

RAILROAD NEWS.

NEW SCHEME STARTED.

RAILWAY PROPOSAL GROWING ITS OWN TIES IN CALIFORNIA—LAND PURCHASED.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—The Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe railway proposes to grow its own railway ties. To that end a ranch of 10,000 acres has been purchased in San Diego county, Cal., and 7,000 acres will be planted in eucalyptus trees. The remaining 3,000 acres will be used as an experimental station to serve as an object lesson to the farmers of that vicinity.

This idea has been taken because of the increasing cost of ties. The Santa Fe uses the native timber of the United States will be exhausted. It has been demonstrated that wood of the eucalyptus tree will stand any other when used for rails, ties and bridge work.

While the planting of trees has been started, it will be from 15 to 25 years before any of them will be large enough to cut. At that age each tree can be cut into 120 ties, and the increase from then on is more rapid.

With its present mileage the Santa Fe uses 100,000 ties yearly, which during the fiscal year ending June 30 last, cost \$2,393,374. It is estimated, however, that at the time set for maturity the eucalyptus ranch will produce each year 1,000,000 ties, giving a surplus over present needs of four million a year.

FIRST TRAIN TODAY.

Topeka & Tidewater Now Connects Rhyolite, Nev., With Los Angeles.

Today the first passenger train will move over the Topeka & Tidewater. One train leaves Rhyolite at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon and will arrive in Los Angeles at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Another train will start from Los Angeles at 8 o'clock this evening, reaching Rhyolite tomorrow afternoon. Buffet, sleeping and chair cars will move between the two terminals without change. Fifteen hours reduction in time is promised by the new railroad and better rates in freight and passenger traffic assured.

CHANGES IN SERVICE.

Mail and Train Movements North of Ogden Are Altered Somewhat.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, Dec. 5.—After today several changes have been made in the mail service on the Oregon Short Line north of Ogden and the Kelton branch. The mail heretofore leaving Ogden in the morning on train 31 will hereafter be done in trains 31 and 32, between Brigham and Malad. The postal clerk, however, will run through 31 Ogden, arriving at Malad on train 31 and 32 of the Cache valley branch, from that point into Ogden.

The other important change is the cutting down of the present daily service between Kelton and Brigham. Heretofore trains have run daily except Sunday. Beginning tomorrow they will run but three days a week, viz., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

PURCHASE COMPLETED.

Crane Company Acquires Site for \$200,000 Business Block.

The Crane company of this city completed last evening the purchase of the 10x10 rods southwest corner of Second and Second south streets, by the payment to the First Baptist church, through Lattie & Little, of \$25,000, making \$25,000 paid the Baptists for their church property, altogether, and \$25,000 for that and the two additional rods to the west. The Crane company proposes to erect there a five or six-story building costing \$200,000.

The church people have notified the occupants of the new church site purchased by them at Second South and Fourth East streets, to vacate, so they can begin building at once. They themselves must vacate the old church property at an early date.

TO TEST NEW SWITCH.

The Oregon Short Line is going to build a couple of switches after mode of a new patented switch worked up by Ira A. Call of Bancroft, Ida. Mr. Call has an excellent idea in his switch and so favorably has it impressed Harman engineers that they are desirous of seeing it in commission. Derailments seem to be impossible with the Call automatic and a long list of other nuisances in present switches is done away with in Mr. Call's arrangement. Like all really clever things, the switch is effective and at the same time simplicity itself.

NINTH JUROR SECURED.

Elmer A. Bowen Accepted by Both Sides in Walker Murder Trial.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, Dec. 5.—Elmer A. Bowen was the ninth juror accepted by both sides in the Walker murder trial this morning. It is hoped the remaining three jurors on the panel may be secured today.

Joseph Drysdale, who was arrested several months ago on a statutory charge, and now after a long stay in his bond of \$100, was arrested last evening in this city. He was taken before Judge Howell, pleaded guilty to the charge and a fine of \$100, which he paid, whereupon his bond was ordered reinstated.

Blair's meat market at Five Points was attacked by thieves last evening for bills owing and due A. E. Weatherly, a local butcher.

J. F. Conrad, charged with a

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statutory offense, was this morning bound over to the district court by Judge Murphy in the sum of \$100. Conrad waived preliminary examination and will plead guilty before the district court. The girl in the case, Mary Clifford, will be taken before Judge Quinn this afternoon and in all probability will be committed to the state reformatory.

BEFORE JUDGE DIEHL.

Burglar Gets 60 Days—Alleged "Em" bozzler Granted Continuance.

