GERMANY WAS STOPPED

Would Have Seized Samoa but for the Presence of a British Ship.

DEATH OF THE OLD KING MALIETOA.

Sought Improved Health at the Residence of the Late Robert Louis Stevenson, but Failed to Find It.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The steamship Alameda from Sydney, Auckland, Apia, and Honolulu, brought further particulars concerning the death of King Malietoa. The king's death was due to typhoid fever. He died on Monday, August 22, and was buried on the 24th, a large number of chiefs and native people attending the funeral from J. E. Newell and J. Marnell, assisted by native pastors, conducted the funeral ceremonies.

Shortly before his death King Malietoa had moved from Apia to Malieloa, the residence of the late Robert Louis Stevenson, which is at a considerable elevation on the slope of Mount Vaea, where Stevenson was buried. The change from the sea beach to the more salubrious locality of Vailima was expected to improve the king's health, but he gradually took sick and died. The news of his death was received with big guns and flags at half mast, and for some days the natives vented their grief in the old way, by crying round the dead in monotonous lamentations. The king was a fine looking and clever man, with a gray, grizzled mustache.

Germany had been hoping that it was believed at Samoa that H. M. S. Calliope had not been in Apia, so Germany would have hoisted the German flag there on Malietoa's death and would have proclaimed the annexation of Samoa.

Malietoa leaves a daughter, an attractive girl named Talamua, who is 17 or 18 years of age, and a son who was called to the London missionary society's school at Pagoma, which is near Apia. He also leaves a brother, an elderly chief, who lives at Apia.

Harry Wim is Sculling Racer.

London, Sept. 21.—W. A. Harry defeated George Towns of Australia today in the final heat of the race for the sculling championship of England. Time 21 minutes 21 seconds.

Towns held the lead for a mile but dropped out of the race on the second mile.

New Charge Against Col. Picquart.

Paris, Sept. 21.—The papers here say the ministry of war, Gen. Chanoine, has established the documents in the Dreyfus case and has ordered the prosecution of former Col. Picquart, who is charged with forgery and using forged documents.

THE PRESIDENT'S JOURNEY.

Trip to the West Postponed Till October 15th.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The President has decided to postpone his departure for the West until the second week in October, giving himself only time to reach Omaha by the 10th.

This is a change from the original program, which contemplated an earlier start and a visit to other places before arriving at Omaha. He has received invitations to many other points, while on his tour, but so far has definitely decided only to go to Omaha on the 10th and to Chicago on the 11th.

He was other invited to St. Paul and Minneapolis, but declined to accept the invitation.

The invitation to this city came from Gov. Merriam and official bodies of the twin cities.

It is now reported that Mr. Hay will be installed as secretary of state before the President's departure for the West and it is hoped to have the war department investigation well under way before the President goes away. It is reported that Sec'y. Wardsley of Vermont will be called to Washington to act on the investigation committee and that he had accepted was confirmed at the White House today. He is the seventh member of the commission. This are two places still to be filled.

Some Rhe Talks Samoa.

Madrid, Sept. 21.—Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission, in a speech here yesterday, as reported today, is quoted as saying:

It is a painful spectacle to see politicians of all parties, in spite of the same for the disaster, the responsibility for which rests on all parties. I personally have always favored annexation of Cuba, Spain being unable to develop materials order and to overcome the anarchy in Cuba.

Continuing Senor Montero Rios said: "It is useless to speak of our disasters. Has not the country spoken? Is our government not willing to do all much weakness towards the United States? What Spain wanted was a peace ready to sacrifice herself to those who recognized the impossibility of war with a powerful nation, especially after years of useless conflicts with insurgents."

Bryan Wants to be Mustered Out.

Kansas City, Sept. 21.—A special to the Star from Jacksonville, Fla., says: Gen. W. J. Bryan left last night for Washington, where he will remain a few days. He left for Washington today. He will arrive in Washington tonight and expects to see President McKinley and discuss their plans. The two will see President McKinley and make a final effort to have the Third Nebraska, Col. Bryan's regiment, mustered out. His departure was not generally known.

