliver, Rector Perkins of St. Paul's church officiating.

Detained for Elopement—Advice from Los Angeles is to the effect that Mabel Ketchum, 12, and Harry Henson, aged 16, both of Salt Lake, are detained in the California city for elopement. The couple were arrested last night when they were found in a rooming house on probation there, while the girl would be sent to her home.

Modern Woodmen Officers—The local lodge of Modern Woodmen of America, whose officers last night were: A. D. McGuire, venerable consul; C. L. Dais, advisor; J. W. Ewin, clerk; J. W. Ritchie, steward; D. S. Tall street; A. Levy, J. A. Sprague and Dr. Townsend, physicians.

Shipped to San Francisco—The embalmed remains of Joe Dowd alias Smith, have been shipped to San Francisco by Undertaker O'Donnell. In death, the countenance of the desperado indicated that had his career been otherwise directed, he might have been not only a useful citizen, but a man of force of character.

Vindictive Not Labeled—There is considerable complaint from residents of the Third ward against the vindictive over the O. S. L. tracks that recently were laid, and it is only a few nights since an attempt was made to hold up a woman there. She managed to escape by hard running and screaming.

To Form Alumni Association—The recent graduates of the University of Chicago will meet next Friday evening at the University club to organize an alumni association. Some 33 graduates are expected to attend. There are enough graduates of Michigan, Yale, Harvard and Princeton at Salt Lake to organize such an association, also.

Eastern Gift Received—Westminster college of this city recently received an eastern gift of \$1,000, to be raised in order to secure a proposed gift of \$15,000 toward the erection of the new buildings. The \$1,000 which remains yet to be subscribed before the \$15,000 becomes available.

Improvements at Kenyon—Improvements have begun at the Kenyon hotel, but they are being carried on so as not to interfere in any way with the hotel administration. The water system has been remodelled so as to be part of the scheme, and there is not the sound of a hammer heard there to disturb the morning. Thus adding the finishing of guest rooms.

Pumping Plant Ready—The pumps to be used at the station on Clark hill have arrived and will soon be installed and in running order. Within two weeks the City Engineer Kelso, together with the other members of the city council, and others, will inspect the plant. The water to be pumped by the 120 horsepower engine is that from the lake to be supplied for the City Cottonwood water.

Chauffeurs Annual Ball—The annual ball of the chauffeurs will give their annual ball this evening in the new dancing academy on Market street, with Mayor Brantford to lead the grand march. There will be a large number of their homes in auto. The dance will be under the direction of Bert Fuller, Carl Holman a Jack Miller. The proceeds of the function will go towards furnishing club rooms for the chauffeurs.

Wake from Love's Dream—The happy dream of the 5 and 11th wards of Provo and Italy B. Ward of Knightville, Utah county, were nearly interrupted yesterday by Deputy County Clerk Gibbs. Madmen had

come all the way from Knightville with his sweetheart in quest of a marriage license. When the girl advised that she was only 17 years of age, Gibbs flatly refused to issue the license. Unhappily the boy and the girl retraced their steps to the depot and thereupon returned to their high county homes.

More Prisoners Than Cells—There are 241 prisoners at the state prison and 240 cells. As the appropriation for the enlargement of the prison was cut out, the warden is being forced to expedite his ingenuity to distribute the inmates so as not to put two into one cell. During the recent week ending Nov. 30, there were 113 prisoners discharged. What the warden will do when the number of convicts gets up to 250, as it is likely to in the course of the next six months, can not be stated, as he does not know himself.

Knight's Eldest Officers—At last evening's election of the Knights of Columbus the following officers were chosen: Grand knight, Thomas J. O'Brien; deputy grand knight, D. J. O'Brien; secretary, J. J. O'Brien; treasurer, M. J. O'Brien; financial secretary, C. A. Lockie; recorder, J. R. Cannon; inside guard, Oswald Veiter; outside guard, James Kelly. The installation of officers will be at a similar given at the hall on the first Tuesday in January.

