# A LIBEL SUIT.

## Marshal Parsons Claims $25,000 Damages

FROM THE SALT LAKE "TRIBUNE."

Full Text of the Complaint Filed Last Evening in the Third District Court.

The following complaint in a suit for libel brought by Marshal Elias H. Parsons against the Salt Lake Tribune, was filed in the Third District Court last evening:

In the Third District Court, Territory of Utah, County of Salt Lake, Elias H. Parsons, plaintiff, vs. the Tribune Publishing Company, defendant.

The plaintiff complains of the defendant and alleges that at the date of the filing of this complaint, and at all the dates hereinafter mentioned the defendant was and is a corporation, duly organized and existing under the laws of the Territory of Utah and doing business as such; that the plaintiff now holds the office of United States marshal for the said Territory of Utah, and has been such officer from and since the 11th day of July, 1889; that the said defendant publishes a newspaper having a large daily and weekly circulation within the city and county of Salt Lake and Territory of Utah, and elsewhere within the United States; that in the daily issue of said paper published on the 2nd day of December, 1891, the said defendant falsely and maliciously published of and concerning the plaintiff to wit:

"THE CASE OF MARSHAL PARSONS.

"The Tribune opposed the appointment of E. H. Parsons as United States marshal, and warned the President that if he should be appointed he would dishonor his administration. We did it because we believed he was a thoroughly corrupt man, a hypocrite and a moral leper.

When he was appointed, however, the Tribune announced that it would judge him in his office solely by the record he made in that office. We have been true to our word. Of late it has been a duty to investigate some of the accounts of Parsons' shortcomings as they have been brought in. The investigation has cost some money, and the facts we have presented have all been smoothed down. Much that we have obtained is too grossly indecent for publication.

In the meantime he has been swaggering around and threatening a libel suit as soon as his attorney should return. We knew that he might begin suit; we knew quite as well that if he should it would simply be a sorry bluff; that there is not power enough in the steam roller to draw him up to the point of bringing the suit to trial, for he knows that the Tribune when it attacks a man has the facts. Now we understand the grand jury is considering his case on its merits. If that be true, from what we know, that body cannot fail to indict him for various offenses covering the whole range of crimes, from dishonesty in office to gross and beastly crimes which are a shame to anyone wearing the human form. There are other things which even the grand jury cannot reach. He has been a common liar and slanderer, has been going around defaming men whose boots he is not worthy to clean. In short, he has shown himself utterly wanting in every attribute which is supposed to attach to a gentleman and honest man.

It is no pleasure, not even a satisfaction, to know that when we predicted that he would dishonor the administration which gave him an honorable and valuable office, we spoke with a clear premonition of what he would be.

For the sake of his family we wish he might have lived a decent life and performed honestly the duties of his office. But he has made his own bed."

That thereby the said defendant intended to and did charge the said plaintiff with committing various offenses, covering the whole range of crimes, from dishonesty in office to gross and beastly crimes, including in said charge all crimes defined in the penal code of Utah; that the said libel has spoken of the said plaintiff with reference to his position in the public office aforesaid, to wit, that of United States marshal; that the said libel and each and every innuendo and insinuation therein is false, malicious, defamatory, and injurious to the said plaintiff; that by means of the said publication of the said libel, the plaintiff has been greatly injured in mind and in his standing and reputation at Salt Lake City, where he lives, and in other places where he is known; that his feelings have been outraged and his character maligned and injured, to his damage in the sum of $25,000.

Wherefore the said plaintiff demands judgment against the said defendant in the sum of $25,000 and costs of suit.

Brown & Henderson, Rawlins & Critchlow are attorneys for plaintiff.

### Twenty-Second Ward Co-op.

Articles of incorporation of the Twenty-second Ward Co-operative Mercantile Institution have been filed with the county clerk. The capital stock is fixed at $5,000, divided into 2000 shares of the par value of $2.50 per share. The incorporators and shareholders, with their respective interests, are as follows: John Lees, 20; Charles W. Player, 10; William Gillespie, 10; J. E. Openshaw, 20; Mills Vincent, 20; W. H. Jones, 10; R. A. Blair, 10; Rosie Openshaw, 20.

