TESTIMONY OF MRS. A. B. JONES.

Defendant's Wife Testifies in the Stoutt Shooting Case.

HUSBAND'S WHEREABOUTS.

Stated That Jones Left Home a Few Minutes After Seven on the Evening of December 9th.

It is just one week ago today since the prosecution in the Stoutt shooting case commenced putting in its testimony. There were fifteen witnesses in attendance on behalf of the state and it was confidently expected at the outset that within ten days a conclusion would be reached and the guilt or innocence of the accused, A. B. Jones, determined by the jury. But the end is not yet in sight, and the indications are that the trial will run into part of next week before being finally submitted. The defense, it is said, has twice as many witnesses as the prosecution. Then it is thought that the examination of the defendant will occupy at least two whole days. Then the prosecution will likely call more witnesses in rebuttal, all of which will take more or less time.

The defense made good headway today in the examination of its witnesses. It is not definitely known when the defendant will be called to testify, but the probabilities are it will be some time tomorrow.

SAYS JONES WAS COOL.

When the "News" report closed yesterday afternoon George Sutherland was being examined by Mr. Brown. Under cross-examination nothing additional was brought out. The next witness called by the defense was E. M. Friedman.

E. M. Friedman said he kept a dry goods store, 16 East Temple street, and was well acquainted with Jones. He saw him on the night of the shooting a little after 7 o'clock. He came into witness' store and bought some goods, and also a suit of underwear. He was cool and natural in his manner. Witness could notice no difference in the behavior on Mr. Jones when he was in the store.

JONES' MOTHER TESTIFIES.

Mrs. Mary E. Jones, mother of the defendant, testified that she lived with her son in this city. He was born on August 25, 1861; witness was married to the defendant's father on November 15, 1846, in Ohio, and in proof of the statement she exhibited her marriage certificate. The object of this was to refute the statement of Mr. Stoutt that Jones was an illegitimate child. The family record, as kept in the family Bible, was also put in evidence as further proof of the facts stated.

On the evening of December 9th, the witness was at her home, 1000 Second South Temple street, at the corner of Fifth South street. Her son and wife came home from the theater. Witness saw them come in; met them in the hall. They went up stairs and sat in a room with her, while her husband remained in the dining room. Witness heard her son footsteps overhead as she sat in the dining room; she had told him go to the bath room, and soon after they both came down and had supper. He did not leave the house after he first came in until after supper. He could not have gone out without witness knowing it.

"What time was it when they came home?"

"Fifteen or sixteen minutes after 6. A car passed just about the time they came and a lady and gentleman got off the car and went into a neighboring house."

"In what business was your husband?"

"He was a stock buyer."

"It been said by others here that he was a drunkard. What have you to say to that?"

"He drank some, but was very pleasant and kind."

"It is said that you had to take to washing to support the family. Is that true?"

"No, it is not."

Witness further said that Stoutt's sisters and witness' family were on friendly terms and exchanged presents.

"It has been said that Stoutt's sisters supported you. Is that true?" asked Mr. Brown.

"No it is not."

Cross-examined by Mr. Putnam, Mrs. Jones said her husband was not an habitual drunkard.

Mr. Jones and Mrs. Jones usually had dinner about 6:30 o'clock. Witness knew that Mr. and Mrs. Jones went upstairs when they came in that night because she heard them go up; did not see them go up. She did not hear Mr. Jones' footsteps above when she was sitting in the dining room. They came down together, he just immediately preceding her. Witness had dinner with them.

"How long were they in the house before they sat down to dinner?"

"About fifteen minutes."

"Did you know he was going up town again that evening?"

"Yes; I heard him speak of it."

At this point court adjourned until this morning.

When court opened up this morning Mr. Brown called the defendant's mother to the stand again and examined her briefly as to the time he first entered the employ of Mr. Stoutt and how he came to work for him.

DETECTIVE SHEETS RECALLED.

Detective Sheets was then recalled by the defense. In answer to Mr. Brown witness said he was acquainted with William Idleborn, manager of the Salt Lake Herald. Could not recall having met Mr. Idleborn the morning after the shooting. Witness would not say that he did not meet him on the day referred to, as they frequently met on the street car.

Mr. Brown—Did you, in the course of a conversation with Mr. Idleborn, say that, "It would be impossible for Stoutt to identify anybody who shot Mr. Iron where he said he stood?"

