

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. F. J. CANNON

Wife of Former U. S. Senator
Succumbs to Pneumonia in
Ogden This Morning.

SHE WAS BELOVED OF ALL.

Active in Church Circles—Was Member
Of Board of Women's Relief
Society for 15 Years.

(Special to the "News.")
Ogden, March 2.—Mrs. Martha Brown Cannon, wife of former Senator Frank J. Cannon, died this morning at 12:05 o'clock at the family residence, of pneumonia. She had been ill only a week and Saturday she seemed to get stronger and hopes for her recovery were held out, but yesterday she grew rapidly weaker and it was necessary to keep her revived with oxygen and artificial respiration. When the end came she was surrounded by her husband, Mrs. A. E. Hyde, her daughter, Mrs. Q. Cannon and other relatives. Two other daughters, Mrs. H. W. Sherman of Nebraska and Mrs. Paul Kimball of Salt Lake, were unable to reach the bedside before their mother's death. She was attended by Dr. Edward Rich, Dr. Ezra Rich and Dr. Osgood.

Mrs. Cannon was the daughter of Francis A. and Martha Brown and was born in Ogden, Feb. 14, 1838. Thirty years ago she was married to Frank J. Cannon, who, with four children, survives her. The children are Mrs. A. E. Hyde, Jr., of Salt Lake, Mrs. H. W. Sherman, of Lincoln, Nebraska, of Salt Lake, and Frank Q. Cannon, of Ogden. Her mother and six sisters and three brothers, also survive her.

Mrs. Cannon was beloved of all who knew her. Her life was kindly nature, filled with sympathy for all mankind. She was active in church circles, serving on the general board of the Women's Relief Society for 15 years up to last October. She instituted what was known here as "Grandma parties," in which every year for the last seven or eight years she has taken out carriages for the old ladies of the city and brought them to her home, where a day of enjoyment was provided them. She was ever ready to lend a helping hand to the destitute, and to minister to the sick in time of need and of trouble. She will be sincerely mourned by thousands in Ogden and in the city. Her death is a loss to the community of the truest type, devoted to the uplifting of the race.

No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Leo Stevenson Almost Crushed by
Descending Elevator.

Leo Stevenson was working in the pit of the new elevator being installed at Keith-O'Brien's Saturday afternoon, when he suddenly noticed the cage descending on him. A yell of warning from him notified the cage operator of the danger, and the cage was promptly stopped, but not before Stevenson had been struck by the ornate beam. His head was cut and he lost considerable blood, but he was able to walk to a back room and be taken home. It was a narrow escape.

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TEACHERS ISSUE STATEMENT.

Complaints of Canvassers Continue to
Come to Supt. Christensen.

Complaints continue to come to the office of Superintendent D. H. Christensen as to the methods of certain canvassers in selling books to patrons of the city schools. Conditions have become such that it has been deemed advisable to issue a statement, including part of a contract that purchasers are required to sign, and the following is given to the public by the school officials:

The children of one school report that some book agent has used such statements as these: "The books are necessary to the work of the grade;" "The lack of books will insure failure of promotion;" "The board of education and superintendent have decided to sell these to all public school children."

At least a dozen parents have telephoned to this office within the last few weeks to ascertain if it was necessary to purchase a set of books offered by some lady agent (whose identity I have not yet established) to make possible the promotion of their children. One lady said: "I am a widow and need all I can earn, but if the books are required, I shall buy them."

The following statement has been filed at this office:

"To whom it may concern: A book agent canvassing for five books entitled 'The New Practical Reference Library,' came to my home in the month of 1907. My lady represented to me that the board of education recommended that all parents buy these books for the children. She also represented that they were necessary to the work of the grade and that all the principals advised that they be placed in every home in the city. On



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THE LATE MRS. FRANK J. CANNON.

these representations I bought the books and am still paying for them in monthly installments. (Signed.)