Civil Service Jobs—There will be civil service examinations in this city for mechanics, draughtsmen, Panamanian service, Dec. 11, at \$125 to \$175 per month, also for land law clerk, forest and reclamation service at \$240 per month, on Jan. 8, for civil engineer and superintendent of construction, at \$1,500 per annum at Cheyenne, Wyo., for duty at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., for duty at Fort Hunt, Va., for duty also at Fort Washington, Md.; New London, Conn. Two vacancies at Fort Dade and De Soto, Fla.; Fort Silas, Okla.; Fort Hancock, N. J.; Fort Des Moines, Iowa; West Point, Va. On Jan. 8, for mechanical and electrical draughtsmen, ordinance bureau, war department, at \$1,200 and \$1,500.

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

BANKS AT WAR.

San Francisco and Los Angeles Centers at Loggerheads.

The battle between San Francisco and Los Angeles for financial supremacy as the money center of the state seems to have been won by San Francisco, according to local opinion. Last week San Francisco bankers were notified that the Los Angeles clearing house funds only. San Francisco immediately retaliated by advising the depositors that no Los Angeles bonds would be taken either for deposit or collection. This condition lasted but one day. Los Angeles bankers wired that local institutions that they had resolved the objectionable rule and would continue to do business as heretofore.—Pacific Banker.

Cough yourself into a fit of spasms and then wonder why you don't get well. If your cough is a little hoarse, Halsey's Horehound Syrup, your cough will be a thing of the past. It is a positive cure for coughs, colds, whooping cough, croup, and all other respiratory diseases. One bottle will convince you of its value. Price, 50c. Sold by Z. C. McLaughlin, Drug Disp.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE.

Officers Expected to Arrive in Salt Lake This Afternoon.

Rev. P. A. Baker, general superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, and Louis Fuller, state organizer, are due to arrive in Salt Lake this afternoon. From Chicago, Ill., they have been carrying on a campaign. The first gun in the Salt Lake campaign will be fired tomorrow evening, when the first Methodist church, the object being to create a sentiment in this city which will be strong enough to reduce the liquor traffic here to its lowest ebb, and eventually wipe it out altogether. The work of the Anti-Saloon league has been carried on effectively in other states where the salaried intoxicants have been greatly restricted, and in many places destroyed. The visiting league officials will remain through Friday, holding meetings.

CHURCH NOTICES.

The semi-annual conference of the Pioneer Stake Relief society will be held in the stake house Friday, Dec. 6, 1907, commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. All interested in Relief society work are invited to attend.

A special meeting of the bishops and counselors, ward clerks and one or more representatives to the presidency of the high priests, seventies and elders' quorums in the Jordan stake will be held Saturday, Dec. 7, 1907, in the Sandy bishop's storehouse at 12:30 p. m.

The Tenth quorum of Seventy will hold their regular weekly meeting at the Ninth ward meetinghouse on Sunday, morning, at 10 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

The semi-annual conference of the Liberty Stake Relief society will be held in the Second ward meetinghouse on Sunday, morning, at 10 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

The high priests' quorum of the English Stake will hold their regular weekly meeting at the English Stake meetinghouse on Sunday, morning, at 10 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

The officers of the Primary association of the Salt Lake stake will hold their officers' meeting Saturday, Dec. 7, 1907, at 7 o'clock p. m. in the Sixteenth ward meetinghouse.

Prisoners stake Primary officers will meet in the stake hall, 4 p. m. on Friday, Dec. 6, 1907. All are especially invited to be present.

TEMPLE NOTICES.

The Salt Lake temple will close on Friday, Dec. 26, 1907, and open on Tuesday, Jan. 1, 1908.

EXPOSURE.

To cold draughts of air, to keep, and cutting winds, sudden changes of the temperature, sudden changes of the pressure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, hoarseness, coughing, and other ailments, Halsey's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. It is a sure cure for all these ailments. It is a sure cure for all these ailments. It is a sure cure for all these ailments.