Sheets—I did not.

By Mr. Putnam—Idleborn asked me if I thought Jones was guilty and I said I didn't know. Nothing was said about Stoutt not being able to identify anybody."

DEFENDANT'S WIFE TESTIFIES.

Mrs. A. B. Jones, wife of the defendant, was next called, and was examined by Judge Henderson. Testimony was the 9th of December and some of the incidents of the day. Witness went to work that day shortly before 2 o'clock. Called on Mrs. Stoutt at the Walker. Her husband came for her in the evening. They walked home together. In company with Mr. Sutherland. Stoutt's sister, Mrs. Van Cott, 135. Mr. Sutherland joined them just as they were crossing the street from the Cliff House corner. Witness and her husband entered their house by the front door. Mother Jones was in the dining room. Witness took her sisters, treated from her mother. Supper was served in the sitting room. Mr. Jones went up stairs and was later joined by witness. Both came down stairs together and sat down to supper at 6:30. Mr. Jones said to witness that he would have to hurry up as he had an appointment with Mr. Wightman at 7 o'clock. Witness said to witness that Mr. Jones entered the house with her and that he remained to supper. He never must have left the house without witness' knowledge.

Under cross-examination Mrs. Jones said that it was five minutes after 6 when Mr. Jones sat up from the supper table. She remembered the hour because she had asked him if he was in a hurry. Mr. Jones left the house as soon as dinner was over. Witness looked at the clock when she did her hair and heard some into the house. It was then 6:35. The clock was on the mantle board at the time. Heard again when she her finished and Mother Jones came down to dinner. It was then 6:30, witness looked at the clock again when Mr. Jones got ready to go and she observed it was exactly five minutes past 6. Their clock was generally right with the town clock.

Mrs. Ida Bagbell testified that she resided at the Walker house. On the day of the shooting Mrs. Jones took lunch and spent the afternoon with her. Mrs. Jones came for her wife in the evening. Both took their departure from the Walker at exactly five minutes past six. Witness could notice nothing about having to work at the bank that night and wanted witness to go along with her. Witness spent the evening with Mrs. Jones.

TESTIMONY OF SERVANT GIRL.

Lena Jones, a domestic servant, testified that she had lived with the Jones family since November, 1898, prior to the day of the shooting. Mr. Jones left home that day shortly after 2 o'clock. Mrs. Jones left a few minutes after 3. A few minutes after six the witness left home. The reason witness gave for the early hour was because she had just gone six was because she had just gone six was because the six o'clock street car passed the house as Mr. and Mrs. Jones entered. Witness was cooking dinner when Mrs. Jones came home. She had it ready and on the table inside of fifteen minutes after the couple's arrival. Mr. Jones could not have passed out of the back door without witness seeing him. She was positive Mr. Jones did not pass out. Supper usually lasted half an hour.

In answer to Mr. Putnam witness said Mr. Jones came into the kitchen and asked her if dinner was ready. This was when witness was about to bring the dinner into the dining room.

Walter Burton, testified that he was employed as prescription clerk at Bradley & Fendrich's. Recalled the night of the 9th of December. Did not hear the shooting, but heard of it. Dr. Martin came into the store shortly before 7 o'clock. Witness was helping behind the drug store for a prescription. One of Mr. Stoutt's sons called for the prescription at 8:15. Witness was certain of the time.

George Mueller, proprietor of the Royal Bakery, testified that he came up from Murray on the same car as Mr. Stoutt on the evening of December 9th. He was alone in starting. Witness boarded the car on State between Tenth and Eleventh South streets. Witness saw Mr. Stoutt get off the car.

Under cross-examination witness said he knew the car was late, but couldn't say how much.

DIDN'T THINK IT WAS JONES.

Hosea Eardley was sworn and testified that he was walking down on the east side of East Temple street, shortly after six on the evening of December 9. There, her 9th. When at Fifth South he heard a shot, but saw no one. Did not see anyone running at the time, but when he got a little further down the street he saw a good sized man, or boy, on the run.

"Do you think that good sized man, or boy, was Jones?" enquired Mr. Brown.

"No, I don't think it was," replied the witness.

Continuing witness said he only heard one shot and that was "Kind of muffled." He heard no screaming.

