POLITICAL AFFAIRS.

The Political State Conventions in Utah Tomorrow.

SALT LAKE, PROVO, ST. PLEASANT

Republicans and Populists will Name Presidential Electors and Congressmen.

Tomorrow will be one of extreme political activity in Utah. State conventions will be held by the Republicans in Salt Lake and at Mt. Pleasant. In this city they will nominate a candidate for Congress, to be substituted at Ogden on Saturday; at Mt. Pleasant they will nominate McKinley presidential electors. Endorsement A. L. Thomas is almost certain to be one of them; Charles C. Crane and Major Brooks may be the others. For Congress George Sutherland, George M. Cannon, State Senator Allison and C. C. Goodwin are spoken of.

The Democrats will nominate King for Congress by acclamation and Fisher Harris of Salt Lake will have the honor of presenting his name to the convention. The presidential notices will be selected in all probability from among the following: S. R. Thurman, C. C. Richards, Robert Archibald, John J. Daly, F. B. Stephens, Henry Lawrence.

APPEAL FOR CAMPAIGN FUNDS.

Bryan Business Men's committee Call Upon the People for Much Needed Assistance.

The Bryan business men's finance committee which organized at the Alta club on Monday, met again last evening and issued the following address to the people, appealing to them for monetary assistance in the present presidential fight:

By the concurrent request of the chairmen respectively, of the National Democratic and National Silver committees, at a meeting held in this city on the evening of the 21st inst., the undersigned were appointed a general finance committee, which was organized with H. C. Chambers as chairman, Walter Allen as secretary and J. R. Walker as treasurer.

The general committee also appointed an executive committee, consisting of H. C. Chambers, J. J. Daly, Thomas G. Merrill, D. C. Dunbar, Simon Bamberger and O. J. Salisbury, to take active charge of the collection of funds, with authority to appoint sub-committees or agents throughout the State, to aid in and facilitate this work.

We believe but that a crisis exists in the affairs of this nation. Bryan must be elected, the cause of justice, freedom and humanity, for which he stands, must triumph now, or all that is dear to the American heart, and essential to the peace and well being of the masses of the American people, will be irretrievably lost.

The election of Bryan and the inauguration of the policy he represents means the restoration of prosperity to the farmers, the laborers, the business men and the manufacturers of the entire country, and a large increase in the value of their homes and property and produce, and will more than double the annual increase in the supply of standard money. It would mean the employment of more than twice as many laborers in all branches of business. And this means a large increase in the business of the banks, the merchants, the farmers and every class and kind of business. Much our people are engaged. And it means means a home market at good prices for all the products of the farms and mills, not only of Utah, but the whole country. It means a very great increase in the business of all our railroads, and the immediate return of the most prosperous times that we have ever seen.

Should Bryan be defeated and the party of Wall street and the gold monometallists win, it means the reverse, or a continuation of the present, or perhaps greater distress and further shrinkage in the value of all property, a curtailment of labor in every branch of business and a proper anarchy throughout the nation, and should they be successful, they will endeavor to take such steps as will forever prevent any other election for the curtailment of silver, and one of them will be to deprecate the price of silver to such an extent as will effectually close the silver mines, and at the same time greatly diminish the output of gold, lead and copper now yearly existing in combination with the silver ores, and thus destroy the leading industry in our State, which will mean other ruin to all our business and agricultural interests, and the throwing out of employment of many thousands of our working men.

To secure success in the present election against the unlimited millions which are backing McKinley and monometallism, sufficient money must be secured to continue with renewed vigor the educational work which has been carried on up to this time in behalf of bimetallism, by putting in the field competent speakers and by widely disseminating the distribution of silver literature, and thus assist Bryan in his almost superhuman efforts to educate the voters of this country upon that topic.

Since the managed wealth of the Eastern and Central States is arrayed on the side of gold, the time has now come when every man that would save his business from destruction and prevent the pauperization and starvation of his children must make a last supreme effort to carry this campaign to a successful conclusion.

It is not a question as to what each of you can afford to give, after years of failure have rendered your property and commodities valueless, but it is what you can give to prevent the utter destruction of all the business and capital interest interests of Utah.

