

Deseret News Stories

FROM THE FILES OF 1860.

Of More
Than
40 Years
Ago.

Appointments.—Mr. Robert L. Campbell, of this city, was, by the county court, of Great Salt Lake county, appointed superintendent of common schools for said county, on Tuesday, the 6th inst., in accordance with the law passed at the last session of the Legislature, which office he will hold, if he complies with the provisions of the statute, till the general election on the first Monday in August next, when his successor is to be elected.

From the interest Mr. Campbell has ever manifested in relation to the subject of education, he will no doubt efficiently perform the duties required and thereby secure his nomination and election as his successor in office.

Messrs. Isaac Bowman, Isaac Groo and G. W. Mousley, were also appointed a board of examination to determine the qualifications of school teachers in this county; and no instructor should be employed excepting those who by the examiners are considered competent to teach the branches of science usually studied in these primary institutions.

Correspondence from Sanpete County Manti, Feb. 6, 1860.—A meeting of the citizens having been called for the purpose of organizing a branch society in this county of the State Agricultural and Manufacturing Society of Deseret, Col. Warren S. Snow was called to the chair, and E. C. Robinson appointed secretary.

After an explanation of the object of the meeting, fifty-two persons enrolled their names, when they proceeded to elect the following officers: Hon. Edwin Whiting, president; Warren S. Snow, George Peacock, George P. Billings, John Crawford, W. F. Maylett, Harman J. Christensen and John Patton, managing directors; and L. Siler, secretary, and E. C. Robinson, treasurer.

President Whiting then appointed the following a committee to present a constitution and by-laws: George Peacock and L. Siler, and Elijah Averitt. The meeting then adjourned, to meet on the 2nd inst.

On the 20th inst. the society met and adopted the constitution and by-laws as they were reported by the committee, and appointed the following named gentlemen to act as subdirectors in the various wards throughout the county: W. K. Barton, Caleb G. Edwards, G. C. Larson, W. S. Snow, Isaac Y. Vance, Ruse Lewelling, George W. Bradley and John Ruse.

After the election was over, 72 persons presented their names for membership and there are but few in the county who will not become members of the society as soon as opportunity presents.

At a meeting of the board, held Feb. 21st, four members of the board were appointed to visit the various wards in this county to lecture on agriculture and manufactures and complete the organization of the society.

The following resolution was then adopted—Resolved, that the Deseret News and Mountaineer be requested to publish the report.

EDWIN WHITING, President.
AND L. SILER, Secretary.

Correspondence from Millard County, Fillmore City, Feb. 4, 1860.—The weather here continued cold. Last night there was a fall of three or four inches of snow, which makes the sleighing quite good again.

Last week I went as far south as Beaver in company with S. S. Smith, representative from Iron county, who was on his return home. There has been but little snow in and about Beaver this winter. The ground for the most part has been bare.

On Sunday morning, while I was at Bishop Farnsworth's, an Indian came in and described the late earthquake and its effects. From his descriptions it was similar to a volcanic eruption.

He said the mountain about 15 miles west of Beaver had opened and made a large chasm and thrown out a vast amount of stones.

Home Made Cigars.—Mr. George D. Watt exhibited to us a few days since a box of cigars manufactured by him from tobacco, which he raised in this city last season. Not being a user of cigars, I did not purchase any, but I could judge of their quality only by their external appearance, which was superior to many of those imported called good by tobacco connoisseurs.

It has been thoroughly demonstrated that tobacco can be raised in nearly every settlement and valley in the territory, of excellent quality, and in sufficient quantities if growers would give their attention to it, to supply the demand; and inasmuch as many people will not, or cannot well refrain from using it in some shape, would it not be good policy to produce it here instead of importing it, at an annual cost of \$40,000 or \$50,000? That amount of money saved yearly would add materially to the circulating medium, and have a decided tendency to make money matters more easy.

Departure.—Gen. A. S. Johnston, commanding the division of the army in Utah, left Camp Floyd for Washington, on Thursday last, as reported, via the southern route to California, thence by the isthmus.

Those who have made the general's acquaintance since his arrival in the valley, speak highly of him as an officer and a gentleman. For some cause he never visited Great Salt Lake City after he passed through it with his army, on the 26th of June, 1855, consequently he never had an opportunity of seeing the "lion."

There are many reports in circulation as to the object of his visit to the capital, but he unquestionably goes in strict obedience to orders and in due time the facts relative to the matter will be made known.

Another Fatal Occurrence.—On Thursday last, in one of the smaller canyons opening into Parley's, there was one of those snowslides or avalanches so common in the mountains in this part of the territory, which in its course buried up a man named Ogilvie, who was on the side of the mountain getting down wood. The particulars we have not been able to ascertain, but understand that his body has not been found.

Singular Accident.—Some time since, a hog belonging to Mr. Staples of Toquerville, Washington county, escaped from its pen, and Mr. Staples, accompanied by his son, about 14 years old, endeavored to drive it back, when the animal became enraged and turning round attacked the boy, inflicting a small wound with his tusk in the groin, severing the artery. The boy ran about 15 rods, fell down and died instantly.

