

## DARING THEFT NIPPED IN BUD

Robber Nearly Gets Away With  
Sack Containing \$750  
In Gold Coin.

SAVED BY F. L. GARDNER

Purses Upon Crook and Holds Him  
Until Police Arrive—Officers Now  
Looking For Confederate.

One of a pair of unusually audacious  
robbers was landed in the city jail  
yesterday afternoon when he was  
caught in the theft of \$750 in gold coin  
from the J. P. Gardner clothing store,  
on Main street. The man, who gave his  
name as J. H. Thompson, was caught  
and detained until the arrival of the of-  
ficers, by Frank Gardner, and the bag  
of gold coin taken away from him.

The attempted robbery was well  
planned and well timed. It is the cus-  
tom of Mr. Gardner to make the usual  
deposit on Saturday just before  
12 o'clock, and at the same time re-  
ceive a quantity of silver and gold  
that will permit the "cashing" of  
checks during the afternoon and eve-  
ning. Today Mr. Gardner had drawn  
out \$1000 in coin, and carried it in  
three bags, two of which contained  
the amount of \$250, and one  
with \$500 gold. As Mr. Gardner re-  
turned from the bank and entered the  
store he held the three coin sacks on  
the office desk and turned to a man  
who, while displaying a roll of \$1 cur-  
rency amounting to something like \$20,  
asked if he could not get it changed  
into silver.

GARDNER SAVES MONEY.

Mr. Gardner had changed two of the  
bags when the man threw back one  
of the dollars with the request that  
he be given "two halves." Suspecting  
a short change game, Mr. Gardner  
hesitated, and casting his glance  
around, caught sight of Thompson  
sneaking up the bag containing the \$750  
in gold. Before Thompson could reach  
the door Gardner was on top of him  
and drew the sack from beneath the  
coat and then held him until the  
police arrived in answer to the call.

The men were evidently both thieves  
and short change workers, as the first  
man, who made his escape, had a  
bundle of \$1 bills, and Thompson, when  
seized at the station, out of \$25 in  
currency had \$10 in the \$1 denomination.  
Thompson at headquarters refused

to make any explanation and gave  
only the curt brief answers to the desk  
sergeant as to his name, age, etc. The  
police are this afternoon looking for  
the confederate and are provided with  
a good description.

A private safe may be rented in the  
fire and burglar-proof vaults of the  
Salt Lake Security & Trust Co., 22-24  
Main street, \$2.00 per year.

## ENTRIES WILL CLOSE WEDNESDAY EVENING

Illumination at State Fair This Year  
Will be Greatest in its  
History.

With the closing of entries next  
Wednesday evening, the actual work  
of preparing the exhibits for the big  
Inland Empire exposition will be on  
in earnest. Entries in the speed de-  
partment closed last Wednesday eve-  
ning. Although there are three more  
days in which entries will be received  
in other lines, those received so far  
assure the biggest showing ever made  
by the State Fair association. In  
every department the entries have  
been very heavy, and the officials  
have had a difficult task in providing  
space for those who want to exhibit.  
The officials have been working all  
summer with the determination of  
having every section of the state fully  
represented, and every industry of the  
state shown. They have been even  
more successful than was anticipated,  
and the displays this year will be  
truly representative of the entire state.  
At the fair grounds more than a hun-  
dred men are at work putting the fin-  
ishing touches on the improvements.  
The new bleachers on the racetrack  
have been completed and are being  
painted. They provide seats for 3,500  
persons. The new poultry house is  
practically completed and will be ready  
in plenty of time for the big show.

Secy. Ensign has made a hobby this  
year of illumination for the grounds,  
and has planned the most elab-  
orate decoration ever seen in the state.  
Nearly 5,000 incandescent lights have  
been installed. These lights lead along  
the main avenue, down the "Desert,"  
and extend to the interior of the racetrack,  
where Dr. Carver's big wild west  
show will be given every night. Around  
the track at frequent intervals strong  
are lights have been installed. The im-  
mense searchlight which will follow  
the horses in the night races has been  
installed.

ATTRACTIONS AT DESERT.

The attractions for the "Desert" will  
begin arriving Monday afternoon, and  
the work of pitching the tents will  
commence. The stalls and stables for  
the livestock are all ready and some  
of the animals are on the grounds.  
The police system for the fair has  
been completed, and every precaution  
taken to preserve order in every way.  
More than 50 special officers and de-  
tectives will be on the grounds every day.

Hamlin Paints Signs of the Better  
Kind. Both phones.

