

OUR OWN STATE.

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OGDEN NEWS.

OGDEN, UTAH, - JAN. 18, 1902.

DISTRICT COURT HEARINGS.

Appointments to Meet Farmers of Weber County to Sign Beet Growing Contracts.

Maurice Provost Pleads Guilty to Charge of Burglary—Board of Education.

Maurice Provost appeared before Judge Rolapp yesterday afternoon and entered a plea of guilty to the charge of burglary. The crime of which he was charged was that of burglarizing the Ogden knitting works in December last. He will be sentenced on Monday morning. Provost has served one term in the state penitentiary, and is looked upon as a hard criminal.

The hearing of the case of the State of Utah vs. Richard Flint, forgery, came up for taking of plea was set for February 3.

In the case of Walcott against the Oregon Short Line Ry. Co., the motion for a new trial was heard and taken under advisement.

In the case of Cooney vs. McKinney, 20 days additional time was given to the defendant to prepare for trial on appeal.

In the case of Miller G. Reed against R. T. Hume et al, motion for a new trial was denied.

A number of probate cases were taken up and disposed of.

BEET GROWING CONTRACTS.

The Ogden Sugar company has prepared its contracts for beet growing for next season's crop. To obtain the signatures of the farmers Mr. Job Engstrom, field superintendent, will visit the various precincts of the county on the following dates:

West Weber, Monday, Jan. 20, 1 p. m.
Wilson, Tuesday, Jan. 21, 1 p. m.
Kaneville, Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1 p. m.

Slaterville, Thursday, Jan. 23, 1 p. m.
Marriott, Friday, Jan. 24, 1 p. m.

On Saturdays Mr. Engstrom will meet the beet growers at the First National bank building.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The board of education held a meeting last evening and transacted the following business:

The resignation of Mrs. Stillwell of the Madison school was accepted.

The board ordered the monthly payment of all the teachers.

Superintendent Allison's monthly report was received showing an attendance of 4,069 pupils.

BRIEFS AND PERSONALS.

Chief Clerk H. M. Linsley, of the railway mail service, has returned home with his wife from their eastern trip.

A farewell party was given in the First ward hall last evening in honor of Laurence Taylor. The attendance was large and all present had a good time.

Henry Wallace of Salt Lake was in Ogden yesterday on business.

L. B. Rogers is attending to legal business in Ogden today.

A. Van Patten has returned home from an eastern trip in the interest of his mine.

A. McLaren Boyle has gone East to Chicago, St. Louis and other eastern cities for the purpose of buying goods for the Boyle Furniture company.

Miss Jennie Salmon has returned to her home in Salt Lake after spending several weeks in Ogden with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Ross.

Archie Corey is visiting with relatives in Ogden for a few days from his home in Idaho.

PROVO.

DISTRICT COURT BUSINESS.

Landgren - Coats Wedding - Mrs. Mortensen Ill from Nervousness.

Special Correspondence.

Provo, Utah Co., Jan. 18.—Joseph Wilde and others have commenced suit against C. N. Sanford and others, asking that defendants be required to Harcourt Brothers in 1900 by plaintiff and defendants, which it is alleged were all, or so many as remained alive in 1901, delivered to defendants.

Mrs. Elaina A. Van Norsdale, of Provo, has been granted a divorce from Cornelius Van Norsdale on the grounds of desertion. The parties were married in Ohio thirty-eight years ago.

Guardianship of James A. Powell et al, minors; guardian's annual report approved and Thaddeus Powell discharged as guardian of Emma Powell.

MRS. MORTENSEN ILL.

Mrs. C. P. Watkins is down from Ogden visiting her daughter, Mrs. Peter Mortensen, who is suffering severely from nervous prostration, occasioned by the severe mental strain to which she has been subjected because of the circumstances surrounding the Hay murder.

Mrs. Henry Mortensen is also here, with her sister-in-law.

LUNDGREN-COATS WEDDING.

A marriage license has been issued to Luther Coats, 32, and Emma C. Lundgren, 23, both of Lehi.

GARDEN CITY NOTES.

B. F. Cummings of New York, who is making a brief visit to Utah, was in Ogden yesterday visiting relatives.

C. B. Snyder and J. P. Irvine, dentists have dissolved partnership. Dr. Irvine will go to Salt Lake City.

Agricultural Superintendent Austin of the Sugar company will meet Provo beet growers in the court house, Monday, at 10 o'clock for the purpose of closing contracts for beet for this year.

