

# THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

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

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

**Salvation Army Dinner**—The Salvation Army dinner to the poor children will be given on the afternoon of the 25th inst.

**Dance Tomorrow Evening**—The High school seniors will entertain at the ball and dance tomorrow evening in Unity hall.

**Lecture by Judge Bowman**—Judge Bowman will lecture this evening at the state university on "The History of the Republican Party and its Principles."

**Present to University**—Dr. Belle Anderson Gemmill presented the medical department of the state university yesterday, with 79 volumes of valuable medical works.

**Likes Salt Lake**—F. E. Miller, a prominent Chicago man, is visiting in this city, and claims that Salt Lake ought to grow faster in the next five years, than any other city in the west.

**Leaves Hospital**—J. P. Jones of Teton, Idaho, who had a gash in his leg as a result of a fall from a horse, has been discharged from the hospital, and is able to return home.

**Amended Articles**—An amendment to the articles of incorporation of the Vincent Shoe company of this city, has been filed with the county clerk in which the name of the company is changed to the Vincent Shoe company.

**Will Pay Tomorrow**—In order that the teachers, principals, supervisors and other officials of the city schools may have money for Christmas, Clerk Judd of the board of education will tomorrow distribute warrants among them for their monthly salaries.

**Well Known Here**—The late Bishop McCabe of the Methodist church was well known in this city, as he was largely instrumental in building up the Methodist church in this city, and advanced a good deal of money towards relieving the first church of a heavy debt.

**Large Window Smashed**—In hostling a large timber to the top of the Mercantile block yesterday afternoon, the workmen did not pay it properly, and one of the big sticks smashed into one of the heavy plate glass windows, shattering the same. The damage done was \$200, which the contractor will have to pay.

**Success Assured**—So many tickets have been sold for the MacDowell benefit concert this evening, in the First Congregational church, that the financial success is assured. The artists to take part on the program are Miss Gates, Miss Berkholz, Mrs. Putnam and Messrs. McClellan, Shepherd, Douglass and Brines.

**Christmas Musicals**—The musical department of the state university will give a Christmas musical in the college assembly hall. The university has been invited to send a representative to the convention of the International League of Colleges to be held at New York, Dec. 28. The invitation will be considered later.

**Water Applied For**—W. G. English has filed with the state engineer application for 100 acre feet of water from the Great river in Grand county for irrigation purposes at Elgin. W. J. Robinson of this city has filed application for 10 acre feet of water from the Great river for power purposes at Levan, in running a plaster mill.

**New Club Members**—The following new members of the Commercial club were elected at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the board of governors of the Commercial club: William H. Dickson, attorney; Adrian C. Ellis, Jr., attorney; M. B. Lichtenstein, capitalist; George Mullett, merchant; Adolph Chitt, real estate; and Frederick A. Wahn of Los Angeles, general traffic manager of the Salt Lake Route.

**Bank for Sandy**—Sandy is to have a state bank, and incorporation papers will be filed shortly with the incorporators. Dr. A. G. Robinson, president; W. W. Wilson, vice president; C. C. Crapo, secretary and treasurer. These officers will be W. C. Burrows, Heber Smith, L. E. Despain and J. W. Fitzgerald will form the directory. The capital stock will be \$10,000 in \$10 shares.

**Divorced and Married**—Joe Left and his divorced wife, Anna Left, both from Pueblo, Colo., were granted a divorce by Judge J. H. Smith yesterday afternoon and were reunited in marriage immediately after by Deputy County Clerk David A. Smith. Joe Left was authorized for the statement that they had been rather foolish before but now they knew better and would be able to get along happily together.

**Boys to Go Home**—Nearly all of the 15 boys in the state school will be allowed by the officers of the juvenile court to go to their homes to spend Christmas so that they may have a good time on that occasion. There are five boys, however, who have no homes and they will not be provided for by some charitable inclined persons. The night boys at the Children's Home will be the guests of either Judge Willis Brown or Chief Probation Officer C. B. Bain on Christmas and will have an enjoyable time.

**Christmas Kindergarten**—Miss Rebecca Morris, head of the L. D. S. U. kindergarten, and associate teachers announce open house for parents tomorrow. During the past week the Lion House where the school is held has been transformed into a veritable place of beauty, made so by the skill of teachers and pupils. Handwork of all kinds hangs on the walls and beds the tables with a great Christmas tree is laden with gifts for parents and friends. Altogether such a scene is presented that no parent can afford to miss it.

**Zions Savings Bank and Trust Co.**  
Pays 4 percent on deposits, safety deposit boxes for rent.  
JOSEPH F. SMITH, Pres.  
O. C. BEEBE, Cashier.

If you desire to buy or sell real estate in any part of the city or state, it will be to your interest to communicate with the Geo. Q. Cannon Association, 24 East South Temple St. Both phones 919.

Auditorium Roller Rink, for nice people.

**Fancy Vests**  
Of the best materials and makes in fashionable patterns. An ideal Xmas gift.  
BROWN, TERRY & WOODRUFF CO., 166 Main Street.

## BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB BUILDING

Samuel Newhouse Authorizes  
Judge Brown to Secure  
Quarters.

HE WILL PAY THE EXPENSES.

Will Install Gymnasium, Swimming  
Pool, Reading and Game Rooms—  
Permanent If Successful.