Cross-examined by Mr. Van Cott, witness said he was employed at the bottling works on State street. He left there at 6:10 and reached his house, 421 south East Temple street, a block below Stoutt's at exactly 6:25. It was 6:15 by the clock at Stoutt's home, but it was thirty minutes fast. He was near the hill board when he heard the shot, and on the same side of the street.

HE WALKED BACKWARDS.

"In which direction were you going when the shot was fired?" inquired Mr. Van Cott.

"I was walking backwards," replied the witness.

"Walking backwards?" said Mr. Van Cott, with emphasis.

"Yes, I was walking backwards." "What made you walk that way?"

"Well, I had been taking dancing lessons, and I had been with Eardley, and I stopped to practice one of the steps." (Laughter.)

"Did you have to a dance that evening?"

"No, but I was going to one at the college."

Walter Showaker said he resided at 628 south East Temple street, and worked in the shoe department of the Salt Lake Grocery. Passed Fifth South and East Temple shortly after 6 o'clock on the night of December 9th. Remembered hearing one shot as he passed.

Under cross-examination witness said he was at the north corner of Fifth South and East Temple streets, when the shot was fired.

Cleveland E. Hirst testified that he was fourteen years old and resided with his parents at 22 south Fifth South. Was in the vacant lot, near George Sutherland's house, when he heard a shot. Had gone to the lot to get their cow out. Saw three little girls running south. Also saw George Sutherland.

The witness was cross-examined by Mr. Putnam and said he heard the shot as he was coming out of the back of his house. Here court took a recess.

When court reopened George Hirst was further cross-examined by Mr. Putnam and said he did not remember if he had the cow in sight when he went out for the cow.

William Gaybe said he resided near Lake Park and was employed at Gallacher's trunk factory, was on the west side of Fifth South shortly after six on the night of December 9th. Saw Stoutt and heard a shot. Saw Mr. Stoutt in the middle of the road going towards his house.

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Cross-examined witness said he was not acquainted with Mr. Stoutt, but supposed it was him he saw the shot fired.

George Sims, a drayman, testified that he resided at 25 east Fifth South, the third house from the hill board. Heard a shot on the evening of the 9th of December. The wind was blowing rather high. Witness was lying on a lounge when he heard the report. He went to see about it and after ascertaining what was the matter, went back to the lounge.

Jack Foster testified that he lived at 254 east Fifth South, this city. Shortly after six on the evening of December 9th, witness said to see William Kraut and another man coming out of Brockmeyer's saloon on Second South street.

Cross-examined had known Kraut since last fall and gone to that saloon three or four times a day. When witness saw Kraut coming out of the saloon he did not speak to him. First mentioned the matter after he had heard Kraut's testimony at the preliminary examination.

LAW OF FELLOW SERVANTS.

Supreme Court Decision in a Railroad Damage Suit.

The Supreme Court delivered an opinion yesterday in the case of Joseph Schubach, appellant, vs. the Southern Pacific company, affirming the Utah court.

This was an action brought by plaintiff, a section hand, to recover from the defendant company the sum of $7,000 damages for alleged injuries received while working on a railroad velocipede near Palisade, Nevada, in July, 1897, by one of the defendant's passenger trains.

The case was tried before Judge Norris, who granted a non-suit on the ground that plaintiff was a fellow servant of the engineer in charge of the engine.

Justice Miner, who delivered the opinion, holds that the non-suit was properly granted and holds that a conclusion to the effect that plaintiff was a railroad track in repair, is a fellow servant with the engineer running an engine over the same track.

Chief Justice Bartch concurs in the decision.

GRICE CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

A Warrant Issued for His Arrest by Justice Nielson.

In Justice Nielson's court a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Samuel Grice for the crime of petit larceny. The complaint alleges that on March 22nd, and on March 24, he feloniously did steal, take and carry away five hundred pounds of hay belonging to George C. Lambert.

FEDERAL COURT ITEMS.

In Favor of E. S. Penn—D. H. Wells Admitted to Practice.

In the federal court today D. H. Wells was admitted to practice before United States courts.

Next Monday will be as the time for Joseph Scott to plead to the charge of making a false report to the comptroller of the treasury.

In the case of E. S. Penn et al vs H. P. Kimball et al, a suit against the corporation to obtain a decree annulling the sale of the company of fifty shares of its capital stock to John R. Graff a director of the company, the United States circuit court rendered the following decision:

"A decree will be entered rescinding the sale complained of, directing the delivery up and cancellation of the certificate for the fifty shares, and treating the sum of $1,000 paid by the plaintiff as a credit of the defendant corporation in the sum of $1,000, together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent from November 26, 1896, less the sum of $125, received by him as a dividend on the stock."