The quarterly conference of the Alpine Stake will be held in American Fork Saturday and Sunday, the 25th and 26th. On account of the conference home missionaries will not visit the wards Sunday.

Harold Eldredge, who will sing at the farewell concert to be given by Miss Gates in the tabernacle this evening, came down from Salt Lake this morning.

The Franklin exercises given in the Franklin school yesterday afternoon and evening, were greatly enjoyed by large audiences on both occasions.

They consisted for the greater part of blue-graphical sketches of Benjamin Franklin, and of interesting presentations of the philosopher and statesman.

George A. Kerr is down from Ogden on business.

LOGAN.

DISTRICT COURT NOTES.

Cowley-Hardman Arbitration—Burglary—Farmers' Union.

Special Correspondence.

Logan, Jan. 17.—A decision was rendered today in the case of Cowley vs. Hardman, in the First district. The latter was awarded \$130.20 by a board of arbitration comprising A. F. Farr, Jr., S. A. Langton and T. H. Smith, whereupon Cowley moved that the board's award be set aside. Judge Hart overruled this motion.

The case of Broberg vs. Bowman, appealed from justice's court, was dismissed at cost of defendant Bowman.

In the case of Eliza A. Garr vs. A. E. Cranney, administrator of the estate of John P. Garr deceased, the plaintiff was awarded \$300 for services rendered the deceased.

Other cases scheduled for the near future are as follows:

Eliza A. Garr vs. A. E. Cranney, January 22.

Jonathan Holland vs. the Oregon Short Line, January 27.

James Quayle vs. C. C. Johnson, January 20.

Deseret National bank vs. William and E. Kidman, January 21.

BURGULARY AT SMITHFIELD.

The music and novelty store of George H. Thomas at Smithfield, was burglarized last night. The value of the booty secured could not be learned today.

WELLSVILLE FARMERS' UNION.

A farmers' union was organized at Wellsdale last night. A large number of citizens being enrolled. The committee is as follows:

Its quality is due not only to the excellence of the combination of the laxative principles of plants with pleasant aromatic syrups and juices, but also to our original method of manufacture and as you value the health of the little ones, do not accept any of the substitutes which unscrupulous dealers sometimes offer to increase their profits. The genuine article may be bought anywhere of all reliable druggists at fifty cents per bottle. Please remember, the full name of the Company—

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.—is printed on the front of every package.

In order to get its beneficial effects it is always necessary to buy the genuine only.

Epilepsy

weakens the body and degrades the mind. It saps the nervous strength that is the source of all health, and perverts the functions of every organ. Because of its stubborn nature, it is often called incurable. This is not true. There is one medicine that never fails to check the nervous spasms and give new strength to the entire system.

"Our baby boy had epileptic spasms and the physicians were unable to do anything to help him. We heard of Dr. Miles' Nervine, and from the time he took the first dose he never had another attack." Mrs. J. Pratt, 459 N. Meridian Ave., Anderson, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Nervine

allays nervous irritation, stops spasms, restores digestion and mental vigor. Sold by druggists on guarantee. Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Many will endeavor to have unions formed in each town in the county for the purpose of uniting to solve various problems as to prices, etc.

Save thirty of our Bread Seals and get a package of food.

ST. HELENA SANITARIUM FOOD CO.

SPRINGVILLE.

MENDENHALL REUNION.

Large Gathering Enjoy Banquet and Dance—High School Proposition.

Special Correspondence.

Springville, Utah Co., Jan. 18.—A most pleasant family reunion of the Mendenhalls was held last night. From far and near they gathered at Reynolds' hall to recount the changes that had taken place since their last gathering.

A substantial report was taken of from 4 to 8:30 p. m., followed by a choice program and then dancing. It was an eventful and one that the family may rejoice in, that there are many young Mendenhalls coming along who insure the perpetuity of the name.

STUDENTS' SOCIETY.

The Students' society of the public schools held their regular session last night. The program was full of interest. The election of officers was an important feature and the society members utilized their knowledge of parliamentary usage in the matters presented.

Frank Raylance was elected president; Miss E. Croftman, vice president, and Miss A. Roylance, secretary.

The citizens have decided at a general mass meeting to establish a High school next year, and to build a central school house. Notices for the day of voting upon these questions are being posted.

BRIGHAM CITY.

DEATH OF MISS REEDER.

Ward Sociables and Missionary Benefit to Elder D. L. Reese.

Special Correspondence.