Sugar from the Sorghum.—A very good specimen of sugar manufactured from the Chinese sorghum cane by Mr. J. F. Willie of Toquerville, Washington county, has lately been exhibited in our office. It was produced by the simple process of boiling the juice without any scientific appliances to cause it to granulate. If one person can make sugar from sorghum by that process others can of course.

Mousley's City Academy.—G. S. L. City, March 10, 1860. Mr. Editor: Have

ing had a courteous invitation to visit this academy, I spent a few hours very agreeably a few days since in a private partial examination.

Mr. Mousley has introduced Naylor's

new system of arithmetic, by which simple arithmetic questions are solved with the half of the figures usually employed, and the most intricate questions with one-tenth of the figures.

He also teaches Naylor's geography, accompanied by Pelton's outline maps, three of which, seven by seven, the other six feet by six, decorate his academy. The pupils, in turn, point out the localities with long pointers, while the class chant their lessons, which renders it not only instructive but amusing.

He spoke in high terms of his grammar class, the proficiency of which he felt highly creditable to his pupils. This class closed last week. In hygiene and natural philosophy, a couple of pupils were very promising.

Combined with bookkeeping, he has given his pupils lessons in ornamental penmanship, which imparts to their books a highly finished character, exhibiting much good taste.

Scholars from West Jordan, Kaysville, Cottonwood, Springville, Saugus and Fillmore have attended during the winter, some of whom were among the most proficient in the school.

Mr. George W. Mousley is assisted by his brother, Lewis, and Mr. Joseph Foreman, they have taught the past quarter 140 scholars in the following branches: reading, writing, arithmetic, geography, grammar, elocution, bookkeeping, natural philosophy, anatomy, physiology and hygiene, algebra and surveying, and although they have never brought to their assistance the

lash, nor inflicted the slightest corporal punishment, good order is maintained. When I left I felt in my heart to say, "Success to Mousley's City Academy."

—Yours, Regent.

Itch-Ringworm.

E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes, April 23d, 1903: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable. I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liniment on two separate occasions for ring worm and it cured completely. 25c. 50c and \$1.00 bottle Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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All Branches of House Cleaning.
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Greatest 6-Day Bargain Carnival

WE'VE EVER RECORDED BEGINS HERE MONDAY!
UNMATCHABLE VALUES THE LIKE OF WHICH HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN KNOWN IN THE ANNALS OF SALT LAKE RETAILING!

In this Great Bargain Carnival we are positively wrecking values, absolutely upsetting traditions and revolutionizing every custom known to the trade. We're going to turn this month of February into one of the busiest months of the whole year. Here we present bargains that will beckon to you in unmistakable terms. They are certainly worth coming for from a great distance.

HAVE WE UPSET THINGS? LOOK INTO THESE GREAT BARGAINS AND LET THEM SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES!!

Ladies' Colored Silk BELTS, Worth up to 50c—
10c Each.

GOLF GLOVES. Ladies' all wool golf gloves in black or white only, pretty knitted designs, 35c gloves, now
19c

Ladies' 25c STOCK COLLARS. Fine washable maras stock collars with pretty turn over tops, pearl button trimmed, regular 25c collars.
10c

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DRY GOODS STORE
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50c Embroidered SKIRT FLOUNCINGS **25c**
About 16 pieces deep embroidered skirt flouncings from 12 to 15 inches wide, beautiful designs.

\$1.00 and \$1.50 WHITE KID GLOVES **50c**
Closing out this line of white gloves, all sizes, white only, regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 kid gloves.

50c and 65c Floral PILLOW TOPS **19c**
A clean sweep of all floral design pillow tops is anticipated, 50c and 65c grade top and back at above price.

Closing out the 15c Eclipse FLANNELS, **5c**
At per yard . . . 5c
About 50 pieces still left to choose from, all desirable colors for waists, wrappers and children's wear; light, dark and medium colors. But now while the great sale offers them to you at terrific loss to us.

15c New Spring ZEPHYR GINGHAMS, **7 1/2c**
To keep this great sale company we offer 3,000 yards of new 1905 fine zephyr gingham in lengths from 2 to 10 yards, all best and most staple patterns, full standard cloth, and the price is just half.

THE CARNIVAL PRICES CUT DEEP INTO THE SILKS AND DRESS GOODS SILKS.