John W. Haslam is president; J. H. Player, vice-president; J. E. Openshaw, treasurer and secretary, and with John Lees, C. W. Player, William Gillespie, W. H. Jones, Mills Vincent and R. A. Blair, constitute the board of directors.

### The Tug of War Contest.

It has been decided to commence the international tug-of-war contest, of this city on the 24th inst. The platform on which the different teams will measure strength was finished today.

The following captains have been elected: Scotch, J. Smith; Swedes, Al. Eklund; Danes, Joseph Petersen; Norwegians, O. Bonnerud; Germans, Emil Lehman; Canadians, John McLain; Irish, E. G. O'Donnell; English, Nephi Howcroft; Americans, Charles Lange.

# AN UNNATURAL MOTHER

Deserts Her Little Child, Who, Providentially, Is Cared for by a Generous but Poor Old Couple.

An aged and kind-hearted lady, who resides at 17 south First West street, called at police headquarters at noon today, leading a homeless little child by the hand.

To a News reporter she related the following pathetic story: "Some time in September last, a woman who gave her name as Mrs. Alexander, came to this city from California. She brought with her a bright little girl of three years. The woman, though she had no visible means of support, dressed stylishly and was fond of male companionship and kept untimely hours. She made arrangements with a Mrs. Anderson to take care of her child for a stipulated sum per week. She, however, failed to keep her agreement with Mrs. Anderson, who was poor and unable to assume the burden of rearing the little one without remuneration. Mrs. Anderson and myself were old friends and she prevailed upon me to relieve her by taking the child to my home, which I did with the consent of the mother, whom I afterwards saw in relation to the matter. I too, was to be paid a certain amount per week but have received nothing up to date, though the child has been in my keeping since September 27. For a time the mother was stopping at the Warm Springs, but has now left for parts unknown. By some I have been told that she is in Ogden. Others say that she has gone back to California."

"I have grown very much attached to the little girl," continued the woman with tears in her eyes, "and do not want to part with her, though I fear I will be compelled to do so. My husband is blind and very poor and no longer able to work at his trade. He is as fond of the child as myself, as she has made us happy many times by dispelling gloom from our home."

The worthy couple who have given the abandoned child temporary shelter in their humble home, is Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Raddon.

# AN OVERCOAT THIEF

Convicted and Sent to Jail for Twenty-Five Days.—A Colored Crook in Custody.—Other Items.

Frank Collins, a bricklayer from Pocatello, who came to this city a few days ago, was arrested by Marshal Young last night, for stealing an overcoat from an employe of the People's Forwarding Company. In default of bonds he was locked up in the city jail. This morning he was arraigned before Justice Gee on a charge of petit larceny and plead guilty.

Clerk Glenn, who, in the absence of Prosecuting Attorney Eichnor, was attending to that official's duty, stated that in view of the numerous petty thefts that had been committed in the city of late, that the thief should be given at least sixty days imprisonment. The court, however, was inclined to impose a lighter penalty, saying that it would be an injustice to pronounce a sentence of more than twenty-five days duration. Collins was remanded to the custody of Jailor Raleigh for that length of time.

George W. Young, the negro burglar, foot-pad and all round tough, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of having attempted to commit highway robbery at the corner of First South and Second East streets, yesterday morning by demanding the money of a city employe named Kront, is still in jail. He will have a hearing on Monday next.

F. S. Johnson and Joseph Francis, were fined $5 each for drunkenness.

An intoxicated soldier was taken into custody last night. This morning he entered a plea of guilty and was ordered sent to his regiment at Fort Douglas.

### Held For Forgery.

F. P. Wilcox, the man who was arrested a few days ago, as reported in these columns, was arraigned before Justice Gee, yesterday afternoon and plead not guilty. Several witnesses were examined. Their testimony was very damaging to the defendant and he was held in the sum of $300, to await the action of the grand jury. Being unable to secure bondsmen he was remanded to jail.