The decision leaves the plaintiffs in possession of a majority of the stock, and they can therefore go on and elect directors, if they will.

INSURANCE CASE REVERSED.

Supreme Court Decides an Important Point in a Decision.

The Supreme court has handed down an opinion in the case of Ledowick F. Croton, receiver of the Omaha Fire Insurance company, appellant, vs. George W. Thatcher et al, reversing the judgment of the lower court and ordering a new trial. The facts in brief of the case shows that on April 24, 1893, Thatcher subscribed for $2,500 worth of the Omaha company's capital stock and paid $1,250 in cash therefor, the balance of the purchase price to be paid on subscription. He represented by a promissory note given jointly by him and R. T. Jennings to the insurance company, payable in one year from date, with interest at 6 per cent per annum. On March 21, 1897, the insurance company became insolvent and a receiver was appointed, who immediately thereafter sued the makers of the note for the face of the obligation. In their answer, the defendants set up the defense that the cause of action was barred by the Utah statute of limitations and also by the Nebraska statute, which was the place where the note was signed. The demurrer was sustained, and from the judgment of the First district court the plaintiff appealed.

The court holds that the unpaid stock subscription of the defendants constituted a trust fund, and that the Utah statute of limitations does not bar the maintenance of an action to recover the amount owed for by subscribers.

The opinion was written by Justice Miner, Chief Justice Bartch and Justice Baskin concurring.

More Mining Litigation.

Qui warranto proceedings have been commenced in the Third district court by H. A. McMillan et al against Olin Miller et al, defendants. The plaintiffs and one of the defendants, M. L. Hirtle, to declare the legally constituted officers and directors of the Alma Gold Mining company.

E. W. Gerter instituted attachment proceedings in the same court today against the Conglomerate Mining company of Colorado and G. Lagrange, to collect $1,000 alleged to be due from the latter to the plaintiff as commission upon the sale of certain mining property in Colorado.

The Sunnyside Mining company has also commenced action against Allan Stephens, Jr., and the Sunnyside Gold Protective & Safe Guard mining claims, situated in the West Mountain mining district, Utah county, amounting to $500 are also asked for.

RECEIVER DISCHARGED.

End of the Penn Smelting Company's Difficulties.

Frank Offner, receiver of the Pennsylvania Smelting company, has been discharged, all differences have been adjusted and the plant now goes back into the hands of the smelting company. The purchase price of the plant is $100,000.

Mr. Offner was appointed receiver in February, 1897, and his appointment grew out of the action of Hugh Dougherty, as trustee of the Pennsylvania Lead company vs the Pennsylvania Smelting company. Offner was brought by the plaintiff to recover $18,000 of debt. Judgment went by default, Mr. Offner was made receiver, the judgment has paid $10,000.62. Then Wells, Fargo & Co. secured a judgment for $6,000 of which the sum of $2,000 has been paid.

In the present transfer of the property it is provided that the unpaid portions of the two judgments shall constitute a lien.

During Mr. Offner's incumbency he has received $1,012,935.62, and he paid out $1,004,874.36, leaving a balance of $8,061.26.

Mr. Offner says that there is a suit against the Pennsylvania company for $10,000 for alleged injuries received by a boy who was employed there, but he does not think the company will be held liable.

Mr. Offner says that he has paid all his indebtedness and will have quite a sum for stockholders.

Dr. Grimwold Sues McCune.

Dr. Hector Grimwold, the well known dentist, is suing A. W. McCune to collect $1,000 for professional services alleged to have rendered Mrs. McCune and Miss Pat McCune.

Mrs. Ray's Divorce Suit.

Hilda Ray filed a suit for divorce against John Ray today, alleging that the marriage occurred in this city June 22nd, 1896, and that since the nuptial knot was tied the defendant has treated plaintiff in a cruel and inhuman manner.

Various acts of cruelty are set out in the complaint. On two occasions within the past eighteen months, defendant is accused of threatening to take his wife's life. On another occasion, one night, during the month of October, 1897, defendant, it is alleged, threw a soup bone at his wife there by bruising her face and causing her great pain and suffering. On various occasions, it is alleged, he struck his wife with his clenched fists, and knocked and bruised one of her eyes.

