

DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Observations taken at 6 a. m. today, for previous 24 hours: Salt Lake City, Utah: Barometer, 29.96 inches; current temperature, 44 degrees; maximum temperature, 46 degrees; minimum temperature, 38 degrees; wind, north, velocity, 10 miles per hour; which is 3 degrees above normal.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1st, 39 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since first of month, 28 inches.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1st, 2.56 inches.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. SUNDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; slight changes in temperature.

Utah: Made at San Francisco—Cloudy tonight and Sunday; cooler to-night.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The "low" noted over British Columbia yesterday morning is now central over Minnesota and pressure has risen rapidly over the first named region. The area of high pressure continues over the Great Basin. It is warmer over Minnesota and colder over Texas and the lower Mississippi valley. Light precipitation has fallen over Illinois.

L. H. MURDOCH,

Section Director.

TEMPERATURE TODAY.

10 a. m., 55; 12 noon, 55; 2 p. m., 56; 3 p. m., 56.

SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS...

CIRCULATION TODAY,

19,580

January 1, 1899, 10,280.

(Issued Mondays and Thursdays)

The largest circulation of any paper between Denver and the coast.

OUR AIM:

20,000 by the 20th Century!

NEW NAMES ADDED TO THE NEWS SUBSCRIPTION LISTS

from January 1, 1899, to Saturday, December 8, 1900, (after deducting all copies discontinued):

Daily, 1,350
Semi-Weekly, 9,300
Total, 13,440

To-day's Metals.

SILVER, Bar, 64 1/2
LEAD, \$4.00
CASTING COPPER 15 7/8 cents a lb.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The Stake Priesthood meeting last evening was well attended.

Yesterday afternoon Superintendent Cooper addressed a meeting of the patrons of the Webster school.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary J. Smith will be held from the Sixteenth ward meeting house on Sunday at 12 o'clock noon.

On January 13, a civil service examination will be conducted at the Devoil block, for a woman industrial teacher in the Indian service.

Price Advocate: After a series of a century in ministerial work in Utah, Rev. H. H. is to leave the State for other fields. He will be missed by but few.

On account of the burning out of the armatures at the city station of the electric power company, the western part of the city was disinfused in the darkness last night. The difficulty has been remedied, however, and there will be light tonight.

A large audience favored the pupils of the Ogden school at the First Congregational church last night. The purpose was a concert given by the pupils of the school and they did excellent work. Principal W. J. McCoy conducted the concert.

Frank O'Reilly, traveling salesman for the Wright Iron Range company, who has been in the city for fourteen weeks with typhoid fever, is able to be out again, and is being warmly welcomed by his friends. He is very weak, but is regaining strength.

Mr. Sharp of the Pleasant Valley Coal company, objects to the statement that any day this week the market was out of coal. He says his company always has had a supply to meet the demand, and that the product they sell is good coal—a fact that cannot be disputed, as its users will know.

Work will be commenced on Monday morning on a new two-story brick building which Manager Kallman of the new Cummings stock company is erecting in the rear of the Grand for new dressing rooms. There will be five rooms on each floor all handsomely furnished with electric light, hot and cold water, and all modern improvements.

Robinson Brothers, the shoe men, have generously sent to the Bishops of each of the twenty-four wards of this city two tickets with the privilege of drawing to the privilege of entailing a pair of their best shoes. The date of the distribution is Thursday, the 20th from 8 to 10 p. m. The Bishops will hand the tickets to two of the deserving poor of their wards.

Miss Ada Murmut, of Melbourne, lecturer and correspondent, is visiting in the city with Mrs. A. H. Mayne. She is on her way to the coast to join Miss Jewel Ackerman with whom she will travel around the world in the summer of the Lewis literary syndicate, of New York. Before going on, however, she will spend tomorrow night at the First Congregational church and in the First Presbyterian church on Monday night.

Dr. C. Dale, Esq., now of Stockton, Cal., but formerly of this city, is here on a brief visit. Five years ago, Dr. Dale was well known as physician-director in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. He is now general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Stockton, and says a most excellent work is being done by

THE PRIZE WINNERS OF THE CHRISTMAS NEWS.

Willard Done Obtains the Story Poem, Mrs. Kelsey the Poem, and Professor Beesley the Carol.

The competition for the cash prizes offered by the "News" for the best story, the best poem and the best carol, submitted for the Christmas "News," has been ended. The judges have handed in their reports, and the names of the three winners of the prizes are now announced.

For the prize of fifty dollars, over forty stories were submitted. The choice narrowed down to eleven, and Dr. James E. Talmage, the adjudicator, says all were of a much higher grade than the stories submitted last Christmas. Dr. Talmage's report is as follows:

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Rich and Poor Alike Suffer from Catarrh in This Climate.

All observant physicians have noticed the enormous increase in catarrhal diseases in recent years, and the most liberal and enlightened have cheerfully given their approval to the new internal remedy, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as the most successful and by far the safest remedy for catarrh yet produced.

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she complained of a severe cold. The next morning when her son tried to awaken her she made no response, and becoming alarmed, he went to her bedside. He made the sorrowful discovery that she was dead, although he summoned Dr. McCoy, who ascribed her demise to heart failure.

The remains were taken to O'Connell's undertaking parlors, where they were shipped to Scotland this morning. The funeral will be held from the Seaford meeting house on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Davis was a very estimable woman, endowed with a generous and sympathetic heart, which she showed to all whom she met. She was born to Mr. Henry Tidell, South Wales, in June, 1858. She was married to John Davis in 1881 and came to Utah that same year. One of her sons, William, was killed in the late explosion at Seaford.

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UTAH'S CANNING INDUSTRY.

UTAH'S SALT INDUSTRY.

UTAH'S RAILROAD MEN.

UTAH'S STATE LANDS.

SALT LAKE'S SCHOOL SYSTEM.

A thorough review of the year in all branches.

LITERARY FEATURES.

PREST. LORENZO SNOW

will write on his visit to Jerusalem.

PREST. GEO. Q. CANNON

will contribute an article on the first preaching of the Gospel in Hawaii.

PREST. JOSEPH F. SMITH

will, it is hoped, write an article of current interest, though his absence from the State renders it impossible to announce the subject.

THE QUORUM OF THE TWELVE

will be represented by brief contributions from most, if not all, of the members, on topics suggested by the closing of the 19th century, and the opening of the 20th.

PRIZE CHRISTMAS STORY.

PRIZE CHRISTMAS POEM.

PRIZE CHRISTMAS CAROL.

the latter to be rendered by the Tabernacle choir on Sunday, Dec. 23.

The Articles by the First Presidency and the Twelve will be accompanied by their latest portraits in half tone.

OTHER FEATURES.

will be another feature.

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WANTED.

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