### Amusements.

"The Old Homestead" will be presented for the last time this season at the Salt Lake Theatre tonight. It is an attractive and deservedly popular play. In these days, being natural in its characteristics and morally healthful in its tone, it is, in these times, a dramatic oasis.

"Dr. Bill" will be seen at the Theatre for two nights, commencing Monday. It comes from the Garden Theatre, New York, where it had a prosperous engagement, covering a period of one hundred and four nights. It is said to be one huge laugh from start to finish, and the laughter is created by the extremely funny situations in the play brought about by purely legitimate means.

Beginning on Thursday evening next, the Grismers and their company will occupy the stage of the Salt Lake Theatre for the balance of the week. They will present the same dramas which have been so well received during their four weeks stay in San Francisco. The season will open with "The Burglar," a four-act comedy-drama by Augustus Thomas, author of "Alabama." Friday night their latest and greatest California success "Fern Cliff," a story founded on the late civil war by William Haworth. Saturday evening "Beacon Lights," a picturesque military drama, which was so successful last season.

### MARKETS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Dec. 5, noon.

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Stocks closed steady, at about last prices.

# THE WOMAN LAWYER

Her Clients Are Not Chiefly Women, as Would Be Supposed.

A woman student of the law, whether in an office or a law school, has some peculiar experiences. To a single woman among a class of men the dilemma of the lecturers as to a fitting mode of address is amusing. Most of them will gaze studiously around, and fixing the eye upon the lone female, with a slight bow, will open the discourse with the word "Gentlemen." One professor was always careful and courteous enough to begin with the phrase, "Lady and gentlemen."

It is also amusing and gratifying to see the subduing effect of the lady's entrance into the lecture hall or library of the school. If the upraised masculine feet do not at once and voluntarily come down from the tabletop or back of the next chair they are assisted to their rightful place on the floor by the hands of some fellow student. Of course there are always some men who heartily disapprove of a woman's presence within the walls of the law school, and are pleased to show their disapproval in any way short of actually rude conduct. I have never known of systematically rude behavior toward a woman law student.

When the woman lawyer puts out her shingle, or in modern fashion inscribes her name on the marble tablets at the entrance of her building, her first experiences do not differ much from those of her brothers who are just beginning. Perhaps she has a few more "cranks" among her first clients, who go to her because they "think they will get more sympathy from a woman." When sooner or later they have to be shown the door, their reproaches for her inhuman hard heartedness are particularly severe, because they "expected better things from a woman."

Her clients are not, as many suppose, chiefly women. On the contrary, she is more likely to be employed by men who want to give her a chance to show what she can do. Therefore her cases are as likely to be questions of business contracts or controversies that are connected with matters popularly supposed to be within a woman's sphere.

When she appears in court the woman attorney finds the judges and the attending counsel as courteous and as deferential as they would be in her drawing room. They will treat her as an equal, except that they will assist her by placing chairs, handing books and papers and doing more favors for her than for their male colleagues. In fact they treat her very much as they would treat the distinguished legal lights of the age if they were within the bar—that is, with a deferential courtesy.

This, of course, is only the case when the woman lawyer behaves as a lady. If she assumes a defiant and bullying manner, as if to demand special recognition, she will receive the treatment she deserves. But such conduct is, I am happy to say, extremely rare among our women at the bar, and is much lamented by others who are in public opinion weighed in the same balance with such misguided persons.—Mary A. Greene in Chautauquan.

### Protection Against Furnace Heat.

The protection of workmen from furnace heat, as practiced at the Menden and Schwerte iron works, in Westphalia, is said to be by means of a rectangular iron screen hung from an overhead rail, which can be made to cover the whole working side of the furnace, or can be pushed aside when not required or when it interferes with the work going on. The heavy part is bent into a gutter, having a slight fall in the direction of its length, and the upper edge is provided on the inside, that nearest the furnace, with a pipe bored through with small holes about three-quarters of an inch apart, which is in connection with the service pipe supplying water for cooling the sides of the bed.

