

PRIZES FOR THE Christmas News

The Deseret News offers a cash prize of \$50 for the best story submitted for the Christmas issue, to be printed on Saturday, Dec. 19th, 1908. The story must contain not more than 8,500 words, or about 7 columns, one page, of Deseret News type, and all manuscripts must be delivered at the "News" office not later than Nov. 30.

The Deseret News also offers a cash prize of \$25.00 for the best Christmas poem submitted for the Christmas issue. The poem to consist of not more than 1,200 words, and the manuscript to be in the "News" office by Nov. 26th.

Stories and poems submitted for the CHRISTMAS NEWS competition should be signed with an initial or nom de plume, and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the real name and address of the author.

Those desiring manuscripts returned should enclose the necessary postage.

Address all contributions:

The Deseret News,

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Christmas Contest Dept.

BACKSLIDER HAMILTON.

Drink Once More Causes Downfall of A Former Queen's Counsel.

When F. H. Hamilton, the ex-queen's counsel at Melbourne, was pardoned from the Utah state prison, Aug. 15 last, by the state board of pardons, Warden Pratt said to Atty-Gen. Breeden, "Judge, mark my words, that man will be back here again in 60 days." The judge smiled at the ironical smile, as though he thought this a rather wild prediction, but the warden held to it; and this morning as the attorney-general looked up the record, he remarked that it was really remarkable; the warden must be gifted with a sort of second sight.

The case is also an instance of the serpent turning to bite the hand that succored it. Ex-County Atty. Job Lyon befriended this man Hamilton. With a patience that might have been expected of a divine descendant of the greatest of living caruncle incubators, Lyon pleaded Hamilton's case before the board, practically at his own expense; then took the law to his own care, looked after him like a brother, and tried to get him started right once more. But Hamilton, having no moral stamina, took again to the drinking bowl, and the devil having entered into Judas, he forged the name of his benefactor on a check with which to raise money to continue drinking. Hamilton was on his way to the city office when the officers gathered him in.

His wife is a good old soul. As happy as a lark, she is. Each night she takes it in a bowl, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Godbe-Pitts Drug Co.

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HARD LUCK LIFE ENDS.

The funeral of Harry Fitzpatrick, who died of miner's consumption Wednesday, was held this morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's cathedral. Mr. Fitzpatrick was formerly a mine foreman in Colorado. He lived in Salt Lake one year. His death occurred at the family residence, 37 south First West street. The funeral home was in charge of singular misfortune. At one time Mr. Fitzpatrick was possessed of considerable means. During the last illness he was reduced to penury. He lost his children in their infancy and his wife is left practically destitute.

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FUNERAL OF T. H. BENNETT.

Funeral services over the remains of T. Harry Bennett were held yesterday afternoon at the undertaking parlors of Joseph William Taylor, there being a large number of friends in attendance. The services were conducted by the Rev. Edward Hunter of the Eighth ward, and a number of addresses were delivered. The deceased was eulogized as an honorable and upright man.

Mr. Bennett was a native of England, where he was born 43 years ago. He had been a resident of Utah for 10 years, coming here from Canada. He was a pharmacist and lived at various times in Beaver, Cedar City and Garland. It was while conducting a business in the latter place that Bright's disease attacked him, and he passed away at a hospital in this city. Oct. 14. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Maggie Stewart, and a child, a few months old.

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Mrs. Agnes Dahlquist Beckstrand Announces the removal of her piano studio to 163 B St. Tel. 1044 nx.

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Daily Trips to Emigration Canyon. Two cars daily will be run to the head of the canyon, 9:15 a. m. and 2:15 p. m. Special excursions on Sundays.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

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

LOCAL BRIEFS.

First of the Season—The first flann haddies are on the market today, having been shipped direct from Boston by express.

Joy for the Orphans—Frederick W. Schell, and wife of this city have presented St. Ann's Orphanage with 50 bags of apples.

Not All Gone Yet—Notwithstanding the damage done by the frost and cold to the tomatoes in Davis county, there remains enough of the vegetable from other sources to supply the Salt Lake market.

Orchestra Meets Tomorrow—The members of the Salt Lake Symphony orchestra will meet at 11:30 tomorrow morning at the Salt Lake theater, to discuss plans for the coming season's work.

Guiltily as Charged—Corra Martin, arrested by deputy sheriffs several days ago for soliciting on the streets, was found guilty in Justice Bishop's court yesterday afternoon, and is to be sentenced later today.

Social Problem His Theme—Rev. William Thurston Brown, pastor of the Unitarian church of this city, will deliver an address on the social problem, and economic questions of the day, at the Socialist headquarters, 39 P. O. Place (Market street) tonight at 7:30.

Technical Meeting—The Utah Society of Engineers held their regular monthly meeting at the university last evening. R. S. McCaffery, formerly with the Tintic smelter, presented a paper on "Some Tests on Connorsville and Centrifugal Blowers in Connection with Blast Furnace Work."

Anti-Mud Petition—Principal Eaton and Assistant Principal Gillman of the High school have filed a petition with the city council for a crossing in front of the Science building at First North and Second West streets, for the accommodation of pupils wishing to board the street cars.

