DESERET EVENING NEWS

To-day's Quotations.

SILVER, Bar. 59
LEAD, 3.70

WEATHER REPORT.

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

Salt Lake—Barometer, 29.61; temperature, 31; mercury, 30; wind, south, 19 miles per hour; cloudy.

General and local forecasts for 36 hours ending 8 p. m. tomorrow:

For Utah: Forecast made at San Francisco:

Occasional local snow tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight.

For Salt Lake City and vicinity: Occasional local snow tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight.

J. H. SMITH,
Observer, Weather Bureau.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The City Council meets tonight.

Eight days more and the Legislature will be in session.

The board of education must soon elect a new superintendent.

The children winded at last evening and yesterday created havoc with sleighing and skating.

The handsome white stone residence of Hon. Thomas Kearns will probably not be completed before spring.

These are days when every member-elect of the Legislature is being overwhelmed by candidates for divers places of trust.

On Monday evening next Dr. Orson Howard of the university faculty lectures at the laboratory building on "Facts and Fictions in Natural History."

German residents of the city to the number of from 200 to 60 gathered at the Eighth ward meeting house last evening and enjoyed themselves with music, speechmaking and social converse.

A very enjoyable social was given in the Fifth ward meeting house last evening under the auspices of the Sunday school. On Thursday evening, the 12th inst., the young ladies of that ward will give a genuine old-time party.

A man who witnessed the sinking of Cleveland's yacht in Santiago harbor died yesterday in Salt Lake, on route to San Francisco. He was Thomas Holt, boatswain's mate in the navy. He was more than 13 years in the service.

The board of control of the Utah Historical society has will meet this week to make arrangements for the annual meeting of the society, which occurs next month. The annual gathering addresses will be delivered by Governor Wells, Don Maguire, Professor Talmage and Mrs. Myrtle Tanner Maynard.

The skating rabbits last yesterday was a big affair. A large number of Salt Lake sportsmen made the run over the Short Line, leaving here at 5 a. m. and reaching the hunting grounds three hours and a half later. In all 1,320 rodents were slaughtered and brought to the city on the evening train and distributed among the poor today.

Warden Dow of the State prison has filed with the State board of corrections his biennial report, together with statistics and reports of the various departments for the two years ending December 31, 1898. There are numerous interesting one. It shows that there were in confinement, December 31, 1896, 1,000 male and 50 female prisoners. There were received during 1897, 116, discharged, 81, and during 1898, received 90, discharged 90, leaving prisoners in confinement, December 31, 1898, 1,025, 1,000 males and 50 females. The report then gives the value of prison property, which in round figures is $31,962.56, the improvements made for the two years, etc., and concludes by recommending the making of certain improvements.

The Young Men's Christian association gave a most pleasant and elaborate reception in its elegant and commodious quarters in the Utah National bank building last evening and yesterday afternoon. The rooms were very prettily decorated with evergreens and the Y. M. C. A. colors of royal blue and white, and numerous musical, general housekeeping and social converse characterized the occasion. Preliminary to the reception the athletic division of the association entertained those present by wheelbarrow, camel and other races, while a game of basketball was participated in by Messrs. Genter, McClarke, Patton and Banks, resulting in victory of the latter gentleman by a score of 21 to 16. In the evening High Jupeets, Elvie Smith, Jack Dean, Will Gutherie and Fred Dean gave an entertaining exhibition performance in the shape of high kicking, horizontal and parallel bar work.

PERSONAL.

Wm. White of Draper is in town.

H. Goff of West Jordan is in town.

James Sadler of Big Cottonwood ran up from the south this morning.

T. A. Cooper of West Jordan is among the Salt Lake merchants today.

Thos. H. Cutler, general manager of the Utah Sugar company, is in town today.

Bishop John C. Sharp of Vernon is in town. He reports a scarcity of snow in his district.

D. Dossby, manager of the thriving Riverton Commercial company, is sojourning in the city today.

Seven Hansen, the prosperous proprietor of the Hansen Cold Storage packing plant, is in the city.

F. D. Kimball, manager of McCornick & Co.'s branch bank at Mercur, is visiting various institutions today.

A. G. Glasgow, Esq., of the board of education, who has been severely ill for some time past, has improved so that he was able to be in his office a short time today.

George T. Odell, general manager of the Crook Wagon & Machine company, arrived from the east yesterday, accompanied by his daughter. Mr. Odell brings a rosy report of trade matters in the East. He says he visited not less than twenty-five factories, and everywhere found them working over time, in fact, he says the outlook for 1899 is better than it has been for any year since the record breaking one in 1892.

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NEW REGIME IN AND OLD ONE OUT.

Officers Chosen at the Last Election Now at the Helm.