## RATE HEARING IS CLOSED FOR WEEK

Krutchschnitt is Excused to Allow  
Him to Go to  
Chicago.

STATEMENT IS NOT ADMITTED

Will Resume Taking of Testimony of  
Rate Witnesses Monday  
Morning.

After being on the stand for six  
hours, yesterday, Julius Krutchschnitt,  
director of operation and maintenance  
of way of the Harriman system was  
excused from the hearing of the rate  
case at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon,  
to enable him to take the train for  
Chicago.

Commissioner E. E. Clark presided  
at the afternoon session of the hear-  
ing, in the absence of Commissioner  
Prouty, who had business elsewhere.  
Following the testimony of Mr.  
Krutchschnitt, an effort was made by  
C. W. Durbrow, representative of the  
Southern Pacific railroad at the hear-  
ing, to secure the permission of the  
commission for the filing of certain  
statements as a part of the case. In-  
tended to complete testimony given by  
Witness Jackson in the Seattle case,  
already heard. It was the desire of Mr.  
Durbrow to file the Jackson testimony  
as a part of the Salt Lake case, sup-  
plementing it with the statement  
which he proposed to introduce for the  
Southern Pacific, showing the amount  
of rail and water tonnage received at  
California seaports for the first six  
months of this year.

Objection was made to the propo-  
sition to file these statements, and Atty. C.  
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of the Salt Lake Commercial club, who  
has been conducting the local rate case,  
as well as by H. M. Stephens, the  
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of the state railway commission of  
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gard to the matter.

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but Judge C. F. Dillard, who has been  
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during the hearing, objected to going  
further than the California ports, say-  
ing that it was not the duty of the  
railroads concerned in this case to go  
to Portland, Seattle and other ports for  
this information.

The next witness called was G. W.  
Luce, general freight agent of the

Southern Pacific railroad. Mr. Luce  
testified in regard to water transpor-  
tation and the competition which had  
sprung up by railroads.  
The first rail rates from points east  
of Chicago to San Francisco, he said,  
were based on the sum of the local  
rates from points east of Chicago to  
that city, and on the various divisions  
west of Chicago. This rule did not  
bring much business, Mr. Luce said,  
in competition with the water routes.

RATE AGREEMENTS.

The railroads then fixed a new rate,  
taking into consideration the time and  
insurance features of the water routes,  
the Central Pacific agreeing with some  
shippers to give preferential rates to  
shippers who would ship nothing by  
water. Later, he said, it was found that  
the rail shippers were getting shipmen-  
tation with those who shipped by wa-  
ter, and this led to a termination of  
the agreements with the few shippers  
and the making of the rate an open one.

The subsequent history of rate mak-  
ing was gone into at some length by  
Mr. Luce, who said that a further re-  
duction of rates to the coast would be  
spelled on account of the increasing  
competition.  
At the conclusion of the direct ex-  
amination of Mr. Luce, the hearing was  
adjourned until Monday morning.

## CLASSY FIELD ENTERED MONDAY

Six Racing Events at Buena Vista Will  
Bring Out String of Speedy  
Thoroughbreds.

The entries for the races on Monday  
are as follows:  
First race, selling, 3-year-olds and  
upwards, five furlongs—3386 Prodent,  
196; 5338 Pelham, 114; 5229 Lanta, 108,  
5225 Belle Brady, 169; 5256 May Worth,  
114; 5218 Rose Day, 114; 5224 Judge  
Shortall, 106; 195 Athol, 117; 3205 Gov.  
Orman; 5194 Mabel Hollander, 114.  
Second race, selling, 3-year-olds and  
upwards, five furlongs—4223 Gene Wood,  
114; 5225 Yellowfoot, 108; 5190 Aquiline,  
114; 118 Halton, 117; 5209 Gosper, 11,  
114; 5224 Burning Bush, 114; 166 In-  
cident, 11; 518 Chatterings, 108.  
Third race, selling, 3-year-olds, five  
furlongs—5227 Camera, 119; 4790  
Chatham, 112; 5227 King of Yolo, 116,  
5237 Fred Stone, 112; 5227 Dora Payne,  
149; 5227 Lady Panchita, 107; 5193  
Glare, 110; 5203 Blasted, 105.  
Fourth race, selling, 3-year-olds, six  
furlongs—Wander, 161; 1561 Force,  
108; 5228 Mollie Mungie, 105; 5213  
La Reine Hindoo, 109; 5213 Sir Barry,  
108.  
Fifth race, selling, 3-year-olds and  
upwards, seven furlongs—5294 Charley  
Doherty, 116; 5240 John Louis, 108; 4892  
Harcourt, 108; 5229 Bardonia, 108; 5292  
Prodesia Jewel, 105.  
Sixth race, selling, 3-year-olds and  
upwards, one mile—5226 Herman Doyle,  
112; 5229 Godfather, 112; 5240 Tom  
Roid, 104; 5215 Phancier, 112; 5240 Dr.  
Mayer, 101; 5226 Aksar Ben, 104; 5226  
Don Ton, 109; 5240 Kopok, 109.