"P. S.—The lady further said teachers go to these books for questions to ask the pupils and that the pupils could not get the answers to those questions unless the books were in the home library. (Signed.)"

This is a part of the agreement designated as the "understanding" that the parent in purchasing the books named is expected to sign. "I am acting on my own intelligence, my own conception of a parent's duty, fully understanding that any letter shown me signed by teacher, school official, or board is a best merely an expression of opinion as to facts, and never a request or inducement to purchase. Of my own free will and inspired solely by love for my child I reiterate my promises and shall conscientiously endeavor to keep my agreement to letter thereof." A suspiciously solemn declaration, isn't it?

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ST. DAVID'S DAY.

Suitable Observance to be Held This
Evening in Sixteenth Ward.

St. David's Day will be suitably observed this evening, in the Sixteenth ward assembly hall, by the Welsh people of this city. The entertainment will include a series of literary and vocal contests, with choir renditions in Welsh besides poems and essays. A feature of the evening will be "The Bells of Aberdovey," a soprano solo by Vedda by Miss Edna Evans, whose grandfather was a Welshman, and Miss Sarah Daniels, in Welsh costume, will sing also in the native vocal. It is intended to make of this affair one of the most notable of the kind ever given in this city.

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THE SMOKE NUISANCE

Post of Large Cities Becoming So
Prominent in Salt Lake as to
Arouse Public Protest.

Smoky chimneys in Salt Lake are continuing to raise public indignation to a point of protest. Today complaint was filed with the Manufacturers and Merchants' association about the chimney on Main street, between First and Second South street, asking that the association take some action to protest against the nuisance.

The pest of soft smoke is one that Mayor Brandford is taking particular interest in, and he has already declared for stoking devices for all high pressure boilers, and has called attention to the buildings now using them.

The city attorney's office has several times threatened a crusade of prosecutions, but this has not yet been commenced. Meanwhile a promise comes from Washington that the smoke nuisance, having achieved the size of a national pest, will soon come under the supervision of the national government.

Under the head of "The Great Smoke Mystery," the current number of Collier's says: "As more than one third of the people live in cities, the smoke nuisance has become a national pest, and is receiving the attention of the national government. The ecological survey has been conducting investigations whose results have been summarized in a report by Mr. D. T. Randall.

"The state of things disclosed is curious. Usually business men try to do what is most profitable for themselves, and if they come into collision with the laws and with public sentiment, it is in the effort to make money in forbidden ways. But in the case of the smoke plague, the situation is precisely reversed. In pouring out dense masses of unconsumed fuel into the atmosphere the offenders are simply throwing money to the birds. It would be much more profitable for them to keep their chimneys smokeless. Yet they vainly pass anti-smoke ordinances, and business men pay fines rather than obey rules that would add to their profits.

The solution sought for in the eastern analysis of the problem lies, as in the analysis of Mayor Brandford, in the adoption of stoking devices, which the mayor says, saved him personally 40 per cent of his fuel bills.

MEN BADLY INJURED.

Foreman of Rio Grande Shops With
His Son Meets With Accident.

Joseph J. Duckworth, foreman of the Rio Grande shops, and his son, Hiram Duckworth, both of 738 west First South street, were badly bruised and cut while at work yesterday. A crane fell from its fastenings above head and both men were working directly beneath it. The older Duckworth was badly bruised and the younger Duckworth would have been killed had it not been for a timber which helped to break the crane's fall. The young man was unconscious for several hours. Dr. Critchlow, who is attending both men

FIRE HOSE WAGON COLLIDES WITH CAR

As a Result Lieut. Harry B. Robbins
Lies in Serious Con-
dition at Hospital.

RUN OVER BY HEAVY WHEELS.

That the Firemen Were Not Killed is
Regarded as Remarkable—Driv-
er Did Not See Streetcar.