This fact notwithstanding, it appears quite clear that he had received a very positive request from Washington, evidently a request that he should go and greatly help matters out. The Third would be mustered and another general rebuke was administered to a better army, something not likely to be much of. Col. Bryan expects to be back at Jacksonville, Fla., on Tuesday and Sunday during the time of Secretary Alger.

Brought Yellow Fever to Camp Wikoff.

Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Sept. 21.—The transport Seguranca arrived today from Cuba with what was said to be one unmistakable case of yellow fever. The transport brought sick and convalescent soldiers from the hospital at Siboney. The medical officer, Dr. Magruder, has been ordered back to Washington in the absence of orders, pending the result of any more yellow fever cases. Gen. Wheeler decided to send one of the camp surgeons to support the Seguranca and to prepare for the removal of the sick to the detention hospital, which will now have to be reopened. The yellow fever patient, we have said, was disposed of, buried and will be kept on the vessel for the present. The Seguranca brought forty men who were not able to care for themselves and 31 convalescents. All these men will be transferred to the detention camp. The ship of Monday was ordered to the ship on this day with from 30 of the Tenth regular cavalry which was left behind in Cuba to care for the convalescents of the regiment. There were 18 men in all, 10 of whom are sick. There were 66 patients in the general hospital today. Three deaths and five of the men in the detention hospital are reported. Three new cases reported today. Lieut. Alfred J. Bowers of company F, seventy-first N. Y. V., and Corporal Hodge, of Troop A, fifth cavalry.

The Third cavalry and the men of the Hospital Corps have been signal corps detached from camp today.

Accident to the Farragut.

Washington, Sept. 21.—The navy department has received the following cablegram from Commander Dunn relating to the accident to the torpedo boat Farragut, now being constructed at San Francisco:

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—Farragut went out this morning with trial board. While running about 18 knots the outer plates on starboard side on frame space 50 and 52 were sprung on her bow at right angles. The point was not ruptured and all the bulkheads withstood the concussion. Hull, Bureau and engineering and Bureau.

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BIG FLOODS IN SPAIN.

Eighty Persons Drowned in a Village Near Cadiz.

MANY FATALITIES IN OTHER PARTS.

Great Number of Cattle Perish, and the Olive Crop Lost, in Seville and Granada.

Madrid, Sept. 21.—The southern part of Spain has been visited by terrible floods.

At the village of Herrera, near Cadiz, eighty persons were drowned.

A great number of cattle have perished and the olive harvest is lost, especially in the provinces of Seville and Granada.

There have been many deaths in other parts of the flooded country.

Personal Paragraphs.

A. Lamson, a prominent lawyer of Nelchen, Minn., and his wife, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball.

H. W. Johnson, the well known promoter of the Overland Hotel of Boise, Idaho, arrived in this city on Monday and put up at the Knutsford. He is favorably known by all the Salt Lake traveling public.

J. Wood, Miller of Springfield, Ohio, is at the Metropole.

O. C. Gates of Hagie Mills, Arkansas, is a Cullen guest.

Fred W. Lake, Jerome, a Trinity College, Cambridge, graduate, and his sister, are in the city.

J. E. Howard leads a party from Orange, New Jersey, who are at the Knutsford.

Aloud-Jebrum.

Mesa, Arizona, Sept. 14, 1898.

To the Editor:

Jesse Johnson Jr. and Mary Mabel Allred were united in the bonds of matrimony on the 25th of August, 1898, and are now on their way by train, in company with Joseph Hayes and Mr. Pratson Byram S. Johnson and Hyrum Hodges and wives to St. George. They expect to be home about October 15th.

JAMES F. JOHNSON.

MINOR MENTION.

The Democratic central committee has opened headquarters at 206 south State street.