CHRISTMAS BARGAINS.

First Presbyterian Church, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 6 and 7. All sorts of fancy articles, bags, aprons, caps, dolls, candies, lilies, fruits, daisies open, and a turkey dinner, at 8 o'clock Thursday, cake sale Friday morning.

NEED MINISTER VISITS MURDERER

Day Requests the Rev. John H. Allen to Come to His Lonely Cell.

SHERIFF IS MAKING READY

County Peace Officer Arranging Details of Execution to Take Place Where Ross Faced Death.

Albert T. Day, condemned to death for the murder of Horace H. Voss in Provo, is making ready for his execution. He is being taken to the state prison at Salt Lake City on the first Tuesday in January.

He will select five trained marksmen to shoot at the negro. The identity of these men will not be known and each will receive \$25 for his work. None of them will ever hear their names.

When the execution is over, the body of the condemned man in his cell, he refuses to partake of more food than is absolutely necessary to sustain life.

ARRANGING FOR EXECUTION.

Meanwhile Sheriff C. Frank Emery is arranging the details of the Day execution. He will select five trained marksmen to shoot at the negro.

HOW DIPHTHERIA IS CONTRACTED.

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when the truth is that the child has been in contact with a person who has the disease.

PLUM FOR HUNT.

Speaker of Idaho House Named as Receiver at Blackfoot.

Upon recommendation of Senator Heyburn, J. Frank Hunt, speaker of the Idaho house of representatives during the last session, has been appointed by President Roosevelt receiver of the Blackfoot land office.

COUNTY LICENSE RECORD.

Sheriff C. Frank Emery has completed a table showing the license collections in the county for 1907 and it shows an increase of substantial proportions over the collections for 1906.

WHEN TO GO HOME.

From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want to go home, go home. When you want to go home, go home."

TRY NICHOLS' PILE REMEDY.

Touches the spot, use it now, stops pain instantly, at all drug stores.

Salt Lake Photo Supply Co. Kodaks, finishing, framing, 142 S. Main Street.

Pure Drugs and Prescriptions only, specialty, Halliday Drug Company.

Tanner & Tanner, Attorneys-at-Law. Have moved from the Templeton to the Security & Trust Building, Room 507-510, Opposite Z. C. M. I.

Learn to dance, waltz and two-step in two lessons. Prof. Kennedy, 63 Market street.

Kelster Ladies' Tailoring College. Now over Utah National Bank. Correct school, rooming, 711, 713, 715, 717, 719, 721, 723, 725, 727, 729, 731, 733, 735, 737, 739, 741, 743, 745, 747, 749, 751, 753, 755, 757, 759, 761, 763, 765, 767, 769, 771, 773, 775, 777, 779, 781, 783, 785, 787, 789, 791, 793, 795, 797, 799, 801, 803, 805, 807, 809, 811, 813, 815, 817, 819, 821, 823, 825, 827, 829, 831, 833, 835, 837, 839, 841, 843, 845, 847, 849, 851, 853, 855, 857, 859, 861, 863, 865, 867, 869, 871, 873, 875, 877, 879, 881, 883, 885, 887, 889, 891, 893, 895, 897, 899, 901, 903, 905, 907, 909, 911, 913, 915, 917, 919, 921, 923, 925, 927, 929, 931, 933, 935, 937, 939, 941, 943, 945, 947, 949, 951, 953, 955, 957, 959, 961, 963, 965, 967, 969, 971, 973, 975, 977, 979, 981, 983, 985, 987, 989, 991, 993, 995, 997, 999, 1001, 1003, 1005, 1007, 1009, 1011, 1013, 1015, 1017, 1019, 1021, 1023, 1025, 1027, 1029, 1031, 1033, 1035, 1037, 1039, 1041, 1043, 1045, 1047, 1049, 1051, 1053, 1055, 1057, 1059, 1061, 1063, 1065, 1067, 1069, 1071, 1073, 1075, 1077, 1079, 1081, 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