Signed by H. C. Chambers, Thomas G. Merrill, J. L. Rawlins, J. J. Daly, J. Q. Packard, W. S. McCornick, John Beck, H. A. Cohen, Frank Knox, H. W. Lawrence, Samuel Mellinger, James Maguire, Thomas Kearns, Dr. Hughes, Simon Bamberger, J. R. Walker, O. M. Scott, O. J. Salisbury, George A. Snow, E. A. Wall, J. E. Bamberger, F. T. Farnsworth, A. G. Campbell, D. C. Dunbar, J. A. Quinney, Walter Allen, C. G. Goodwin, A. F. Holden, W. M. Bradley, G. S. Varian, J. W. Donnellan, W. W. Chisholm.

JUDGE HATCH NOMINATED

By the Republican Judicial Convention at Provo.

A Central Committee for the District Appointed—A Brief Meeting.

Special to the NEWS from Dispatch Telegraph

PROVO, Utah, Sept. 23.—The Republican judicial convention met this forenoon and nominated Judge A. C. Hatch judge of the Fourth judicial district, comprising the counties of Utah, Wasatch and Uintah, to fill the unexpired term of E. A. Wilson, resigned. Judge Hatch was the only nominee before the convention and was nominated by acclamation.

A central committee for the judicial district composed of the chairmen of the Republican party of each county was appointed. All the business of the convention was transacted in twenty-five minutes.

Juab County Politics.

Special Correspondence of the NEWS.

NEPHI, Sept. 22.—The following tickets were nominated by the conventions yesterday:

DEMOCRATIC AT EUREKA.

For Representative—C. V. Wheeler.
County Commissioner—J. C. Kirkbride, J. E. Taylor, F. W. Chappell.
County Assessor—Edward Pike.
County Clerk—Jos F. Graves.
Sheriff—Parley P. Christensen.
Recorder—Lotty Fetzer.
Treasurer—Thomas E. Ashcroft.
Assessor—James H. Louder.
Surveyor—Jackson McCrystal.

REPUBLICAN AT NEPHI.

For Representative—C. H. Blanchard.
County Commissioners—Hugo Dougnon, Peter Thygesen, John Kleack.
County Attorney—T. L. Forke.
County Clerk—Wm. Bailey.
Sheriff—Ed. Sparks.
Recorder—T. A. Winn.
Treasurer—John H. Booth.
Assessor—T. E. Lewis.
Surveyor—Niels Petersen.

L. A. BAILEY.

Political Pointers.

Judge Powers and a number of other leading Democrats will reach Salt Lake or Provo this evening to arrange for tomorrow's convention.

The Democrats of the Fifth senatorial district met at Heber City yesterday afternoon and renominated Hon. H. C. Chambers by acclamation for the State Senate.

A meeting joint topic was unanimously recommended that Senator Brown and wife had gone East on a political mission. The fact is neither the senator nor his wife did anything of the kind. Both were in Salt Lake today and do not intend going away.

Can't Eat

This is the complaint of thousands at this season. They have no appetite; food does not relish. They need tonic to stir up the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. Thousands testify and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 25c.

Democratic Convention.

To Provo and return $1.00 via the Union Pacific, September 23 and 24. Tickets good for return until September 25. Trains leave September 24, 8:15 a.m. (special) and 6 p.m.

CHILDREN OF ALIENS

Who Qualified as Citizens Before the Majority of Offspring

ARE ENTITLED TO THE FRANCHISE.

The Wife Only Gets a Home Under Laws—An Opinion Upon the Matter by Attorney General.

Attorney General A. C. Bishop today transmitted to J. R. Jennings, county attorney of Iron county, the following opinion affecting the status of wives and children of naturalized citizens as regards the franchise:

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your favor of the 19th inst., in which you submit the following, and ask my opinion thereon. "I am informed that you recently gave an opinion to the registrar of Kanosh county to the effect that by the naturalization of a man, his wife and children became citizens with the right to vote, if so they may kindly furnish me a copy of the same, together with your authorities in support thereof."

Replying, I may permit me to say that the opinion given by me (this, and to which you refer, related only to the wife, whereas your suggestion includes both wife and children of the naturalized person. I take it that you want to be advised as to whether the wife and children of the naturalized citizen become, by reason of such naturalization, citizens of this country with a right to vote.

Section 1994, title 25 of the Revised Statutes of the United States of 1878, provides: "Any woman who is now or may hereafter be married to a citizen of the United States, and who not at present be lawfully naturalized, shall be deemed a citizen."

