

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS

The Great Country Paper of the West

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

LOCAL BRIEFS.

King Buy's Property—H. J. King has bought of the Home Trust and Savings company of this city residence property on Seventh street near J for \$2,750.

Water for Power—The Spring City Light and Milling company of Sanpete county has filed an application with the state engineer for five second feet of water from the Sevier river in Sanpete county to develop 125 horsepower for electric lighting and power at Spring City.

Foreman Fined—Judge C. B. Arliff yesterday afternoon imposed a fine of \$25 on L. A. Foreman, a dish washer, who had previously been suspended and guilty of indecent exposure. The court took the view that the thousand condition of Foreman was not sound.

Wool Growers' Convention—Indications are that there will be 1,000 delegates to the next convention of the National Wool Growers' association which is to be held in this city next January. They will be the guests of the Commercial club which is to furnish badges, music and programs. An effort will be made to hold a fat stock show in connection with the convention.

In Bankruptcy—In the United States district court, W. O. Duvall, a salesman, and Annie L. Lumen yesterday filed petitions in bankruptcy. The schedule of the first named showed liabilities of \$2,963.59 and \$220 assets. The liabilities of Mrs. Lumen were \$1,386, with \$96 assets. The debts of the latter consist of three judgments rendered against her in Wyo.

Father and Son Meet—The father of Police Officer C. E. Stains has come to Salt Lake to visit his son, and will probably reside here. He was a resident of Beatrice, Neb., and the two had not met for many years. Mr. Stains, Sr., arrived in the city during the night, wholly unexpected to his son, and was conducted to the latter's residence by one of the officers from headquarters.

Indians Peaceful—Roger Wolcott Jesusup has returned from a two months' absence in northeastern Utah and southwestern Wyoming, on an engineering trip. He reports that the stories about Indians giving trouble are exaggerations. His party met plenty of Indians, but they were peaceful enough. They found many new settlers coming into the country in consequence of the throwing open of the reservation.

Murray Not Bound—Atty. Gen. Breedon has rendered an opinion upon request of State Supt. of Schools Nelson in which it is held that Murray is no longer bound by the contract with the publishing houses for furnishing text books for the Murray schools. Murray is now a city of the second class and hence is not within the law authorizing the selection of text books by state commission for the district schools of the state.

Seeing America—C. O'Donnell of Bathurst, New South Wales, a prominent man in his country, is at the Kenyon hotel, on a visit to America. He reports sheep conditions very fair at home. Mr. O'Donnell is interested in American methods of irrigation. He says the Bushmen, or Australian aborigines are rapidly dying out, while the Maoris are doing well. Mr. O'Donnell reports up a number of American civil engineers in Australia.

Army Transfers—Department headquarters at Denver has ordered the transfer of a sergeant and six men of the Twenty-ninth Infantry to Fort Leavenworth prison to act as guards, the following men having been designated for this duty: Sgt. Maj. La Beau, Company H; Privates Charles Dent, Company A; James McKinney, Company B; Robert C. Headley, Company E; Charles A. Miller, Company I; Walter McNett, Company L; Perry H. Howard, Company M.

Given Thirty Days—Charles Luckner, a Hungarian, who was arrested on Monday for stealing two bolts of white goods from Auerbach's store, where he was employed to clean out the basement, was yesterday adjudged guilty and was sent to jail for 30 days. Luckner made the plea that he had possession of the goods because a friend had asked him to take them in charge, but he did not know the name of the person and said that he had met him for the first time an hour before.

Runaway Boys Caught—Two runaway boys from Cache county, were arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Ike Emery and are now in the county jail awaiting the arrival of the Cache county authorities to take them back home. The boys started to Salt Lake to get a job and instead of walking as was suggested by one of them they decided to take a horse and buggy belonging to Allen's father. They accordingly took tramps and drove to this city and were arrested upon complaint of the Allen boy's father.

Salt Lake Fruit Growers—At the office of the county commissioners, joint building, a meeting of Salt Lake county fruit growers will be held Saturday, Aug. 18, commencing at 2 o'clock. The meeting is for the purpose of making arrangements to furnish fruit from this section to be placed at the disposal of the committee who will have in charge Utah's exhibit of fruit at the Irrigation convention which will be held at Salt Lake in September. All fruit growers are earnestly requested to be present at the meeting, which is called by James M. Fisher, Jr., president of the Salt Lake County Horticultural society.

Utah Irrigation—Chief Engineer W. E. Hill, are in town today from the Uintah reservation. They report the system of irrigation obtaining there as satisfactory. The government is expending out there \$12,000 on ditches, and when completed some 70,000 acres of arid land will become susceptible of cultivation. It will take five years to complete the work. White men are allowed to lease lands from Indians who may be unable to cultivate them, and settlers generally are well treated by the department. There is no violence there. The engineers are en route to northern points to investigate local conditions.

Zion's Savings Bank and Trust Co.—The largest and oldest Savings Bank in Utah, pays 4 per cent interest on any amount from \$1 to \$5,000. Write to us. Joseph P. Smith, President; George M. Cannon, Cashier.

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PRESBYTERIANS' ANNUAL MEETING

Teachers' Association of This State to Convene Aug. 16-22.

WORK OF MISSION SCHOOLS.

Each Day Will Be Devoted to Papers And Discussions Covering the Subject—Program In Full.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Presbyterian (Mission) Teachers' association of this state will be held in the First Presbyterian church, this city, Aug. 16-22. The meeting will open with an address tomorrow evening, and continue through Wednesday next. Each day will be devoted to papers and discussions covering the general work of the mission schools in Utah, and a feature will be the calisthenic drill under the direction of Miss Donaldna Thompson, daughter of Rev. James Thompson of Ogden, and a very talented young woman. The program for the week is as follows:

THURSDAY, AUG. 16, 8 P. M.

Public Address: "The Wonderful Book" Rev. McLain W. Davis

FRIDAY, AUG. 17.

9:00 a. m.—Devotional Service.... Rev. W. M. Padon, D. D.

9:20 a. m.—Bible Interpretation.... Rev. T. F. Day, D. D.

10:30 a. m.—Calisthenic Drill.... Leader—Miss Donaldna Thompson

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2:00 p. m.—Studies on Personal Work" Rev. T. F. Day, D. D.

3:00 p. m.—Our Educational Standards.... Prof. George B. Sweazy

3:40 p. m.—Miscellaneous.... Rev. G. W. Martin, M. D.

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