Mr. Babcock, traffic manager of the Rio Grande Western, passed through the city for the East the first of the week.

W. E. Simpson, a stenographer in the pay department of the Oregon Short Line, who returned from his vacation a few days ago, his dangerously sick with typhoid fever.

The commissioners of "Charley" Rogers, of the C. R. Savage art union, was wrecked in stolen today. The cause was the appearance of a husky and an idea.

The officials of the city decided today not to use force in the quarrel of Mr. Dudley to lay effects to divert water from Parley's creek. The resistance will be through the courts.

Lyle Hunter, W. L. White of Salt Lake City is rounding cattle at the sugar factory near Lehi this week. The Lehi boys had now in the yard, of which 12 carloads were loaded Monday over the O. S. W. Saturday night.

As a convenience to wheelmen, especially those interested of the law, the police department has had a number of signs made bearing the legend "Bicycle Bicycle District." Wheelmen will please govern themselves accordingly.

Judge Reilly, judge of the Federal court of Idaho is spending his vacation in this city, and is at Fort's hotel. The judge was at Salt Lake last year and is well known to the bar of this state. He was appointed to the Federal bench in 1895.

William G. Dee, the man arrested early Tuesday morning for assault with intent to commit rape on the person of Miss Anna Bagley, will have a hearing in the police court this morning at 9 o. m. He had his hearing held at Lehi, where he is not able to follow. Miss Bagley is still confined to her home in Lehi.

Cards are out announcing the marriage in the Salt Lake Temple on Sept. 20th of Miss Mary Pratt and William F. Glover. A wedding reception will be given in the evening at the residence of Mrs. Mary P. Glover, mother of the groom, at 67 East street, this city. Mr. and Mrs. Glover will reside in Provo and will be at home after October 15th.

Pure Blood

Every thought, word and action takes vitality from the blood; every nerve, muscle, tone, organ and tissue depends on the blood for its quality and condition.

Spring Medicine blood is absolutely necessary to right living and healthy bodies. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great blood purifier and the best Spring Medicine. Therefore it is the great cure for scrofula, salt rheum, boils, sores, rheumatism, catarrh, etc.; the great nervine, strength builder, appetizer, stomach tonic and regulator.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

is sold by all druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Get Hood's and only Hood's.

Hood's Pills take after dinner and digestion.

MOTION IS OVERRULED.

Judge Hiles Passes on a Question in the South Temple Street Injunction Suit.

WHO WROTE THE LETTER TO F. G. HORN?

Secretary Wells' Story in Connection With It—Other Witnesses Testify—Another Court Notes.

The injunction suit of the South Temple street property owners against the Salt Lake City railroad company is working fair headway before Judge Hiles. Today's time was been for the greater part occupied by the defense in introducing testimony. Quite a number of witnesses opposite have taken place in the proceedings thus far and quite a number of startling statements made with respect to the manner in which the old members of the City council and some of the officers of the railroad company conducted business.

After the "News" report closed yesterday testimony was introduced tending to show that the street car line on South Temple street with the accompanying Ohio so-line would be constructed along the street. Plaintiffs then moved, when Senator Hawkins moved to strike out all of the testimony with the exception of that portion relating to the franchise granted by the City Council, on the ground of incompetent and immaterial.

Judge Day in a lengthy address to the court, opposed the motion. Mr. Hawkins replied and Judge Hiles announced that he would pass upon the matter in the morning.

MOTION IS OVERRULED.

At 9:30 this morning Judge Hiles overruled the motion to strike out, as well as a motion to dismiss. He based speak as follows:

The gravamen of the complaint is that the defendant Salt Lake City Railroad company is about to lay a street railway upon South Temple street in Salt Lake City, east of E street, to the damage of the plaintiffs, who are abutting property owners on said street.

The defendant has no public franchise to lay such tracks, but although it does not have that, it has entered, in 1897 and 1894 with the assent of the government of Salt Lake City, started to abandon and did abandon a portion of that part of the street, and since then there has been no complaint by the city and the defendant has entered upon the street and the general public in such abandonment.