Plaintiff prays for a decree of divorce, the custody of three minor children and for costs.

Ray is employed as marker at the Standard laundry.

MOTHER'S ASSEMBLY.

The Mothers' Congress will meet in assembly in the Salt Lake Assembly Hall in this city on Monday and Tuesday, April 10 and 11, commencing on Monday at 2 p. m. with an evening session at half past seven, and on Tuesday at 10 a. m., 2 and 7:30 p.m.—five sessions in all. The meetings will be very interesting, and a large number have been invited to take part. Miss Helen Campbell, the noted author and lecturer, on sociological subjects, as well as being famous in the work of mothers and kindred subjects, is expected. Mrs. Wormwood, Miss Tribune Salem are from Denver. Miss Campbell has a national reputation as a public speaker.

Prof. Geo. H. Brimhall and Miss Young Gates of Provo, will also speak on kindred topics, with a number of residents of Salt Lake City. All Mothers' clubs and societies who are interested in this work are invited to send delegates or representatives to report progress along these lines of development.

E. M. WOLLE,
Chairman Press Committee.

STATE AUDITOR REFUSES.

State Auditor Howards has refused to pay the half salaries of Thomas Chamberlain and F. J. Holton, ex-treasurers of Kane and Boxelder counties, for the last quarter of the year 1898, because it is alleged that these officials did not comply with the law, which requires them to send in the State taxes collected before the 21st day of December.

It is a great inconvenience when the money does not come in promptly. Mr. Richards says that in the Boxelder case the money was not in until the middle of January. The State school apportionment is being made out, and when there is a lack of funds from any county it throws everyone behind. The amount in the Boxelder case is $12,16, in the Kane case, $56.

D. P. ANDERSON FAILS.

Petition in Bankruptcy Filed in Federal Court Today.

David P. Anderson of Salt Lake City filed a petition in bankruptcy in the Federal court today.

The liabilities are:

Taxes to the amount of	$ 32.70
The secured creditor is William Rich, secured by mortgage,	$3,165.44.
The unsecured creditors are:	
Pacific Lumber Co.	$ 71.60
David Smith	45.00
Roy F. Anderson	120.00
Walter Anderson, Jr.	50.00
William Kirkman	1,265.00
F. E. Gregg, Denver	53.25
Total, unsecured debts	$2,605.35

The assets are certain real estate, etc., valued at $4,000, which property is claimed to be exempted valued at $1,300.

POLICE NOTE.

The officials at police headquarters say that complaints are coming in from all parts of the city to the effect that dogs are giving the people trouble in running over their yards. It is particularly annoying at this season of the year, just as people are preparing their gardens for seed, to have a pack of dogs running over them.

John Wilson, charged with being drunk, pleaded guilty. When asked by Judge Timmony if he was ever there before replied no. "What is your age?" asked the court. "Thirty-six years old," answered Wilson. "Well, you looked like a boy when you came in," remarked the judge. "I guess I can go away from this court and get come back for a years I'd let you go."

Wilson was discharged.

Chas. Elmer, John Moffet and Nelson Gee were charged with disturbing the peace, but as the boys were very chastening, the Judge held that there was nothing criminal in their conduct, and they were discharged.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Our amusement forces divided themselves up into three bodies last night, the first, and probably the most numerous, surged into the Assembly hall and taxed the 2,500 seating capacity of that building to an uncomfortable degree to listen to the magic of the man who received "the Bonnie Briar Bush" in Kildare last night. The other theater goers, the oil standbys of the drama, had constantly to choose between the Grand and the Salt Lake night of the triumvirate, and chose the theater, doing it handsomely, but not enough to fill the house. The third lot, to that which will be seen later in the engagement, the third rallied with enthusiasm at the Opera house for Robert Grant, and fairly filled it. We, especially in the special region.

The event at the Theater, the first appearance here of the widely advertised star of stage and screen, Charles Ridder and Mr. Warde, was a most notable one, and the verdict recorded by the audience was one of full barmony with that rendered all over the land, that is, that as dramatic artists rather less than the average popular-priced star, "Kit" is, after all, a pleasing enough actor, and Mr. Warde was always pretty uniformly successful, financially as well as artistically, as the source of Mr. Ridder's success. Both and Barrett, of Wards and James themselves, and as the engagement progresses, the aesthetic of the big comedy star thoroughly illustrate. It is a pity that enhancement and advertising, for it is to their mutual advantage to combine an arrangement so popular with the Wards and commendable for themselves.