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A-Y-P EXPOSITION RATES.

Via Oregon Short Line R. R.  
\$39.00 from Salt Lake to Seattle and  
return; on sale daily commencing June  
1st. Ask agents for further particu-  
lars.

## OVER A HUNDRED CASES THIS WEEK

Typhoid Fever Situation Thought  
To Be Under Control by the  
Health Authorities.

SOURCE IS STAMPED OUT

Garbage in Canyon Road Has Been  
Cleaned Up—Cases Reported  
Today.

Ten new cases of typhoid fever  
were reported to the board of health  
this morning which makes a total of  
119 cases this week. The total number  
of the cases in the city is 164. The  
health authorities believe that they  
have managed to get the typhoid fever  
situation under control and that there  
will be but a few more cases reported.

In the judgment of both the city and  
state authorities, it is believed that  
the risk carried the infection and  
then other cases developed from the  
first cases.

One case was reported again this  
morning from Canyon road. There  
seems to have been some infection in  
the neighborhood but the garbage has  
been cleaned up, and the source of the  
disease stamped out.  
By Monday night all the reservoirs  
will have been thoroughly cleaned.  
The action is being taken by Superin-  
tendent Hobday as a precaution at the  
request of the health department.

TEN CASES TODAY.

The following is the list of cases re-  
ported today:  
Edwin Peterson, 8 years old, 420 E.  
street; Peter Bolton, 25, 280 North Ninth  
West; Henry Christensen, 29, 227 West  
First South street; Zelma Stewart, 3,  
627 West South Temple; John Skonky,  
5, 621 South Eighth West; Maxie Keener,  
8, 273 West Second South; Miss Grace  
Evans, 15, 174 H street; Ines Leffler,  
and Annie Leffler, twins, 12 years old,  
860 Lake street, and Ruth Squires, 24  
Canyon road.

VITAL STATISTICS.

The weekly report of the city board  
of health also shows that two cases of  
smallpox were reported this week, one  
case of scarlet fever, one case of  
chickenpox, and one case of diphtheria,  
making a total of 115 contagious and  
infectious diseases.  
There were 24 births reported for the  
same period, 13 males and 11 females.  
During the week there were 25 deaths,  
13 females and 12 males. Six bodies  
were shipped here for burial.

There are three houses still under  
quarantine on account of smallpox, 8  
houses on account of scarlet fever, 8  
houses on account of diphtheria, and 1  
patient is still in the isolation hospital  
suffering of smallpox.

## S.S.S. CURES S.S.S. OLD SORES

If an old sore existed simply because the flesh was diseased at that  
particular spot, it would be an easy matter to apply some remedy directly  
to the place that would kill the germs; or the diseased flesh might be  
removed by a surgical operation and a cure effected. But the very fact  
that old sores resist every form of local or external treatment, and even  
return after being cut away, shows that back of them is a morbid cause  
which must be removed before a cure can result. Just as long as the  
poison continues in the blood, the ulcer remains an open cesspool for the  
deposit of impurities which the circulation throws off. S. S. S. cures Old Sores  
by purifying the blood. It removes every trace of impurity and taint from  
the circulation, and thus completely does away with the cause. When  
S. S. S. has cleansed the blood, the sore begins to heal, and it is not a  
surface cure, but the healing process begins at the bottom; soon the dis-  
charge ceases, the inflammation leaves, and the place fills in with firm,  
healthy flesh. Under the purifying and tonic effects of S. S. S. the system  
is built up and those whose health has been impaired by the drain and  
worry of an old sore will be doubly benefited by its use. Book on Sores  
and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

## MAN IS ARRESTED FOR TALKING MUCH

Says President Should be Killed and  
Lands in Cell at the  
City Jail.