Then the destruction of abandonment was made and no complaint by the city, were both entered upon the records of the transactions of the revocation of the defendant upon its minutes, and that the company was made aware of revocation for certain interests of the defendant railroad company, which is represented in the proceedings by the defendant. The defendant company, which is represented in the proceedings by the defendant, is now asking to revoke and discover it to the injury of the plaintiffs, and is fraudulently assuming that it has a franchise over the disputed territory, and that this assertion by the defendant of its privilege is the cause of the injury of the plaintiffs, and that the plaintiffs are the aligned beneficiaries of that that revocation between the city and the defendant is fraudulent and void.

Defendant moves to strike out the evidence which has been offered by the plaintiffs to support their case on the ground that it is incompetent, and irrelevant, and because the complaint does not allege facts sufficient to constitute a cause of action.

"I intimated at the outset of this trial that the question presented by a third party to defeat a franchise by the government to another on the ground of fraudulent revocation of such franchise, that I should doubt that that be the law for between the government and the grantee, and that for such cause the franchise can be defeated only at the suit of the government. I think, however, although I do not know that the point has ever been decided, that a third party may, where he claims that injury to property is brought about by the attempt to exercise the franchise, allege and prove that that injury is caused by the fact that it has been abandoned by the grantee, and that the consent of the government granting the abandonment was fraudulent, and that the case which comes in equity, the allegations of the complaint, in the case which comes in equity, I doubt, on the evidence, that any evidence of the fact that the city authorities had knowledge of the fraudulent revocation of the franchise, and that the former franchise is now in force, and that the revocation of the several ordinances, they seem to show that the ordinance of April 16, 1894, is not a new and distinct grant, but is a new and distinct grant, but is a mere ratification of the consent of the ordinances granting to the defendant the franchise in question.

"The motion to strike out the testimony of Mr. Hiles, as to the conversations of 1899 relating to the abandonment seems to be relevant.

"In answer to the motion I again repeat that I definitely refrain from expressing judgment regarding the weight or the sufficiency of the evidence to sustain the allegations of the complaint.

"Now in this view of the case I think I fell into error yesterday in refusing to permit the plaintiffs to prove that their interests were injuriously affected by the revocation of the railroad company's tracks, to remove track, post (into property, and I will overrule the motion to strike nothing the question is that testimony.

"The ground of this decision is that if that I believe that a party who is injuriously affected by any structure in a street abutting his property may show that the party creating it has no franchise.

SUPT. HEAD TESTIFIES.

At the conclusion of the court's recess Superintendent William Head was called to the stand by Mr. Critchlow. He testified that he was a director and superintendent in 1891 and 1894. The witness thinks that company decided from the city was not asked to any particular officer or director, but any one could meet with company committee and discuss matters relative to the company's franchise. Witness looked emphatically over having written a letter to ex-Mayor Morris, to say who was the author. Mr. Head furthermore had no recollection of meeting with the Council committee, composed of Messrs. Jones in 1891, with the matter of extension was pending, accordingly Horn came to him with a prepared supposition letter, which he signed without reading it. Witness said he did Horn, he had no authority. Horn replied by saying he didn't care about that and he would get witnesses signature as secretary there would be no further trouble about getting the franchise. Witness said he then signed the letter as secretary of the Salt Lake City Railroad company. He did not know who wrote it except Mr. McCoun, who was out of the city at the time, but who returned a few days afterwards. Mr. McCoun, witness said, opened fire severely for his action. Horn, witness said, wanted the letter to show his loyalty street legislation. Mr. Head said he had never signed the letter in the company's regular book. The book was offered as evidence for the purpose of showing that the letter of Horn's was written on a different typewriter to what the other communications were. An effort was made to have the "News" report to copy the letter proved unavailable.