IN ALL COUNTY AFFAIRS.

Personnel Practically the Same as Before—Greatest Change in the Sheriff's Office.

Yesterday witnessed the reduction into office of all of the county officers chosen at the November election. The personnel of the different departments is, however, practically unchanged. In the county commissioners office is a new official in the person of ex-State Senator George M. Whitaker. Mr. Hall was the retiring member, and at a monthly yesterday was given a vote of confidence by his colleagues.

County Clerk Dunbar was his own successor. The only change he made in his department was the naming of Frank J. Hawkings as deputy in succeed Albert Spencer, deceased. County Treasurer Lynch's assistants are the same as heretofore. County Auditor West stepped into the place filled for the past two years by Mr. Margaret Caine. Recorder Jennings, who lost his ticket at the election, has made Union Gibbs his chief deputy, vice Arnold Stolz. In the office of County Attorney Quinn will remain all of his assistants. Wilkes, as surveyor, has appointed James M. Pratt, Attorney Putnam, who succeeds Waldemar Van Cott, has made Walter F. Gunter his chief deputy, whom he succeeds in the same place will be the same. Sheriff Hurwitz has made the greatest change of any of the county officers perhaps. He has as his assistants Marcellus S. Woolley, chief deputy, civil deputies John Moroney, Jr., and John Macfoll, criminal deputies, John B. Cummock and Jim Harrier, bailiffs, Sam Dunn and David K. Jones, city jailer, Thomas F. Howells Jr., night jailer, Nick Gulbransen.

The terms of the new officers and their appointees, together with the plurality received by each is as follows:

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Armstrong (D.)	5,647	1,816
Barlow (D.)	5,661	1,830
Whitaker (D.)	5,014	1,207
Wilson (R.)	3,807	
Cannon (R.)	3,831	
Brown (R.)	3,804	
Hall (P.)	1,217	
Smith (P.)	1,207	
Valentine (P.)	191	

COUNTY CLERK.

Dunbar (D.)	5,901	1,744
Graham (R.)	7,157	
Stolz (P.)	412	

COUNTY TREASURER.

Lynch (D.)	5,314	2,403
Park (R.)	2,911	
Beveridge (P.)	587	

COUNTY AUDITOR.

West (D.)	5,841	2,016
Fisher (R.)	3,825	
Silver (P.)	597	

COUNTY RECORDER.

Jennings (D.)	5,319	2,777
Earl (R.)	2,542	
Hansen (P.)	615	

COUNTY ASSESSOR.

Quinn (D.)	5,746	1,441
Groesbeck (R.)	4,305	
Eriksen (P.)	592	

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Wilkes (D.)	5,615	1,399
Lemon (R.)	2,426	
Bryant (R.)	2,216	
	613	

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

Putnam (D.)	5,871	1,791
Smith (R.)	2,180	
Gray (P.)	418	

SHERIFF.

Howells (D.)	5,529	1,339
Castle (R.)	1,228	
Harrison (P.)	422	
Lewis (Soc.)	332	

CHIEF JUSTICE BARTCH.

Returns from the East and Talks of Politics and Circuit Court.

Chief Justice Bartch of the State Supreme court has returned from a two weeks' trip East. The cities visited by Justice Bartch included Washington, New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and Scranton.

Justice Bartch was seen by a "News" representative today and said he had spent a most enjoyable time. The Roberts question is very much discussed in Washington and New York. Justice Bartch was very much sought after by newspaper correspondents and others and questioned concerning the political situation in Utah.

Referring to the bill to create an additional judicial circuit, to be known as the Tenth, Justice Bartch said it had been reported by the judiciary committee of the Senate and by that committee to the attorney general. Similar bills have been introduced by Congressman King and Senator Teller, but they are all in state one. The proposed new circuit includes Utah, Utah, Wyoming, Idaho and Montana.

RECOVERED BER CHILD.

Mrs. E. Atkins of Carson, Nev., is a happy woman today. Owing to domestic troubles she obtained a divorce from her husband, a Nevada mining man, and was awarded the custody of her child by order of the court. The child, however, was taken away by Mr. Atkins and sent to this city where he was placed under the care of Mrs. Fox, 214 south Second south.

Mrs. Atkins arrived here several days ago and proceeded to place her case before Judge Zane. Upon the opinion the justice of her claim, very reluctantly and he could not help her. The fair complainant acted independently and done to the Firm residence last evening. She entered the house and, after a parley, carried off the little one amid the very eyes of Mrs. Fox. The little lady, very much, proceeded post-haste to police headquarters, where the chief likewise informed her that he could do nothing in the case. Mrs. Atkins left the Nine House, where she has been staying, last night and her recovered darling, and is said to have taken the train to Nevada.

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