The rambling talk of a drunken man,  
but containing the expressed belief  
that "it would be a good thing for the  
country if some one was to kill Taft,"  
resulted this morning in the prompt ar-  
rest and detention of W. H. Hicks, a  
man about 30 years of age and giving  
his occupation as that of a soldier.

Hicks was taken into custody by Pa-  
trolmen McCormick and Fox, and al-  
though he is not believed to be of an  
unruly tendency, and that his re-  
marks were the result of a befuddled  
mind, he will be held in jail until after  
the departure of the president.

Hicks this morning showed the ef-  
fects of an all-night spree with its  
accompanying this morning. In a Com-  
mercial street saloon when the talk had  
reverted to the visit of President Taft,  
Hicks was obstinate and belligerent.  
His pride was wounded, he declared,  
and then followed his remark regarding  
Taft.

The officers were in the immediate vi-  
cinity and promptly took the man into  
custody.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-  
ward for any case of Catarrh that can-  
not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
E. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known E.  
J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-  
lieve him to be perfectly honorable in all  
business transactions and financially  
able to carry out any obligations made  
by him.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,  
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internal-  
ly, acting directly upon the blood and  
mucous surfaces of the system. Testi-  
monials sent freely. Price 50c. per bot-  
tle. Sold by all Druggists.  
"Take Hall's Family Pills for consti-  
pation."

## PERSONALS.

Matthew Paul, a Spanish war vet-  
eran and citizen of Denver, is visiting  
in this city on route home from Seattle  
where he attended the sixth annual en-  
campment of the veterans.

Freeman Morningstar returned this  
morning from Denver, where he went  
on business.

Dr. A. May Irvine who has been prac-  
ticing in this city for a number of  
years, left this morning for Philadel-  
phia, where he is to take a special  
course of study under the direction of  
Prof. Fox, the noted eye, ear and nose  
specialist.

Captain Bryant H. Wells of the  
Twenty-ninth Infantry, leaves to-  
day for Governor's Island to take  
station with a battalion of his regi-  
ment there, after a pleasant visit  
in this city with relatives and friends.

A BURGLAR IN TOWN

His name is "bad enough." He doesn't  
care for gold or silver but he will steal  
your health away. If he appears in your  
house arrest him at once with Hal-  
l's Catarrh Cure. If you don't it may  
consume if you don't. A cure for all  
coughs, colds and chest troubles. Price  
50c. per bottle. Sold by E. J. Cheney &  
C. M. I. Drug Dept., 113 and 114 South  
Main Street, Salt Lake City.

NIGHT SCHOOL

Opens Wednesday, October 6, 1909.

Bookkeeping, Shortland,  
Business Arithmetic, Typewriting,  
Penmanship, English,  
Mechanical Drawing, Etc.  
Latest system, expert teachers, best  
equipment. The demand for business  
firms for our students is never fully  
supplied.

L. D. S. BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Ask for 503—it's government inspec-  
ted.

It's the meat you should eat—it's  
never rejected.  
The meat that's the finest that's sold  
in Salt Lake.  
Uncle Sam says it's good, and he stands  
up for it.  
INTER-MOUNTAIN PKG. CO.

# The Gigantic Money-Raising Sale of the R. K. THOMAS DRY GOODS CO.

Now Under the Management of KANN BROTHERS of San Francisco is the Sensation of the Hour.

Thousands of people crowding the big store every day since the opening and every one buying. Why? Because they can see never before have they had the opportunity to buy such high grade dry goods, ladies' misses' and children's ready made wearing apparel at such low prices. Ladies, this appeal is made for you as well as for ourselves and it is up to you to take advantage of it. We need the money, and you need the merchandise and if you can save 50 per cent naturally common sense will tell you to come to this great slaughter sale at once. Remember only six more days left.

The Greatest Sensation of the Suit Season. **ENTIRE STOCK OF CLOTH SUITS AT HALF PRICE!** The Biggest Bargain News of the Year.

Last call for cloth suits—out they all go for a fraction of their worth. Any one of the pretty, attractive, stylish garments you saw and admired in the big store may become a part of your wardrobe for just half its regular price. It's a bona fide cut in two, a genuine halving and if you want a suit you must in justice to yourself, patronize this event. Think of a splendid misses' suit for \$3.47, or a really smart women's suit for \$15.00. Was there ever before at this time of the year (the actual wearing time) such a great chance to save. But there's a good reason for it all—Kann Bros., of San Francisco, have entire charge of the R. K. Thomas Dry Goods Co., and are compelled to raise a stipulated amount of money—hence the great slaughter of prices. Monday morning at nine o'clock. Be on time.