Ex-Congressman W. F. O'Meara testified that he was a member of the Council some time in 1894. He remembered one of the members engaging of the Horn letter. Witness said he thought it was the company's franchise was under discussion, if he would release the street. Witness said he thought Horn said he would get as the company's right of way was all bonded. He was at the time, he said, very strong did not agree to abandon the street. He might have been somewhat influenced by the letter. Witness gave reminded Armstrong saying that his company did not intend to hold the franchise, and he was surprised when the member said that yes the question is answered.

Cross-examined by Frank Armstrong was then examined. He said he was member of the street railroad company prior to 1891 and was member of Salt Lake City when the franchise was granted a franchise. The first time any objection was raised to the franchise was when the Horn letter was read. He thought the Horn letter was read. Cookin and W. S. Stanley were the only ones who were in his personal opinion. Mr. Armstrong said he never talked with James Gardinier.

At one meeting of the Council committee, at which Nephi Jones was present, he was asked if the company would abandon East South Temple street. Witness said he thought he did. Witness said he was not sure. Witness was then asked if such a thing was possible, he said he was not sure. He thought he would not. Mr. Armstrong explained that he was referring to a committee of the whole of the Council.

Referring to Mr. Horn's visit to the company's office in 1891, Mr. Armstrong said he only recalled Mr. Horn being with Horn. The only people in the office at the time was Secretary Wells and Mr. Armstrong. Mr. Horn said the extension project had been abandoned, or that the company would not build it. Mr. Armstrong said the property owners having first been approached. Mr. Director of the company so far as witness knew, had ever intimated that any portion of the franchise would or ought to be given up. He attended meetings of the board of directors and did not know that the board of it had the question of relinquishing over been mooted.

The court then adjourned pending arrangements when the "News" report closed.

Fined for Cruelty to Animals.

O. S. Hooker, arrested a few days ago on the charge of cruelty to animals, was adjudged guilty by Justice of the Peace Morris Kimball today and fined $14.

Hooker was engaged in the pre-histoon and worked a horse with sore hoes. He was arrested on the complaint of Dr. T. R. Beale, president of humane society.

Held for Robbing Eureka Post Office.

A hearing in the case of the United States against Ed Hoffman, charged with robbing the post office at Eureka on the 16th of this month, came on for hearing before Commissioner Rolapp this morning. Postmaster Friend of Eureka and City Marshal G. J. Hoagland were the witnesses for the prosecution, after which Commissioner Twohey bound the prisoner over to the United States court in the sum of $2,000 to appear for trial. Hoffman failed to give bonds and was taken to the county jail.

District Court Notes.

Affidavit of Minor has been admitted to practice in the State Supreme court.

Elias Van Dewater has filed an action for divorce against Gilbert Van Dewater, charging desertion. The complaint the parties according to the complaint were married at Aberdeen, S. D., in 1888.

In the case of Whitney vs Deamer at a judgment by consent was given plaintiff for $500 and interest at 1 per cent per month from Nov. 24, 1896.

Prevent Pneumonia

Prevention is always better than cure, even when cure is possible. But so many times pneumonia is not cured that prevention becomes the natural act of that instinct of self-preservation which is "the first law of nature." Pneumonia can be prevented and is often cured by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

"Some years ago I had a severe cold and was threatened with pneumonia. I could neither eat nor sleep, and was in a wretched condition. I procured a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and took it according to the directions, and at the end of fifteen days so as well and good as before the attack. I feel confident that it is many cases of pneumonia since, and have never known it to fail in effecting a cure."

JOHN HENRY, St. Joseph, Ia.

"I was attacked with a cold that settled on my lungs, and defied the skill of my physicians so that they considered me incurable. At last I began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and was entirely cured after having taken two bottles."

FRANCISCO A. REVERIANO, Tucson, Ariz.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

is put up in half-size bottles at half price—50 cents.

Uncle Sam's Opinion.