In Sheridan's substituting comedy—and, by the way, Sheridan's very rarer and all the sensibilities such a comedy lifting—Louis Janes and Miss Kate Ridder rather lost the sweets, but of course that always happens as between Charles Surface and Lady Teazle on one hand and Sir Peter and Lady Sneerwell on the other.

The reception accorded both gentlemen was cordiality, and the conversation given Miss Ridder was quite an ovation. Mr. James, who by the way, has been a resident here and has gained in property, played the rollicking Charles with delightful ease and abandon, and with a delicacy and roughness of touch, perhaps, that he imparted to it when last it was seen here, whereas, Mr. Ridder, who is a delightfully infectious piece of work all the same. Miss Ridder hardly has the stature for Lady Teazle, and seemed that she done in same there, but she imparted to the role of the country girl transplanted into society, a grace and sweetness thoroughly artistic. Mr. Wardle had the most difficult part of the evening's work as the hypocritical Joseph deserves no less hearty recognition than that of the others. After the fall of the curtain, the scenes were, as former times, crowded with people, all of them wanting to see the stage furnishings, especially the lamp, which, by the way, was some of the finest of its kind ever seen here and Mr. Wilkes enlarged mechanical and scenic effects in the house. Tomorrow night will be Othello, with Mr. James as the dusky Moor, Mr. Ridder as Iago, and Miss Ridder as Desdemona. Tomorrow afternoon Hamlet will be the bill, with Mr. James in the principal role, Mr. Ridder as the ghost, and Miss Ridder as Ophelia.

At the Grand there was not much detailing from the oil tumultuous scene, which have been copied so often during the past two years, and the sight and sound of flags, bells, bonnets and flames, are responsible for the under part of the hilarity which prevailed last night, and make up a Hot Old Time. The bill goes again tonight and for a matinee tomorrow.

An illustrated lecture on "Gun Venta" will be given by David C. Bangs, the clever entertainer, tomorrow evening in the Assembly Hall. It will be under the auspices of the Utah Kindergarten Association and will be for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten.

Stuart Robson and his great company, in which Marie Burroughs and Harold Russell are members are due at the Theater next week. The new play of "The Meddler" will probably be the feature of the engagement.

TABERNACLE LECTURE.

"Scandinavia and Her People"—To be Delivered Thursday Evening.

Among the conference attractions announced for the current week is an illustrated lecture by J. H. Talmage on the interesting subject, "Scandinavia and Her People." The lecturer has made several personal visits to the Scandinavian countries and will give the results of his own observations among the people of those distant lands. The address will be illustrated by nearly a hundred choice pictures for the proper production of which a powerful stereopticon with arc-light attachments has been fitted up.

An additional feature of interest will be the music by native singers. Mrs. Agnes Olsen Thomas, who has marked ability in the style of all types of music in Utah, will render a Scandinavian song; the lady will appear in Norwegian costume. Three other musical numbers are promised by the choirs from Sweden, Norway and Denmark, who will appear in the costumes of their respective countries. A very enjoyable evening is anticipated, and doubtless a large contingent will mark the occasion. The lecture is under the auspices of the Deseret Museum, and the price of admission has been fixed at the nominal sum of fifteen cents. Tickets are procurable from the Ward Improvement association officers.

UTAH COUNTY POOR FARM.

Special per Deseret Telegraph.

Provo, April 4.—The board of county commissioners today purchased from Isaac Bullock 40 acres of land situated on the county road between Provo and Springville, for $4,750. It is to be used for the purpose of establishing a poor farm. Work will be commenced at once to put the place in proper condition for the purpose for which it is intended.

Funeral of John T. Johnson will be held at 1 o'clock Wednesday, in the First ward meeting house.

QUAY VS. STEWART.

Anti-Quay Republican Senators Agree Upon a Man in Republican Pennsylvania.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 4.—Judge John Stewart of Lancaster, is being the second choice of the anti-Quay Republican senators and members for United States senator. This was determined at a meeting of the "insurgents" this morning, before the session of the joint assembly. Senator Stewart was the independent Republican nominee for senator in 1892, and is one of the leading judges in the state. He has been the favorite of several anti-Quay legislators, since the beginning of the senatorial contest. He was also one of the "favorite sons" voted for until last Tuesday, when the "insurgents" united on Congressman Dalzell, of Allegheny.