50c lining taffetas in all colors, except black, to be closed out **35c**
75c messaline satins in an excellent range of evening and street shades, per yard **50c**
50c and \$1.00 shirt waist taffetas silks, changeable stripes, checks and corded effects, full color assortment, carnival price, per yard **69c**

ALL OUR HEAVY WINTER DRESS GOODS.
Divided into three lots and priced away below wholesale cost. A grand opportunity to supply immediate and even future needs, for any purchase in these lots will turn out a most profitable investment.
Lot 1 contains about 300 yards of 38-inch wool goods in very desirable homespun and novelty weaves, worth up to 75c per yard, now **39c**
Lot 2 contains about 250 yards of 44-inch fine, all-wool novelty dress goods that sold up to \$1.25 per yard, now **65c**
Lot 3 contains about 400 yards of 44 and 54-inch high grade dress goods in excellent skirt and dress patterns, worth up to \$1.75 per yard, now **79c**

BLACK TAFFETAS AND PEAU DE SOIES.
75c grade 19-inch black taffetas, per yard **49c**
90c grade 19-inch black taffetas, per yard **65c**
\$1.00 grade 23-inch black taffetas, per yard **75c**
\$1.25 quality, per yard **85c**
36-inch black taffetas, regular \$1.25 quality, per yard **85c**

Sacrificing all the White Waists at 12 1/2c & 19c.
All the finest back white cotton waists without reserve at one price. Sold for 25c to 50c per yard, in this great sale, per yard **12 1/2c**
Fine basket weave white waists, excellent spring fabric, 35c is the regular price, in this bargain carnival, per yard **19c**

Great Ribbon Sale.
No. 1 baby ribbon, 50 yards on a spool (regular price 10c a yard) **25c**
No. 60 all silk taffeta ribbons, regular 35c per yard **15c**
No. 100 all silk taffeta ribbons, regular 45c per yard **19c**
50c fancy lace striped, embroidered and figured ribbons, Nos. 50 and 60, per yard **23c**

CURTAIN BARGAINS Beyond Compare.
Dotted and figured curtain swisses, big variety of patterns, 10c quality **10c**
24-yard Nottingham lace curtains, all perfect, no 39c
Full 3-yard Nottingham lace curtains, 35 inches wide, sale price **69c**
Three-yard Nottingham lace curtains, extra full widths, for large size windows, per pair **95c**
Extra heavy thread Nottingham lace curtains, largest size, made 3 1/2 yards long and 60 inches wide, suitable for biggest size windows and in this sale only, per pair **\$1.39**

Overstocked on fine White PETTICOATS.
Therefore they are priced for a quick clearance at most remarkably low figures. Read the list, then stock up on them. You can't reproduce them at double the price.
75c for extra full cut cambric skirts, deep flounce trimmed with two rows torseon lace insertion and wide torseon lace at bottom.
\$1.25 shows 3 exquisite styles, fine tucks, embroidery and deep lace trimmed flounces, all exceptional values.
\$1.75 for a variety of handsome styles, has a 27-inch flounce with five rows of tuckings, alternated with Flat, Val, insertion, 5-inch Flat Val, lace at bottom; the other styles equally as pretty.

TOILET NECESSITIES At Tremendous Savings.
Buttermilk soap, per box of 3 cakes **5c**
Household ammonia **8c**
25c size Pozzoni's face powder **15c**
25c Flax, quince and cucumber jelly **15c**
Euthymol tooth paste **18c**
Violet almond meal **15c**
Raymond's violet talcum powder with chamomel **7c**
Rubifoam, per bottle **19c**
411 Glycerine soap, per cake **12c**
Swift's 25c highly scented soaps **15c**

THE CLOAK AND SUIT DEPARTMENT

It's a last call for the winter clearance and we don't stop to consider prices. The room is better than their company to us for we need the space for New Spring Goods, so a general exodus has been declared in this department and havoc will run riot here this week.

One Dollar EVERY CLOTH EVERY SUIT

Buys any Winter Waist, Flannelette or Percale Wrapper, Swansdown, Flannelette or Elderdown Dressing Sacque, Children's Elderdown Coat, Flannelette or Swansdown Long Kimona, in the House and they are worth up to \$5.00.

1.00 1.00 1.00
Two NINETY-EIGHT

Buys any Misses' Winter Coat, Child's Long or Short Winter Coat, Infants' and Children's Spring Reefer in the House.

2.98 2.98 2.98

In the House Butchered. Three Prices Take in Everything in Ladies' and Misses' Suits Including the Early Spring Arrivals.

Take Your Pick And Pick the Best at
\$5.00 \$10.00 \$15.00

For Suits That Sold Up to \$15.00. For Suits That Sold Up to \$30.00. For Suits That Sold Up to \$45.00.

ANY AND ALL ALTERATIONS IN THIS SALE MADE ABSOLUTELY FREE OF CHARGE.

Every Walking Skirt

In the House Divided into 3 Lots at 3 Prices.
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Take Your Unrestricted Choice at—
\$2.75 \$3.75 \$5.00
Worth Up To \$6.00. Worth Up To \$9.50. Worth Up To \$12.50.

EVERY Winter Cloth Jacket

In the House Sacrificed. 3 Prices to Clear Them All Out
\$2.98 \$7.98 \$12.98
For Coats Worth Up To \$6.00. For Coats Worth Up To \$16.50. For Coats Worth Up To \$30.00.

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In the House Slaughtered. 3 Prices Take in the Entire Stock.
89 cts. \$1.50 \$2.95
For Petticoats That Sold Up to \$1.75. For Petticoats That Sold Up to \$3.00. For Petticoats That Sold Up to \$4.50.