Brigham City, Boxelder Co., Jan. 17.—Miss Clara Reeder, the beloved daughter of George B. Reeder and wife of the Third ward of this city, died today after an illness of three months' duration. She has suffered with ty-

phoid fever and has lingered between life and death for over a month. She was a member of the ward choir and also of the tabernacle choir. Miss Reeder was of a very lovable disposition and was respected and honored by all her friends and acquaintances. It is not definitely decided when the funeral services will be held. The entire community extends sympathy to the bereaved parents and relatives.

Carpenters are now busy remodeling the interior of the First National Bank building, fitting up the entire north part for Stohl Furniture company, and the front part of the second floor for offices.

WARD SOCIABLES.

The married people of the second ward had a sociable last evening for the purpose of raising funds for the meeting house. In the third ward the Young Ladies held a surprise party for the retiring officers. All of the officers who have served the association in the past who are now compelled to resign because of other duties, were presented with a handsomely bound volume of "The Story of the Book of Mormon." Picnic was served, toasts given and a general good time had. In the Fourth ward a sociable was held for the benefit of Elder D. L. Reese, who departs on a mission to Great Britain the 25th of this month.

RICHFIELD.

SHOOTING SCRAPE AT MONROE.

Gambler Again Convicted—Assault Cases Tried.

Special Correspondence.

Richfield, Sevier Co., Jan. 17.—The last two days of the district court has been occupied as follows:

The case of Charles Whitlock was heard on the charge of gambling. Defendant was convicted and fined \$25 and costs, amounting in all to about \$300, in default of payment of which he was sent to the county jail.

The case of the state vs. John E. Johnson, defendant, charged with assault with intent to commit murder, was tried and resulted in a conviction of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to do bodily harm. Johnson is the man who shot one Bridges up at the "Y" last October over a dispute as to who had planted the first peach trees up at the Cove, defendant or the creators of Bridges.

The case of the state vs. George Long, charged with assault, with intent to commit murder is set for today. Long is the man who shot Sheriff Clark down at Salina a few weeks ago.

SHOOTING SCRAPE AT MONROE.

Monroe was the scene of a shooting scrape last evening. Two of the town boys over there who had just returned from Gold Mountain, Martin Madson and Charles Nay, got into trouble over Nay daring Madson to fight and it resulted in Madson firing two shots at Nay, one shot missed the mark and the other Nay's arm. Madson was arrested and lodged in the county jail last night.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

BIG RABBIT HUNT.

Payson Nimrods Vanquished by Local Sports—Welcome Snow.

Special Correspondence.

Mt. Pleasant, Sanpete Co., Jan. 17.—A large and appreciative audience was present at the entertainment by Prof. Croswright given in the interest of the district school in the Latter-day Saints meeting house last evening. A rather long program was presented of a charming variety. The professor was a master hand in every impression, eliciting frequent applause.

BIG RABBIT HUNT.

The Payson Nimrods, preceded by rabbit, came to beat Mt. Pleasant in a rabbit hunt, but Mt. Pleasant got a majority of 225. Payson hunters returned not as grumblers but philosophers; the overplus proceeds from the hunt were donated to the district school.

The citizens have decided at a general mass meeting to establish a High school next year, and to build a central school house. Notices for the day of voting upon these questions are being posted.

The vault door of the safe is in place in the handsome new bank building now soon to be thrown open to business.

PAROWAN.

PIONEER CELEBRATION.

Day of Festivity and Enjoyment—Letters from Box B.

Special Correspondence.

Parowan, Iron Co., Jan. 14.—Parowan pioneer day was duly celebrated yesterday. An interesting program was rendered at the morning meeting which was much enjoyed; a supper was given the pioneers, and a dance and picnic was the closing feature. The committee must have been well paid for their efforts by the few remaining pioneers, each year the list grows less.

Price, Carbon Co., Utah, Jan. 17.—The First National Bank of Price has elected a board of directors for the coming year composed of J. M. Whitmore, George Hoffman, George C. Whitmore, Reuben G. Miller and Eugene Santschi, the directors having chosen J. M. Whitmore as president and A. McCoverly cashier.

There has been considerable disappointment here the past few days over the class of horses received by Major Grissell, who has been receiving here for two days for the English government for the war in the Transvaal. Some fifty head from the Vernal country have passed the requirements, but a very large number from the Emery and Grand county ranges have been turned down because of being too small.

SCHOOL IN NEW BUILDING.