The boys and girls of this city will have a club building in which will be installed a gymnasium, swimming pool, reading and game rooms. Samuel Newhouse has authorized Judge Willis Brown to secure quarters for the club and equip them at once. The expenses of equipment and maintenance will be borne by Mr. Newhouse, who promises that if the club is successful he will construct a permanent building for it at the end of one year. In speaking of the matter, Judge Brown made the following statement:

"During the past eighteen months I have interested myself in the formation and conduct of various boys' clubs and activities. This work and these organizations have nothing whatever to do with the activities of the juvenile court. At the present time we have about 300 different boys organized into various clubs. In the musical line alone we have three organizations, the Boys' band No. 1, consisting of 24 boys, band No. 2, consisting of 24 boys, and an orchestra of 20. In various churches there have been boys' clubs organized, and each month I turn my money into a boys' club, and during the past year we have rented various vacant storehouses for meeting places. This feature of my work in Salt Lake is growing with astonishing rapidity, and to my mind is a far greater work than even the juvenile court, which is necessary to all of our corrections institutions. Not until Salt Lake City shall have a betterment home for boys and girls, who need the right kind of clean, wholesome amusement, under the direction of those who have no ulterior motives but to supervise these amusements and helpful pastimes for the love of the children and the betterment of the whole community, will I be satisfied."

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## REAL ESTATE MEN HOLD MEETING

Question of State Regulation of  
Railroads Receives Con-  
sideration.

SOME ARE OPPOSED TO IT.

Held That Interstate Commerce Com-  
mission is Adequate to Meet and  
Control All Difficulties.

At yesterday afternoon's semi-monthly meeting of the Salt Lake Real Estate association at the Commercial club, C. Harris, appeared for the Manufacturers and Merchants' association and stated that his organization had considered state regulation of the railroads and favored legislative action looking toward that end. Mr. Harris offered as one reason the existence of lower freight rates from the northern part of the state to the southern, than from the southern to the northern, while at some points freight rates are equal. Mr. Harris stated that his association favored a railroad commission clothed with sufficient powers.

Judge Colborn opposed the plan as he held that the interstate commerce commission was adequate to meet all difficulties arising from discriminating rates of other carriers. He pointed out that the railroad commission had not been successful. E. B. Palmer held that the railroads were doing a great deal to develop the state, and should be encouraged rather than hindered. Other speakers took similar grounds; and the real estate men appointed a committee, consisting of E. F. Colborn, E. B. Palmer and H. L. Peterson, to draw up a resolution expressing the views of the association on the subject. The following committee was also appointed to devise ways and means of raising the state: W. J. Halloran, chairman; Serebo B. Tuttle, O. F. Peterson, A. H. Parsons, E. F. Colborn, E. B. Palmer, E. S. Hubbard and J. C. Stringer.

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**THE MORAN BONUS.**  
City Engineer Kelsey Returns and  
Makes a Statement.

City Engineer Kelsey has returned from his trip to San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland and will probably be confined to his home for several days on account of illness. He made the following statement in regard to his approval of the Moran bonus of \$9,150 claimed by P. J. Moran for completing the Bog Cottonwood conduit ahead of contract time.

Mr. Moran had in his possession a letter written by the old board of public works to the Moran administration board—directing him to stop work on Jan. 24 last. Our records show that he worked contrary to the orders of the board on Jan. 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, when I stopped him because of the bad weather, which rendered it impossible to lay concrete. Our records also show that he resumed work on Feb. 6 and continued up to and including Feb. 19, when I again stopped him because of the bad weather. He was under contemplation. These changes were ultimately adopted and Moran resumed work on April 7.

Thereafter, on Dec. 24, the time that Moran was stopped, until April 7, when he resumed work, 194 days. This extended the time of his work to 194 days. He was actually finished the work on Aug. 10. From the 104 days, however, must be deducted the four days he worked in January, and the 14 days he worked in February, which amounts to 18 days. He was also stopped two days in April to allow some excavating to be done, which deducted 2 days. The total of 18 days to be deducted from the 104 days, a balance of 86 days during which work was actually stopped, before the time it would have expired naturally, and is therefore entitled to a bonus for 86 days. The records of my office and of the board of public works will bear this out.

**AN ALARMING SITUATION.**  
Frequently results from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels, guaranteed by Z. C. M. Drug Disp., 112-114 S. Main St., druggists. Price 25c.

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FULL LINE RECORD CABINETS, easy payments. Columbia Phonograph Co., 327 South Main.

You make no mistake in a white fox set for Xmas purchased at Meheys the Furrier, Knutsford.

**AGED FARMER ARRESTED.**  
Claimed That He Cashed a Check Which Was Worthless.

John McKnight, an aged farmer living in the vicinity of Cottonwood, was arrested last night at the instance of the proprietor of the Union Bar, 66 Main St. South. The latter claims that McKnight cashed a check for \$500 on the 9th of last July in company with an Italian laborer named Sam. McKnight offered a check on McKnight's bank for \$500, which was endorsed by McKnight and payable to Piccolo. The bartender cashed the check. The paper was sent to the bank and returned with "No Funds" marked in large bold type across the front. Since then neither have been seen until McKnight entered the saloon yesterday. He appeared before Judge Diehl this afternoon to answer to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

**DEADLY SEVENT BITES.**  
are as common in India as stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter, however, there is a sure remedy: Electric Bitters, the great restorative medicine of which S. A. Brown, of Benningville, S. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health, after years of suffering with dyspepsia and a chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cure cholera, fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by Z. C. M. Drug Disp., 112-114 S. Main St., druggists. Price 50c.

**TUITION FEES NOT RAISED** yet at Ladies' Tailoring College. Bell Phone 460 red.

**Timely Suggestion.**  
Buy your Xmas furs today. Large assortment to select from. Meheys the Furrier, Knutsford.

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