At no time, however, has he received the votes of the two members from Franklin county, one of whom are supporters of Senator Quay. There was only one absentee at the meeting of the anti-Quay men. It was agreed to transfer their votes from Dalzell to Judge Stewart. Senator David Martin of Philadelphia made a speech in favor of ballot reform and the Poe registration bill.

Both measures will be taken up in the house today for third reading and final passage, and on motion of Mr. Martin it was decided that the "insurgents" should vote for them. A conference of Democratic members and senators was held this afternoon, and it was decided that it would be proper to call on the joint caucus to vote for a true Democrat other than George A. Jenks.

Today's ballot, the 66th, resulted as follows:

Quay	81
Jenks	74
Stewart	61
Total	222

Necessary to a choice, 112. Paired and not voting, 31.

ELECTRIC FLASHES.

Acting Secretary Hamlin Wagner has received information that miners on the Copper river are in a starving condition.

A dispatch received from Washington states the United States Supreme Court has dismissed the appeal of the Kentucky gamblers, Stylites in their suit for part of the estate left to them by Stephen Hinckley, which consists mostly of property in this city, valued at about $3,000,000.

The steamer City of Columbia, which recently went on the reef at Honolulu and was subsequently sold for $1,500, is to be used by the Pacific Cable company on the route between Hawaii and China.

H. C. Lathrop, a brother of Mrs. Leland Stanford, is dead. He had been ill for the past eight years, and has caused him to resign the position of agent for the steamers which ply the Sacramento river, and connect with that city to San Francisco, where he has ever since resided, for the most part with his sister. Mr. Lathrop was born in Albany, N. Y., May 20, 1844.

Lily Post, the opera singer, has been adjudged insane and taken to the asylum in Los Angeles. It was the belief that her attendants were compelled to bind her limbs in order to keep her from injuring herself.

At St. Louis yesterday a convention of developed iron's a blizzard, which raged all night, and today the ground is covered with five inches of snow.

JUAREZ, MEXICO.

Prosperity of Mexican Colonies—Soon to Have Railroad Communication.

Special Correspondence.

Colonia Juarez, Mexico, March 27.—Since last writing but little has occurred in the Juarez Stake worthy special mention, yet we do not wish to be entirely silent in the little Sunday letter. Everything is in good shape, prosperous with our people, and general good health prevails.

During the winter quite a number had the la grippe, but only one or two deaths occurred from it. Smallpox prevails to some extent among the Mexican villages, but these people do not seem to take to the vaccination preventatives against it, but as a preventative only of our people are being vaccinated.

The Mormon Battalion celebrated the anniversary of the organization of the first society in 1847 by a social party and social supper in this place. The house was very tastefully ornamented in our national colors of green, white and red, by the ladies, and very needful attention shown them. The entertainment discovered excellent music. A calm, happy spirit of being social prevailed, and the affair was a decided success. Sister M. B. Kesler was unanimously elected President of the Society in the presence of James Wood Kesler, who, caused by the removal of income from Bishop Flake's Fife Drum corps, whose large number of members were very highly complimented and appreciated, Bishop J. C. Henry and other speakers.

Although Sister Eyring already held two positions, the Relief Society President of the three societies of this place, having two years of experience and efficient service to this and the 90, George Wales, cannot her attention to be universally approved.

WILL HAVE A RAILROAD.

The R. G. S. M. & P. R. R. company are about to build an extension of their road, from its present terminus, Casas Grandes—fourteen miles—down through into our settlements in the Sierra Madre mountains, and then through this place up the Piedras Verdes river, and will make available the vast timber, agricultural and mineral wealth of that region and its boundless timber and lumber production. The extension will be laid with the proceeds of the bonds issued by the Salt Lake City, Utah, on Saturday, May 3, 1898, bearing 4 per cent interest, and redeemable in 20 years. A full statement is requested.

JOHN R. TREVITT, President.
JOHN R. KNIGHT, President.
First publication, April 4, 1899.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Salt Lake Mining and Smelting, a corporation, will be held at the Bank of Commerce, Salt Lake City, Utah, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, May 4, A. D. 1899, for the purpose of electing trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any general business of said company.

JAMES ROGERS, Trustee.
E. M. SCRACE, Secy.

WEAR MONEY-BACK SHOES.