County Superintendent of Schools I. W. Bowman is here today visiting with the teachers of the Price schools and looking into their work and methods since the move was made after the holiday vacation into the new twenty thousand dollar brick building. The building has six rooms now fitted up for school purposes with a large assembly room on the second floor, which latter can be partitioned off into two classrooms as the needs of the district increase. There are nearly 250 scholars in attendance, with five teachers, including the principal, Prof. Enoch Jorgensen, who was last year at Moab.

DROUTH FEARED.

There has been less snow and rain throughout the counties of Eastern Utah so far this winter than for any like period in the recollection of the oldest resident.

CASTLE GATE SCHOOL.

The Castle Gate school house which burned a few weeks ago will not be re-

ONE MORE WEEK OF OUR BIG DISCOUNT SALE!

The J & H STORE

241 MAIN STREET

We have moved to our Big New Store, 241 Main St. Look for the Big Green Sign. From Monday Morning until Saturday night we will give 10 per cent off everything in the store. That means buying goods retail at wholesale prices. You can't afford to miss this opportunity.

We have a Big Stock of Dishes, Tinware, Graniteware, Glassware, Household and Useful Articles, Notions, Hosiery, Towels, etc., etc. **EVERYTHING GOES.**

10 Per Cent Off	10 Per Cent Off	10 Per Cent Off
Large meat platters.....10c.	Frying pans.....10 and 15c.	Table tumblers, 3 for.....10c.
Vegetable dishes.....10c.	Iron baking pans.....10c and 15c.	Glass fruit dishes, 6 for.....25c.
Outmeal or nut bowls.....10c.	Coffee pots.....10c.	Glass cake stands.....10c.
Dinner plates.....10c, 15c and 20c.	Granite pudding pans.....14 and 23c.	Custard glasses, 6 for.....35c.
Cup and saucer.....10c.	Granite tea pots.....25c.	Vinegar bottles.....10c.
White Bowl and Pitcher.....75c.	Granite sauce pans.....15c up.	6 piece toilet set.....25c.
Gravy bowls.....10c.	Coffee pot stands.....10c.	2 dozen clothes pins for.....5c.
Soup dishes.....10c.	Next again, 3 for.....10c.	Buggy whips.....10c.
Slop jars.....10c.	Good stove polish.....10c.	Box writing paper.....10c.
Yellow cake bowls.....10c and 15c.	Paint brushes.....10c and 15c.	Oil cloth brushes.....10c.
Machine oil.....10c.	Vegetable graters.....10c.	Whisk brooms.....10c.
Aloues traps.....10c.	Washer dusters.....10c, 15c, 25c.	School handkerchiefs, 2 for.....10c.
Wood chopping bowls.....10c.	Wire hair brushes.....10c.	Pretty embroidered handkerchiefs.....10c.
Carpet tacks.....10c.	Dinner bells.....10c.	Men's white handkerchiefs.....10c.
Funnels, 2 sizes.....10c.	Can opener.....10c.	Men's red handkerchiefs.....10c.
Good needles, a paper.....10c.	Bottle shoe dressing.....10c.	Men's blue handkerchiefs.....10c.
Muslin cloths.....10c.	2 spoons machine thread, for.....10c.	Ladies' seamless hose.....10c.
Good shoe brushes.....10c.	Glass butter dish.....10c.	Ladies' extra good hose.....10c.
Pure vaseline, only.....10c.	De Lage glass.....10c.	Misses or boys' hose.....10c.
Lunch boxes.....10c.	Pearl buttons, 1 dozen for.....10c.	Bicycle hose.....10c.
Large glass bowls.....10c.	Tape measure.....10c.	Men's black socks.....10c.
Tin can openers.....10c.	Needle books.....10c.	Men's suspenders.....10c and 25c.
Safety pins.....10c.	Best darning cotton, 2 for.....10c.	Bread rulers.....10c.
Wire hair pins, package.....10c.	Dinner buckets.....25c.	Good embroidery.....10c.
Dress stays.....10c.	Lamp chimneys.....10c and 15c.	Open work embroidery.....10c.
Corset clasps.....10c.	Hatchet or hammer.....10c.	Extra wide embroidery.....10c.
Tin can openers.....10c.	Lines thread.....10c.	Archon lace.....10c up.
Tooth brushes.....10c.	Needle books.....10c.	Narrow Val. lace.....10c.
School handkerchiefs, 2 for.....10c.	Dippers.....10c.	Medium Val. lace.....10c.
Curving irons.....10c and 15c.	Potato mashers.....10c.	Pillow case lace.....10c.
Towel rollers.....10c.	Padlocks.....10c and 15c.	Ribbon at bargain prices.
Corset laces, 1 dozen for.....10c.	Hose supporters.....10c.	Hooks and eyes, 2 doz. for.....25c.
Lamp wicks, 1 dozen for.....10c.	Plated tea spoons, a set.....10c.	Pins, 3 papers for.....10c.