The only way to give an expression of opinion in this country is by a popular vote. Where the people express their views on any question of national policy they do it at the ballot box. In the matter of baking powder the people show by their purchases. Those who prefer a preparation are certain to choose that which they think is the best. That is why our U. S. baking powder has grown so popular. People prefer to buy what they think, after a trial, is the best baking powder on the market.

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6 OUNCE CAN	10c
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Remember, every can guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Why not give it a trial?

HERE FOR SHERMAN.

Detective Quigley of Oakland Will Leave With His Prisoner Tomorrow Evening.

Detective Quigley, who left Oakland, Cal., Monday morning, with a requisition for John L. Sherman arrested here Sunday charged with embezzlement, arrived in the city this morning and will leave tomorrow evening with his prisoner.

The detective identified his man this morning at the station, and later went to the governor's office, where Attorney General Hammond examined the requisition. This is Mr. Quigley's first trip, and he is pleased at Chicago and he is naturally much interested in what there is to be seen here.

Foreign Corporations.

Attorney General Bishop transmitted an opinion today to Secretary of State Hammond on the question of fees to be charged a foreign corporation doing business in the state prior to the enactment of section 998 Revised Statutes, and which has amended its articles and increased its capital stock to double the former amount.

The question was whether to charge twenty-five cents on each one thousand dollars of the increase or only the nominal sum of $10.

The opinion of the attorney general is that the intention of the Legislature was that the charge of 25 cents per $1,000 of the increase be charged, as to the contrary would give foreign corporations an advantage over home corporations. The attorney general added:

"While the question is one not wholly free from doubt, the opinion I am inclined to the opinion that the better plan for you to pursue would be to require the payment of twenty-five cents for each one thousand dollars of increase of capital stock and leave the parties to institute proceedings in the court if aggrieved thereby, and then settle the question judicially."

Candidate for Commissioner.

D. B. Brinton of Big Cottonwood is announced as a candidate for county commissioner before the Republican convention which meets in this city tomorrow. Mr. Brinton is well known throughout the county and has many friends.

Abatement of a Nuisance.

Attorney General Bishop in answer to the chairman of the State board of health, T. D. Beatty, regarding the abatement of a nuisance in the shape of an open sewer in the town of Harrisville, Weber county, says that the county should be in the enjoy of an action upon the relation of the board of health, if the case should be against the party or parties so presenting this nuisance, or compel the abatement of the nuisance and in addition, exercise the continuance thereof.

DOINGS IN THE POLICE COURT

E. W. Mason was arrested at 2:15 this morning for drunkenness. When his case was called up this afternoon he was not present, and his $5 bail was declared forfeited.

John McFarland, charged with a similar offense, was also absent, but had a hearing and was discharged.

Margaret McGregory was arrested yesterday for disturbing the peace. In the police court today her case was dismissed.

Goldie Ludlow and Mabel Collins were brought in for prostitution.

Louis Hoesch, the Cullen porter, who so unceremoniously beat George E. Evans in front of the hotel yesterday, was in court this morning before Justice Timmony time this afternoon.

From the Mission Field.

Elders J. W. Telford and James S. Stanley of Beautiful, Davis county, called on the "News" Tuesday, having just returned from the Southern States mission field. They labored in the North Carolina conference. Elder Stanley left home on the 15th of January, 1896, while Elder Telford made his departure December 2, 1896. They report everything prosperous and speak in the highest terms of the treatment accorded them. Before returning they visited Washington, New York, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Chicago.

Elder H. R. Rupp of the Fifth ward, this city, made a pleasant call on the "News" today, having returned on Monday last from the Northern States mission field. Elder Rupp left home Aug. 22, 1896, and labored while away in the state of Wisconsin, where he reports Church work progressing nicely. He has a good word for the people of Wisconsin, and that generally they are good and hospitable to the Mormon Elders. Elder Rupp enjoyed good health and felt well while laboring in the ministry. Accompanying his home was Elder Andrew Larson of Moroni Piasant, who left at the same time and labored in the same field with a similar experience.