Louis McCall, who was arrested a few days ago on the charge of burglary in the third degree, was arraigned before Judge Diehl this morning. McCall was accused of stealing a suit case from the Orpheum reading house. When the case was called this morning the defendant pleaded guilty to the charge of petit larceny and received a sentence of 60 days in the county jail. Conrad, charged with the same offense, was given a preliminary hearing this morning. The prosecution charged that Conrad purchased certain goods from the furniture store but sold them before they were paid for. The matter was continued until tomorrow morning in order to give the defense a chance to summon witnesses.

UNIVERSITY NOTES.

The interclass football game scheduled for tomorrow between the Juniors and seniors is being played on Cummings field this afternoon. The former team includes a number of players who were on the school's second team this season and the Juniors expect these experienced warriors to bring home victory.

Dr. Caldwell, expected here this week to examine the medical school for the purpose of giving it a rating, has not put in an appearance yet, as no word has been received from him, nothing is known of his whereabouts or when he will arrive in this city.

BOYS' BAND PROGRAM.

Afternoon and Evening Performances To Be Given in the Theater.

The program for the matinee and evening concert today by the Boy's band in the Salt Lake theater, is as follows:

PART I.
Overture, "Foot and Peasant".....Suppe
Cornet solo, "Trumpeter on Guard".....Neske
Alma Bar.....Donizetti
Sextet, "Lucia".....Donizetti
Violin solo, "Berceuse".....Godard
George Flanagan, pupil of G. E. Skelton
Spanish Serenade, "La Paloma".....Fradler
Selection, "Lullaby".....Cohen
Curtain.
Mandolin solos.....Master Willie Stafford
Accompanied by Prof. C. D. Schettler
PART II.
March, "Guard Trumpeters".....Morris
Brass quartet, "Recitative and Adagio".....Hansell
L. P. Christensen, Alva Bar, Guy and Louis Alexander
Descriptive, "Hunting Scene".....Meachan
Vocal solo, "Love's Old Sweet Song".....Molloy
Chillean Dance, "Manana".....Missad
Patrons, "America".....Meachan

ELLEN J. EVANS WINS.

Judge Charles W. Morse entered a decree yesterday in favor of Ellen J. Evans, second wife of Daniel Jones, in which the judgment sought by Jones in his complaint is denied. He sought to be repossessed of property he had deeded to his wife, alleging that at the time he did so he was suffering from a cut on the head and was unduly influenced. The suit took the issues back to 1905, when Jones married Ellen Evans. The ceremony was performed in the endowment house. Subsequently Jones suffered a severe fall from a wagon. His injury soon healed, however, and it was at no time believed to be serious. Later, though, he was seized with a mild form of insanity, following the death of his first wife. His second wife cared for him tenderly for over a year and then he was committed to the state mental hospital. He was released some time afterwards as cured, but was later taken back suffering much as before. Then, having deeded his property to Ellen Evans when he feared that he was going to die, he began suit in the district court to be repossessed of the property. The court in deciding the case declared that at the time the deeds were executed Jones was of sound mind and that he conveyed the property to his second wife out of love and affection for her. He declares that as she has been without support from him for some time past, it is but just that she retain the property in question.

CASTLEBERRY IN CUSTODY.

J. S. Castleberry, who was recently prosecuted on a charge of embezzlement, but who was acquitted, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Sharp on a charge brought against him by Nevada, charging him with having drawn and cashed a check on the Utah Commercial & Savings bank, in which he had no funds. Castleberry is said to have admitted the charge, but says that he is willing to make the loss good if the prosecution will be dropped.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Judge W. W. Maughan of the First judicial district has filed with Secy. of State Charles S. Tingey his setting for sessions of his court in the counties comprehended within his jurisdiction. The settings follow: Cache county, Jan. 3, March 20, June 11, Oct. 3; Boxelder county, Feb. 4, May 1, Sept. 1, Nov. 15; Rich county, Feb. 12, June 15, Oct. 14.

WANTLAND ENTERS SUIT.

W. M. Wantland, who appears as the plaintiff in an action now pending in the Third district court against the Pittsburgh-Lake Oil company, brought another suit against the company yesterday. In this action he seeks the court's order directing the company to transfer 20 shares of stock from E. W. Fahst to himself, which, he says, he is entitled to and which the company has refused to do.

NOTICE.

The St. George temple will close on Friday, Dec. 20, and reopen on Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1907.

DAVID H. CANNON,
President.

HARRIMAN SAYS COUNTRY IS RECOVERING

New York, Dec. 4.—That the country is already beginning to recover from the severe shock received in the recent panic is the opinion of E. H. Harriman, as expressed in an interview published here today.