This is Positively the Last Week of Discount Sale.

MANTI.

HARD FOUGHT LEGAL BATTLE.

Difficulty in Getting a Jury in Fred Mickle Case.

Special Correspondence.

Manti, Sanpete Co., Jan. 17.—The hardest fought legal battle in the history of the Seventh judicial district, is being engaged in here at present in the trial of the Fred Mickle murder case.

The obtaining of a jury commenced on Tuesday afternoon. Today at noon ten jurors have been secured. The remainder will probably be obtained by this evening and the case proper taken up tomorrow. Nearly one hundred have been examined, most of them have expressed a feeling of partiality in the case and accordingly rejected.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

ALTA, WYOMING.

Social in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roland W. Brown.

Special Correspondence.

Alta, Teton Basin, Wyoming, Jan. 13. — On the evening of January 10, Roland W. Brown, of Alta, Wyoming, forest ranger of the general land office, and his amiable wife were the recipients of a delightful surprise by a number of their friends of Alta, Wyoming, and Driggs, Idaho. The evening was pleasantly spent in games, singing and speeches. Very fine refreshments were served about 12:30 p. m. The following are the names of those who were present at the happy event:

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Griggs, Robert and Miss Nettie Griggs, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morgan, Mrs. T. R. Wilson and son Clifford, Misses Amy and Ada Dalley, Mr. and Mrs. Anders A. Carlson, and Miss Ada Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Young, Mrs. Austin Green and Mr. George B. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rigby, Mrs. Sophia and Mrs. Eva Rigby, Walter Edgington, Mrs. Hyrum Stevens, Misses Nettie and Bertha Stevens and Mr. John Stevens, Mrs. Fred Sheets, Mrs. Grims, Mr. John Beeley, Mrs. J. W. Price, Misses Essie and Jean Price, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Johnson, and Mr. Joseph Pratt.

CHEYENNE, WYOMING.

ABUNDANT SNOW FALL.

In Most of the State Mountain Ranges—Deficiency on Green River.

Special Correspondence.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 12.—Section Director Palmer of the Wyoming weather bureau reports that the snowfall during the month of December was greater than during any preceding December for three years, and at the close of the month a good stock of snow was accumulated over most of the mountain districts of the state. The storms of the first half of December were very general, and the warm weather following melted most of the snow over the plains and valleys, and settled and packed the snow in slope of the Big Horn mountains the stock of snow is greater than that of one year ago, but is still below average in some places.

Over the Laramie and Platte watersheds the stock of snow is above the average in most places, but a deficiency exists over the Green River watershed. Over the Snake River watershed, reports indicate that the stock is usually up to or above the average amount.

THE PROPERTIES OF BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT.

Blankets for the use of block teachers, in making yearly statistical reports, can be procured at this office, 25 cents per dozen.

Many a bright and happy household has been thrown into sadness and sorrow because of the death of a loved one from a neglected cold. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP is the great cure for coughs, colds and all pulmonary ailments. Price, 50 cents. Z. C. M. I.

THE CHILDREN ENJOY

Life out of doors and out of the games which they play and the enjoyment which they receive and the efforts which they make, comes the greater part of that healthful development which is so essential to their happiness when grown. When a laxative is needed the remedy which is given to them to cleanse and sweeten and strengthen the internal organs on which it acts, should be such as physicians would sanction, because its component parts are known to be wholesome and the remedy itself free from every objectionable quality. The one remedy which physicians and parents, well-informed, approve and recommend and which the little ones enjoy, because of its pleasant flavor, its gentle action and its beneficial effects, is—Syrup of Figs—and for the same reason it is the only laxative which should be used by fathers and mothers.

Syrup of Figs is the only remedy which acts gently, pleasantly and naturally without gripping, irritating, or nauseating and which cleanses the system effectually, without producing that constipated habit which results from the use of the old-time cathartics and modern imitations, and against which the children should be so carefully guarded. If you would have them grow to manhood and womanhood, strong, healthy and happy, do not give them medicines, when medicines are not needed, and when nature needs assistance in the way of a laxative, give them only the simple, pleasant and gentle—Syrup of Figs.

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