Lieut. Harry B. Robbins, of station No. 2, one of the most popular members of the Salt Lake fire department, is lying at St. Mark's hospital suffering from severe injuries caused by an accident to the hose wagon on Saturday evening while making a run to Walker Bros' store. The accident occurred about 8:40 at the corner of Second West and Second South streets. Hose wagon No. 2 was run into by street car No. 213. That Lieut. Robbins and some of the other firemen were not killed outright is regarded as most remarkable. Robbins was knocked from the wagon when it passed over him inflicting severe wounds about the head and smashing his right hand badly. Driver Sam D. Walker had his back crushed and will be unfit for duty for a few days.

Immediately after the wagon and street car came together, the horses became frightened and tried to run away. They ran almost to Fifth West street before they were brought under control. The driver managed to hang to the seat, but Robbins was thrown heavily to the ground. The injured man was quickly taken to the emergency hospital, where Dr. S. G. Paul attended to the injuries and then sent the fire-fighter to St. Mark's hospital.

CAR DID NOT STOP.

When the fire alarm came in from Walker's store, the hose wagon, with Sam D. Walker as driver, and Lieut. Robbins beside him on the seat, dashed south on Second West. The gong was ringing constantly, but none of the firemen saw the car coming down Second South street. Driver Walker says that the car was coming at the rate of 40 miles an hour and he thought the motorman would slow up to let the wagon pass, and he did not pull up the horses. Seeing that the car was sure to crash into the wagon Walker says he pulled the horses around to the west, but just then the car hit the wagon knocking both driver and officer from the seat. Walker managed to scramble back, but Robbins went to the ground.

WILL RECOVER.

Lieut. Robbins has been a member of the department for many years, and is regarded as one of the best fire-fighters in the service. He resides at 318 west North Temple street, is married, and has four children. The street car was in charge of Conductor J. Draper and Mortimer W. D. Harkness. Word was received from the hospital this morning that Lieut. Robbins was greatly improved and will recover.

FIRE NOT SERIOUS.

The fire at Walker's was not a serious one. Some paper in the rear room on the second floor became ignited in some way and the flames caught the window sill. It was soon discovered and extinguished. Two other alarms were responded to but no damage was done in either fire. An incandescent light globe set fire to some clothing in a room at the Clift House, but the blaze was put out in short order. A careless lodger at the American House threw a lighted match on the window sill, and in a second the curtains were aflame. The flames were hauled down and the blaze stamped out before any damage was done.

RACE SUICIDE.

as President Roosevelt calls it is not nearly the menace to increase in population that deaths among infants are directly or indirectly caused by bowel troubles. Mc-Gee's Baby Elixir cures diarrhoea, colic, teething, sour stomach and all infant troubles. The natural way of getting rid of teething babies. Price 25 cents. Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept., 112-114 Main Street.

TO RECLAIM ARID BELTS.

Press Club Announces Consumption
Of Reclamation Project.

The Press club of this city is out with announcements of a great reclamation project. The proposition is the sixth annual banquet of the Press club of Salt Lake City; the time will be Saturday, March 14, 1908, at 9:30 p. m.; the place, the Commercial club's banquet hall, and the entertainment, a banquet.

Arrangements have been made to reclaim not less than 200 arid belts and as many more as come, and shares are offered in this great scheme at \$2.50 per certificate. The certificates are worth more alone. Each \$2.50 worth of certificates entitles one to all the good things planned for the banquet, as well as getting in on the reclamation process. There'll be music, jokes, stunts, plenty of his class food, talks, and just the kind of a good time as is except at the Salt Lake Press club's banquet. Committees are hard at work on preparations.

SIXTEEN TO ELEVEN.

Proportion of Males and Females
Born in Salt Lake Last Week.

Twenty-seven new children were announced as residents of Salt Lake during the week just passed. Sixteen of them will grow up to pay taxes and join the debating society, the other 11 are heading for the sewer circle.