AMUSEMENTS.

The repetition of Held by the Enemy, at the Theater last evening, by the Henderson company, was not as largely attended as on the opening night. This evening a change will be made to Young Mrs. Winthrop, this half being given in the engagement with on Thursday night.

Henry Miller, who will be at the Salt Lake Theater Monday night in the new play Heartsease, is being lauded in prominent home towns in leading centennies, and as each had become a favorite with the wife and women of his audiences, in The Wife, Shadows, The Masquerader, Gungaree and Saving the Wind, he had taken pains to display as much virility and genuine exhibition of heroism in depicting the emotions of his roles, that a feeling of intense satisfaction possessed his audience. Mr. Miller is making his first tour in six years, and he is a favorite, but he has proven his power in comedy work here on many occasions, and it will doubtless appear that the laurels given to Jefferson have changed not devoured. The arrangement of Mr. Miller's opportunity, for Heartsease, which will be produced Monday night and Wednesday matinee, is The Master Tuesday night, and A Marriage of Convenience Wednesday night.

It is reported that Lillie Laverne, now playing The Lovely with Francis Wilson, is a native of Ogden, and was born as "Mrs. Bandolph," in Clay Chandler's New Dominion, well known here. Miss Laverne is Mrs. Wilson's leading woman. This clever actress should succeed as a stellar attraction.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Salt Lake Temple.

In order to accommodate the Saints who will come to the approaching General Conference, baptisms will be performed in the Temple on Monday, Oct. 3rd, and the other ordinance work on Tuesday, 4th and Wednesday, 5th and 6th.

The building will close on the evening of Oct. 5th and reopen the following Monday, Oct. 10th.

LORENZO SNOW,
President.

Relief Society Conference.

The general conference of the Relief Society will be held in the Assembly Hall, Salt Lake City, Wednesday, Oct. 5, 1898, commencing at 10 o. m. and 2 p. m. as usual. It is desirable that each Stake organization of the society be represented by the president or an authorized representative. All members of the society and of the Church are most earnestly invited. The proceedings of the conference are open to all interested in charitable or philanthropic work.

EMMA R. H. YOUNG,
President.
JANE S. RICHARDS,
BATHSHEBA W. SMITH,
Counselors.
E. B. WELLS,
Secretary.

A MILL CREEK BLAZE.

A Small Boy Strikes a Match With the Usual Results.

Robert Harmon of Mill Creek was made a victim yesterday afternoon of the old story "a small boy and matches are a dangerous combination." One of Harmon's playful and persistent little sons struck a match in the hay mow, about the yard. There was an immediate conflagration, and despite the efforts to extinguish it, one hundred tons of hay, a stable, thirteen pigs and other property were soon destroyed. The loss was complete and will fall heavily upon Mr. Harmon's ten children.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair tonight and Thursday warmer.

WEATHER REPORT.

Weather report showing observations at 8 a.m. today:

Salt Lake—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 52; minimum, 34; wind, east, 10 miles per hour; clear.

Baker City—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 52; minimum, 36; wind, northeast, 10 miles per hour; clear.

Cheyenne—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 34; minimum, 32; wind, northeast, 10 miles per hour; snow.

Havre—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 46; minimum, 40; wind, west 4 miles per hour; clear.

Helena—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 42; minimum, 32; wind, southwest, 6 miles per hour; clear.

Miles City—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 52; minimum, 40; wind, south, 10 miles per hour; clear.

Havre Falls—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 48; minimum, 40; wind, southwest, 8 miles per hour; clear.

Winnemucca—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 46; minimum, 34; wind, south 4 miles per hour; clear.

Roseburg—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 34; wind, southwest, 6 miles per hour; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 40; wind, southwest, 6 miles per hour; clear.

Walla Walla—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 38; wind, southwest, 6 miles per hour; clear.

Boise—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 46; minimum, 34; wind, southwest, 6