Charged With Burglary—Richard Smith, of Garfield, is in the county jail, and a complaint charging him with burglary has been filed against him by the county attorney. It is alleged that Smith entered the rooming-house kept by Mrs. Anderson and stole some things.

Steel Worker Hurt—Elmer Buckland, an employee of the Minneapolis Steel & Construction company at Garfield, was struck on the head by a piece of machinery yesterday afternoon, and is badly injured. He has been brought to the Keogh-Hammond hospital for treatment. He is convalescent today.

Principals Go to School—The principals of the Salt Lake City public schools took a course of university extension work this morning, and the class will continue every Saturday throughout the season. The classes will be under the direction of Prof. C. Q. Corey and Prof. F. W. Reynolds, both of the University of Utah. Both classes assembled in Superintendent D. Hamilton's office in the city and county building.

Convicts Seek Pardon—The following inmates of the state prison have filed applications for official clemency, with the attorney-general: For pardon—Joseph Kendall, Ogdin, serving 15 years for murder; for commutation—Joseph H. Mack, Ogdin, serving eight years for burglary, second degree; Hiram E. Lindsay, Nephi, serving five years for burglary, first degree; Royal B. Morrison, Salt Lake, serving 10 years for burglary, first degree.

Ran Into a Wagon—Samuel Newcomer, son of Harry W. Newcomer, residing at 555 West Third South, sustained slight injuries last night in consequence of a collision between the wagon he was driving and a heavy dray. The dray, standing in the middle of the street, and owing to the darkness he did not see it. Dr. Ira W. Walte attended to the injuries of the boy, which are not more serious than a dislocated left shoulder.

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BUSSINGER'S ESCAPE.
Doctor's Verdict on Cause of Death of Wallace Saves Him.

The funeral of Thomas Wallace, herb doctor, who died of heart failure at the Holy Cross hospital Wednesday, was held yesterday from the Evans undertaking parlors. Mr. Wallace was a member of the G. A. R. and some members of that order were present. Interment was in the city cemetery.

It was supposed that a pistol wound inflicted by Frank Bussinger who shot Mr. Wallace in the chest yesterday, was the cause of his death. It is the same with all infectious disease. Diphtheria, scarlet fever, measles and whooping cough are much more likely to be contracted when the child has a cold. You will see from this that more real cures are recovered from them. The leading book sellers of the country, the six books which have sold best in the order of demand during the month are:

1—Mr. Cress's Career, Churchill, \$1.50
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WITH THE POLICE.

William Potter, who was arrested Thursday night for passing a bad check upon Joseph Nielson, proprietor of the Utah saloon, was released by Chief Fitz Friday afternoon following a statement that the check was not his own, and that he would not prosecute the case and asked its dismissal. The charge was that Potter had made out a check for \$15 and signed it, "Potter Bros., of Payson, Utah. An eye witness says concerning the affair: "Everybody in the saloon was more or less under the influence of liquor when Potter began to sign his own name to the check. Nielson saw him and told him that his name was no good, then Potter used his brother's name."

"Bob," then was acquitted in Judge Diehl's court yesterday afternoon. He was arrested Oct. 13 by Officer Eddy and booked as "Vas" Officer Eddy said that to his knowledge Lawless had not been at work since he had been in the force, and that he had frequently seen him on the street. Lawless' attorney, James Smith, made the motion that the defendant be released as no evidences of vagrancy were shown. Judge Diehl sustained the motion.

ANDREW SCHECHK.
President of the Germania Fire Insurance Co., Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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DAUGHTERS NAME OFFICERS.
Descendants of Mormon Battalion Select Mrs. H. J. Pickett as Regent.

The Daughters of the Mormon Battalion select this week at the home of Mrs. Mary J. Clawson. Officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: Regent, Mrs. Hattie J. Pickett; first vice regent, Mrs. Claire H. Fell; second vice regent, Mrs. Abbie H. Cowley; recording secretary, Mrs. Mary B. Butterworth; historian, Mrs. Julia M. Farnsworth; chaplain, Mrs. Mary B. Butterworth.

The society was organized three years ago, for the purpose of keeping alive the memory of the battalion and encouraging the children of the pioneers. The members have been working to this end and at the present time have a small amount on deposit to be used as the nucleus of a memorial fund.

During the past year, ten meetings were held, two of which were of a social nature. As a course of study, the history of the Mormon Battalion was taken up. Within the past year the membership of the society has been increased from 24 to 30. There are, however, in addition to them, six honorary members.

WOULD MORTGAGE THE FARM.
A farmer on Rural Route 2, Empire, Utah, who is a member of the Utah Farmers' Union, has offered to mortgage his farm to the Utah Farmers' Union for \$10,000.

WOTEN TRIES AGAIN.
Former Police Court Lawyer Seeks Re-Admission to Legal Bar.

W. O. Woten, whose application for admission to the bar of Utah was denied by the supreme court, is going to make another attempt to secure permission to practise in this state. Woten charges that the committee appointed to investigate his case acted unprofessionally and that his part was unjustly prejudiced against him.

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