Section 2172, title 30, chapter 4, of the Revised Statutes of the United States of 1878, provides that "the children of persons who have been duly naturalized under any law of the United States, or who, previous to the passing of any law on that subject by the government of the United States, may have become citizens of any one of the states, under the laws thereof, being under the age of twenty-one years at the time of the naturalization of their parents, shall if residing in the United States be considered as citizens thereof."

It will be observed from these two sections that by virtue of the naturalization of the husband, the wife becomes a citizen of the United States, and by virtue of the naturalization of the parents the children who are residing in the United States and who are under the age of twenty-one years, at the time of such naturalization become citizens of the United States.

There is a distinction, however, between citizenship and that of an elector. Citizenship is determined by the law of Congress, the right to vote is determined by the law of the state wherein the franchise is to be exercised.

Section 2 of Article 4 of the Constitution in relation to elections and the right of suffrage, provides: "Every citizen of the United States of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who shall have been a citizen for ninety days and shall have resided in the state or territory one year, in the county four months, and in the precinct sixty days next preceding any election, shall be entitled to vote at such election, except as herein otherwise provided."

Section 3 of the said article provides: "No person shall be deemed a qualified elector of this State, unless such person be a citizen of the United States."

Section 6 of the said article provides, "Laws taking license or permit convicted of treason or other crimes against the elective franchise, unless restored to civil rights shall be permitted to vote at any election or be eligible to hold office in this State."

You will therefore observe that the first qualification of a voter is that he shall be a citizen of the United States, and then if he possesses the other necessary qualifications prescribed in the Constitution and has otherwise brought himself within the provisions of Chapter 125, of the Laws of 1896 he would be entitled to vote.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully yours,
A. C. BISHOP,
Attorney General.

Charged With Petit Larceny.

Ada Wilson filed a complaint in the police court today charging Lucia Fennessy with petit larceny in having stolen from her one ladies' cape valued at $10 and one wrapper of the same denominational worth. The case will be heard tomorrow.

MINOR MENTION.

A severe frost on the 10th at Croydon cut potato vines to the ground.

The roof of the home and farm of W. H. Jenson was blown off at Kaysville during the late wind storm.

E. H. Harrison, the printer, who was charged with forgery and obtaining money under false pretenses, had the former charge reduced to the latter in the police court Tuesday morning, after which he pleaded guilty to both counts and was fined $20 on each count, amounting in all to $40.50.

MINING MATTERS.

Another successful sale took place on the exchange today and once more the Secretary Tribune advanced the brokers to make call their stocks when there were no sales to record. The listed stocks were handled in a rather sluggish manner, the brokers having apparently given up all hope of bringing about an outlook in any way favorable to the common lot of a sale.

The call of unlisted stocks, however, seemed to awaken a great deal more interest than did their predecessors, and when the names were sung out in claims issued upon the brokers' cards, a number of the speculators responded with figures. The result was that the stock was strongly bid for at $2. While holders were willing to relinquish at $2.10. South Swansea showed material strength and was an offering at 79 cents, with numerous bids of 75 cents. The interest of the call entered in three two cents, there being offers to take a hand now.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS

Mines	Bid	Ask
Anchor	$ 1.70	$ 1.80
Alice	10	20
Albion		
Beck Tunnel		
Beck Consolidated		
Brooklyn	4	7
Black Jack Mines	40	50
Cedar	15	20
Daly Judge	1.00	1.05
Daly West	80	85
Dalton & Lace		
East Dalton	15	
Eureka Hill	50	
Eagle	12	
Fair Afar	75	1.00
Gemini	7	8
Grand Central	45	50
Hecla	5.00	5.25
Horn Silver		
Iron Silver	2.00	5.00
Kimberly		
Mammoth		
Ontario	16.00	
Ontario	1.00	
Ontario Consolidated	1.00	
Ontario Extension	1.00	
Opohongo		
Rio Grande		
Utah	1.00	

UNLISTED STOCKS

Mines	Bid	Ask
Barbary Coast		
Little Pittsburg	4	4½
Little Bell	5	7
Dalton	1	1½
Ontario Tunnel		
Yankee Girl		
Colorado Boy		
Bullion Beck	3½	3¾
Chief Consolidated		
Crown Point	2.10	2.20
Centennial Eureka		
Dexter		
Eureka Hill		
Gold Chief		
Hecla Consolidated		
Iron Silver		
Mammoth		
Mammoth Tunnel		
Mammoth Extension		
Mammoth Consolidated