**Ladies' \$75 Man-Tailored Newest Fall Suits,  
Long Coats, Satin Lined to go During  
This Sale for Just One-Half . . . . . \$37.50**  
**Ladies' \$65 New Cloth Suits in all Shades,  
Long Coats, Satin Lined, the Swellest  
Thing of the Season . . . . . \$32.50**

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**Ladies' \$50 Man-Tailored Long Cloth Suits,  
all Shades, Satin Lined, to go During  
This Sale . . . . . \$25.00**  
**Ladies' \$30 Suits, in Fancy Effects, Long  
Coats, Satin Lined, to go at Just One  
Half, as Long as They Last . . . . . \$15.00**

We have 500 Suits Worth up to \$40,  
which we are determined to close out at  
once. Notice the price, come to the store,  
look at them and we assure you, you will  
buy one. The lining is worth **\$7.50**  
the money . . . . .

**Black and Blue Panama Skirts, plaited  
and very stylish. \$4.00 value \$1.98  
now . . . . .**

It is impossible for us to make mention of everything in the big Store, but bear in mind: Every dollar's  
worth of goods in the big Store is to be sold for less than the cost of production. Absolutely nothing reserved.  
Do your trading in the morning and avoid the afternoon rush. While we deliver goods any where in the city we advise you to take your small packages as we may be a little late in deliveries,  
owing to the great volume of business during the sale. Look for the big Red Canvas signs.

## DRESS GOODS

only a question of turning the goods into money at once.

250 Novelty Plaid Dress Goods, yd. . . . . 12c  
250 Novelty Plaid Dress Goods, yd. . . . . 15c  
450 Fancy Wool Plaids, double width, over  
20 patterns to select from, yd. . . . . 10c  
750 Fancy Suitings, big lot to choose from,  
yard . . . . . 20c  
100 pieces Wool Dress Goods in every one  
selectable material, fancy and plain ef-  
fects, \$1.00 value, to go at . . . . . 30c  
Fancy Cashmere, solid colors, 75c value, yd. . . . . 35c  
Fancy Mohairs, solid colors, 75c value, yd. . . . . 30c  
Large variety of solid color Panamas, \$1.00  
value, yard . . . . . 40c  
200 pieces of Black Dress Goods in Pan-  
amas, Henriettas, Armures, Cashmeres,  
Voiles and fancy effects, values up to  
\$1.50, yard . . . . . 50c

SILKS AND VELVETS.

350 China Silks, all colors, yard . . . . . 12c  
450 Jap. Wash Silks, fancy designs, yd. . . . . 10c  
500 Taffeta Silks, all colors, yd. . . . . 40c  
\$1.00 Messalines, 30-inch wide, yd. . . . . 50c

\$10,000 worth of new fall dress goods must  
be closed out in the next 60 days, price cut to  
the limit. Cost or value not considered it is  
only a question of turning the goods into money at once.

150 Messalines, 22-inch wide, yd. . . . . 50c  
150 Silks, all colors, yd. . . . . 30c  
2500 Fancy Silks to choose in a hurry, yd. . . . . 50c  
White China Silks, 27-inch wide, \$1.10  
value, yd. . . . . 75c  
White China Silks, 27-inch wide, \$1.00  
value, yd. . . . . 50c  
White China Silks, 27-inch wide, 75c  
value, yd. . . . . 40c  
China Silks, all colors, 27-inch wide, 60c  
value, yd. . . . . 30c  
\$1.25 Black Taffeta Silks, 34-inch wide,  
yd. . . . . 80c  
\$1.50 Black Taffeta Silks, 34-inch wide,  
yd. . . . . \$1.10  
\$2.00 Black Taffeta Silks, 36-inch wide,  
yd. . . . . \$1.25  
Silk Velvets, all colors and black, \$1.50 yd. . . . . 90c  
Fancy Colored Velvets in the new extreme  
shades, \$1.25 value, yd. . . . . 10c  
Silk Plushes, worth up to \$1.00 yd. . . . . 40c  
Velveteens, all colors, 80c value, yd. . . . . 30c

We have 250 Ladies' and Misses' Long  
Coats, in Black, Navy, Green and Castor,  
Satin Lined, Newest Fall Styles, worth up  
to \$45.00, while they last, **\$15.00**  
at . . . . .

**Silk and Voile Skirts, plaited, very  
nobby, \$8.75 value, \$3.98  
now . . . . .**

**ONLY SIX MORE DAYS LEFT!**