If they don't wear like iron, we will give you a big bob in the earth; and if they fade, we will give you a new pair. If there was a more undesirable place to live than Utah, we did not know where it was. But the iron horse soon followed, and today Utah is a garden of beauty.

The Sunday school conference of the Stake closed yesterday, at which we were cheered and blessed in the spirit of our God. Our elected laborers, Eld. G. Moeser and L. John Nuttall, from Salt Lake City. All the sessions were spiritual, were very interesting, and the instructions of Elders Moeser and Nuttall were wise, timely and highly appreciated by all. Our only regret is that their visit was all too brief.

J. H. MARTINEAU.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

April 4, 1899.

Today's clearings	$397,516.29
Same day last year	285,314.49

ORE AND BULLION REPORTS.

Following are today's ore and bullion receipts, as reported by the institutions below indicated:

T. R. JONES & CO.

Ores	$ 1,000
Bullion	3,200
Total	$4,200

McCORNICK & CO.

Hanover bullion	$1,500

BAMBERGER & McMILLAN.

Bullion	$1,500

WELLS, FARGO & CO.

Bullion	$3,100

SETTLERS GOING TO SOUTHERN ALBERTA.

I wish announce to the people who are desirous to know of the fertile valleys of Southern Alberta, Canada for homes, etc., that I will be at Bishop Preston's Office from 10 to 12 o'clock and from 2 to 4, m. and 4 p. m. each day except Sunday, prepared to impart the necessary information.

CHARLES ORA CARD.

The Semi-Weekly "News" is the great country paper of the intermountain region. It circulates in every city and settlement in Utah and in most of those of Idaho, Wyoming, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Montana, Southern Western Canada and Mexico, and as an advertising medium it is unequalled.

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DIED.

TRIMBLE—In this city at No. 142 East Temple street, at 4 p. m., April 4th, Le Roy J. Trimble, aged 12 years and 1 months.

Funeral at 2 o'clock Wednesday, April 5th, 1899, at Maile.

Eastern papers please copy.

CASTLE—In this city, April 2, 1899, of old age, Dr. William Castle, born November 19, 1817, in Hartford, Conn.

Funeral at 2 p. m. today, from 229 east Third South street. Portland friends invited.

PETTIT—At Hunter ward, Utah, April 2, 1899, Merlyn Charge Pettit, infant son of Edwin and Sarah Louisa Pettit.

WHITTLE—At Evanston, Wyoming, March 28, 1899, James Whittle Sr., formerly of Bolton, Lancashire, England, aged 79 years, 2 months and 28 days, seven days, leaving a wife, three sons and two daughters. He was baptized in 1840 and was a faithful Latter-day Saint to the end, honored and respected by all who knew him.

Millennial Star, please copy.

CAMERON—At Evanston, Wyoming, March 29, 1899, Ellen Jane Cameron, wife of Donald Cameron, born at Guildford, Ireland, in 1838. Was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints near Glasgow, Scotland, at the age of eight years. Emigrated to Utah in 1861, and was married to Donald Cameron and was faithful to the last. She has left a husband, two sons and one daughter to mourn her loss.

Millennial Star, please copy.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of the Bullion Beck and Champion Mining and Reduction Canal Company, held at the company's office, in the Dooly block, in Salt Lake City, Utah, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of amending the Articles of Association, by adding one Article to, which reads as follows:

"Whenever any stockholder shall neglect or refuse pay his quota of delinquent stock shall be as provided by law."

Resolved, that it is thereof, the following:

"The trustees of said corporation, for the purpose of carrying on the business of said corporation, or paying the debts of the corporation, may levy and collect assessments in the manner and form provided by law, and the capital stock of said company has been duly paid in."

And by adding Article IV, which shall read as follows, to wit:

"That four of the trustees shall be necessary to form a quorum, and are hereby authorized to transact business, and exercise the corporate powers of the corporation."

Dated this 25th day of March, 1899.

By order of Board of Directors.

CHARLES H. WILCKES, President.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE CHEAP, GOOD SECOND hand boiler, 60 in. by 16 feet. Inquire at 75 W. First south.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Richmond and Anaconda Consolidated Mining company for the purpose of electing directors and such other business as may come up for consideration, will be held at room 45 Hooper block, Salt Lake City, Utah, on Saturday, May 6, 1899, at 2 o'clock p.m.

A full attendance is requested.