"We are in the rebound from the depression, and we are in it to stay," Mr. Harriman said. "There will be no falling back. Each step that we are taking is firm. Underneath the whole situation there is industrial stability. There is too much work to be done and too great capacity for doing it to allow a long drawn out depression. There are indications everywhere that confidence is being restored. The country is too big and the people too sensible to allow the acts of a few men to shake their faith in the integrity of our great financiers and business men as a whole. Naturally, there was a little scare at first, but when the people saw that there were rotten spots in the country they quickly covered them with their faith. The dawn of a new era of prosperity is here. The over strain on cash is being relieved and credit is once more being allowed to perform its normal work. But we must not expect at once to see every line of commercial business as active as it was a while ago. It will take some time. When I say cautiously, however, I do not mean hesitatingly, but rather conservatively."

NATURAL RESOURCES.

Governors Joining in With President's Suggestion for Their Preservation.

Washington, Dec. 4.—The governors of the various states and territories, whom the president has invited to confer with him at the White House May 13 to 15 on the conservation of the natural resources of the country, are joining in the president's suggestion with great alacrity. Already responses have been received from practically every governor invited, and without exception they express their approval and interest in the president's suggestion that the time has come for the country to take steps to stop waste and to form a working plan for the conservation of the nation's natural resources. This sentiment is expressed regardless of party affiliation or geographical location.

Many of the governors discuss at length the action of the president in calling the conference, expressing their belief that the country is greatly benefited by the president's plan to get down to a working basis on the question of how the natural resources of the country shall be conserved.

NAOMI MINE DISASTER.

United States Government is Making an Investigation Into It.

Pittsburg, Dec. 4.—The federal government is making an investigation of the disaster at the Naomi mine of the United Coal company near Fayette City, 35 miles south of here, where a terrific explosion of fire damp occurred Sunday night, causing the death of a large number of miners. This is said to be the first instance in which the government has made an investigation of a coal mine disaster, and it attracts particular attention, coming, as it does, immediately after President Roosevelt's reference to the disaster in his annual message.

STATE CAN OBJECT.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 4.—Col. Roy Hoffman was asked for an opinion by Atty. Gen. West as to the right of the state to approve an application of the Fort Smith & Western railroad to dissolve its charter, in a lengthy communication states that the state has the right to object to such procedure. It is announced that the attorney-general will take advantage of the state's rights and resist the application for dissolution.

SMALL BANK SUSPENSES.

Kansas City, Dec. 5.—The State Bank of Argentine, Kansas, a suburb, with assets of \$100,000, closed its doors early this afternoon following a run. The stock in this bank was owned principally by the National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, Mo. The cashier wired the state examiner to take charge, and said he hoped to be permitted to re-open tomorrow morning.

LATE LOCALS.

Bank Clearings—Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$299,452.49 as against \$1,251,659.43 for the same day last year.

Cold in Vermont—The long spell of fine weather is apparently coming to an end, with the advent of an extended low barometric area which promises rain and a falling thermometer. The only cold place in the country today is Northfield, N. H., where the mercury is 10 degrees below.

Tenth Ward—Tomorrow evening in the Tenth ward meetinghouse a missionaries' benefit concert will be given under the auspices of the Tenth Ward Missionary society, for the purpose of raising funds to send the ward missionaries now in the field a Christmas present. An excellent program has been arranged, and a cordial invitation is extended to all interested.

PERSONALS.

Fred Spencer, traveling freight agent of the Rio Grande, is leaving for Chicago on a two months' vacation, during which he will make an extensive pleasure trip through the east and middle west.

Lafayette D. Clayton and Hilda V. C. Stromberg were married Nov. 26 at the home of Mrs. W. L. Harlow, 123 West North Temple street, by Deputy County Clerk David A. Smith. The ceremony was witnessed by only a few intimate friends and members of the families.

FEW "SCHOOLS FOR THE RICH"

Dr. Butler's Remarks Call for a Re-membrance.

Writing in the New York Evening Post about the education of the neglected rich, President Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia, takes a considerably more gloomy view of this subject than the facts of current history seem to compel. Discussing how nearly fatal it is to the rich child's prospects not to go to the public schools, and how in such preliminary schools as he can go to, for one reason or another, a systematic and judicious training of mind and character is quite impossible, he goes on to tell how "things go from bad to worse when a well known type where only children of the rich can or will go.

We do not know of any boarding-school of a well known type in this country where only children of the rich go. Dr. Butler, occupying the place he does, ought to know where such a school is, and he is that the schools he has in mind are such as St. Paul's (Concord), St. Mark's (Southbury), The Hill School (Portsmouth), Bruton School and a dozen others of the same type. To say that only children of the rich go to these schools would be an absurd misstatement, much more absurd than is generally appreciated for it is rather commonly asserted and supposed that such schools as these are closed off for the sons of the rich. We never have seen a statistic of the pecuniary abilities of the parents of the boys who go to such boarding-schools as these, but if we could we should find that many of the parents are considerably less than 70 per cent of the boys who are pupils at present at the four schools named, and at a dozen other schools of the same class. That might be named, did not have it in prospect as a matter of necessity to make their own living—Life.