The health department has a record during the week of 31 deaths, 16 of them males and 15 females. There are cases of contagious diseases, consisting of 1 case of smallpox, 10 cases of measles, 1 case typhoid, 8 cases scarlet fever, 3 cases diphtheria, 1 case pneumonia, and 1 case tuberculosis. One case of smallpox is isolated while 21 houses are quarantined for scarlet fever, with 5 for diphtheria.

TWO LAND DECISIONS.

Local Offices Decide in Favor of Pair
Of Entrymen.

Two land decisions have been handed down in the office of Register E. D. B. Thompson and Receiver M. M. Kline. Both were verdicts in favor of the contestants in two things upon desert land near Moab. The first contest was between W. L. Taylor, contestant, and Mons Peterson, contestee. Peterson made a desert land entry upon 160 acres near Moab Sept. 14, 1900, and Sept. 27, 1907, the contestant filed an affidavit swearing the entryman had failed to comply with the land laws. Testimony was taken before a notary public at Moab Nov. 22, and at the end of the month, the entryman came along

and learning some proceedings were on against him, wanted the case reopened so as to afford him a chance to present his case. The additional evidence was received in the local land office Feb. 27 and after careful consideration a decision now comes for the entryman. The second case is identical with the exceptions J. F. Hall 1st contestant and Sam N. King, contestee. King filed upon 176.25 acres Feb. 26, 1907, and upon the filing of the contestant's affidavit testimony was taken. June 7 saw 30 days additional time granted and June 19, the additional testimony was received. Feb. 20 was the date of the opening of the new trial and Feb. 25 saw the entire testimony laid before the local officers. In this case the entryman was not represented at the earlier proceedings and asked for the additional time to present his case.

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ZORAF MAY RECOVER.

Mat. Zoraf, shot while stealing coal from the Rio Grande yards in Bingham Junction, is resting easily at the Holy Cross hospital, and there is a chance of recovery. Mace Cochran, special night agent, who did the shooting, is being held. The company has been losing coal and fuel heavily on account of the depredations of foreigners. A number have been caught and fined, and upon being unable to pay the amounts levied have been sent to jail.

Nasal Catarrh, an inflammation of the delicate membrane lining the air-passages, is not cured by any mixture taken into the stomach. Don't waste time on them. Take Ely's Cream Balm through the nostrils, so that the fevered, swollen tissues are reached at once. Never mind how long you have suffered nor how often you have been disappointed. We know Ely's Cream Balm is the remedy you should use. Ask druggists, or mail for Ely Bros., 55 Warren Street, New York.

J. GREENEWALD RETURNS.

He Had Talk With President Roose-
velt and Secretary Pierce.

Collector J. Greenwald of the Salt Lake Custom House has returned from a three week's vacation trip in the east. He went as far as Washington, D. C. where Senator Sutherland introduced him to the president. The latter received the visitor very cordially and seemed much pleased when Mr. Greenwald presented him with the first McKinley badge worn in Utah, and worn by Mr. Greenwald himself. It is one of the photographic class, and very handsome. The interview only lasted about five minutes, but the collector thinks he said more in those five minutes than in any other five minutes in all his life. The president had only pleasant words to say for the west in general and Utah in particular, and hoped Collector Greenwald would call again.

The visitor called on Asst. Secy. Frank Pierce of the department of the interior, whom he found in excellent spirits and thoroughly absorbed in his official duties. He says Mr. Pierce is much pleased with his new line of experience, in fact dropped right into his chair as though he had been there right along. While Mr. Garfield is away from Washington, Mr. Pierce is secretary of the interior. Mr. Greenwald was much refreshed from the rest gained by the vacation.

TAKE OVER SANITARIUM.

B. M. Stephenson and J. P. Emery of the Salt Lake Hot Springs sanitarium company, completed a deal Saturday evening, whereby they will take over the complete control of the concern, the deal involving \$25,000. The plant at present includes two swimming pools, 55x65 ft., and 55x75 ft., 37 private baths, 12 plunge baths, and two Turkish baths. These conveniences will be enlarged and improved.

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