When in use, the inside of the plate is kept constantly wet from the supply pipe, the small jets trickling down to the cooling back at the side; a notch at the bottom is left for the passage of the rabble, and a short inclined plate is provided for the cinders to run over; with these exceptions the whole surface is screened by the water cooled plate. It is said that this arrangement, which was first applied experimentally to a few furnaces, has worked so satisfactorily that it has been fitted to all the puddling furnaces in the works named, the operatives being thus enabled to work full time even in the hottest weather.—New York Telegram.

### Couldn't Pass the Note.

Mr. Cadieux told how he happened to be in New York at one time during the war looking out for a gang of counterfeiters. To avoid making his presence in the city conspicuous he put up at a second rate hotel, where he was unknown. For some purpose he handed to the clerk at the desk a brand new fifty cent note. It was an issue just out, with General Spinner's portrait on it, the likeness having been substituted for a picture of Justice with her scales, which the forgers had imitated very successfully.

The clerk looked at the note with evident suspicion, and handed it back.

"I never saw anything like that before," he said.

"It is good, I assure you," replied Mr. Cadieux.

"I don't believe it," said the clerk.

"Very well," rejoined Mr. Cadieux. "It doesn't matter, though I know it is good, because I made it myself."

The clerk smiled sardonically.

"That is just what occurred to me," he said; "therefore I refused to accept it."

Mr. Cadieux felt that the joke was on himself, so he treated himself to a bottle of soda water at the bar and left for Washington that evening.—New York Sun.

### Inventors That Have Become Popular.

In what might be called domestic and novelty inventions there is required little study, discipline and experiment, and most of the so called accidental inventions have been made in this line. A glance around the house, in the kitchen, at the close, and ornamental and useful novelties scattered on every side, will give a faint idea of the wide field opened to the inventor. Every house is a small museum of small inventions which have made fortunes to their inventors.

The small toys and playthings, games for parlor entertainment, sporting goods and useful pocket goods, all represent the products of the inventor's forethought and happy invention. The simplest and most universally used articles are generally the ones that have brought in the most money.—George E. Walsh in New York Epoch.

Surveyors at work on the Gila river in New Mexico claim that they have discovered a mountain of pure alum a mile square at the base and 2,000 feet high.

### Experiences of a Great Singer.

I have often had requests to sing beside a deathbed or a person very ill. I sang to the old bishop of Albany when he was suffering. The first festival I ever sang in was at Norwich, and when I returned to that place after six years I had a letter from an old gentleman who heard me there, and who was now bedridden. He wanted to hear "The Last Rose of Summer," and I shall never forget standing there by his side and singing that beautiful song. And many a time have I had to convert the balcony of the hotel where I was staying into a temporary platform, and appear at midnight, long after the opera was over, and sing "Home, Sweet Home," or some such popular ballad, to the people waiting outside.

That was the case at Dublin a few years ago, when the students there took the horses out of my carriage, and I was told that if I didn't sing they would break the windows of the hotel. I stood on the balcony wrapped up in great shawls, for it was a bitterly cold night, and it was no easy matter to sing "The Last Rose of Summer" under those circumstances.

I have sung, too, in the quiet little church at Braemar in the choir, and it was there that I received what I have always considered one of my greatest compliments. The speaker was one of the mountain folk, and had never been in Edinburgh. When the service was over a friend of mine heard him say, "I never thought anybody could have such control over one's voice." That is all, but that is the whole secret of a singer's success—perfect control.

### A Little Rhapsody on Love.

Love is the great inspiring principle in all animate nature. Without it this world would be a den of men and women beasts. It robes the leopard in beauty, plumes the bird with all the glories of the rainbow and puts into its throat its sweetest song. Love is the artist that tints the rose, that gives to all the flowers their varied hues and to the magnolia had its rich perfume. It glorifies the race of man. It builds palaces and summer gardens and weaves the delicate fabrics and soft carpets which exalt the home. It inspired the divine tragedies of Shakespeare and the incomparable melodies of Moore and Burns. It nerves the arm of the patriot and impels the genius of invention to burn the midnight oil. It is the life of beauty and the voice of song.


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