A CRUEL OLD CITY.

Wonderful discoveries have been made in the ruins of the ancient city of Gezer, in Palestine. Prof. Stewart Macalister, who is now at work on the site, has discovered the ruins of eight cities or periods of building there, going back to ancient cave dwellers, 2600 B. C. The remains, therefore, of 5,000 years of apparently almost continuous human life are seen on this little hill. When a dwelling house fell down or was destroyed, the new owner did not clear away the rubble, but raised a fresh structure on the ruins of the old, and digging now deep down through these ruins the explorer of today has discovered the ruins of the same city, the remains of a cave-dwelling race not acquainted with metal; also the undisturbed dead of a Canaanite tribe with bronze weapons; also of a Canaanite "high place," with the bones of newly born infants, sacrificed, apparently, to some unknown deity, or bones of infants buried under the corners of house walls.

These human sacrifices were, it is believed, the abominations of the Ammonites, denunciated by the prophet. Human sacrifices were often offered at the commencement of undertakings, and it has been shown that

the breaking of a bottle of wine at the naming of a ship is but the survival of the ancient abominable custom. So, also, the innocent-looking maypole is simply a relic of a pole found in old pagan temples—traces of one having been found in the "high place," or temple of Gezer.

Developments at Gezer make it possible to understand more clearly how Haman pulled down the pillars of the temple. These pillars were of wood, and merely rested on "stumps of stone." The strong man, therefore, had but to draw the wooden supports together and off the stone, and down came the temple, crashing about the Philistines' ears.—Chicago News.

Some Autocharacterizations.

Kansas City has something to show for its lack of gaudy revelry. It has a reputation for industry and sobriety and decency. It is not marked as a place where the "young bloods go the pace." It has no famous resorts for the gay and unconventional. It is not a Mecca for bounders, its standards of living, material, social, and moral, are worthy of emulation. It has been almost free from sensational scandals—entirely free from those of first magnitude. In both official and social life the city has been exceedingly fortunate in this respect. In short, Kansas City has a good name—a name that should be cherished and maintained.—Kansas City Star.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

YESTERDAY'S.

John T. Howell to John R. Lewis, land in section 1, township 7 south, range 1 west.....	\$ 150
W. C. Orem to First Baptist Church, of Salt Lake City, part block 61, plat A.....	3,000
Clarendon B. Eyer to the Crane company, part lot 1, block 4, plat A.....	39,325
Thomas Verrett to Ralph Jenkins, lot 24, section 36, township 1 south, range 1 west.....	1,000
A. S. Knowles to C. W. Higgins, lot 16, block 6, 5-acre plat A.....	4,250
Lillie Stalman to the First Baptist church of Salt Lake City, part lot 4, block 51, plat B.....	12,000
S. S. Hubbard to Wm. Campbell, lots 26 etc., block 1, plat B, Oakley.....	5
Glenn R. Bothwell to Edwin Wright, lots 25 etc., block 1, Lyndale.....	5
Joseph P. Smith, trustee, to T. J. Nipper, land section 75, township 1 south, range 1 west.....	6,475
Lauro Crocker to R. A. Shimm and wife, part lot 8, block 53, plat B.....	4,000
Andrew Poulsen to Anna Poulsen, land section 31, township south, range 1 east.....	1

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Edward Andrews will be held from the Third ward meetinghouse Friday at 1 p. m. Friends are invited to be present.

DIED.

HOAGLAND—At 1:20 p. m. Wednesday, Chauncey Benedict Hoagland, aged 25 years. His illness was of but short duration and death was caused by the closing of the bronchial tubes, following illness of measles. A peculiar coincidence is, his demise came on the same hour and minutes of the

HOAGLAND—At 9:29 west Eighth South street, Dec. 4, 1907, Chauncey B. son of Clarence A. and Christina Fletcher Hoagland, born March 13, 1905.

Funeral services Friday at 2 p. m. from the Twenty-sixth ward meetinghouse. Friends invited to attend. Interment in city cemetery.

HOAGLAND—In this city, Wednesday.



Hecalled on her. She answered the ring and assisted in removing his overcoat. She couldn't help but feel there was something in the overcoat pocket. There usually was—and she knew. Deftly he drew it fourth—a box of McDonald's chocolates, her eyes sparkled. He smiled. Later in the evening he spoke to her father.

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day as that on which he was born. The child was a son of Clarence A. Hoagland of Z. C. M. L. and Christina Fletcher Hoagland.

Funeral services will be held at the Twenty-sixth ward chapel, 84 west Eighth South street, on Friday, the 6th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. Remains may be viewed from the family residence, 929 west Eighth South street, between 12 and 1:30 o'clock Friday. Poplar Grove car.

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