

A 'SLOW WEEK' IN BUSINESS.

Little Activity in the Lines of Trade the Past Ten Days

IT WAS GENERALLY QUIET.

Some Big Real Estate Deals in Hand, but Nothing Definite—Building and Trades Council.

The past week has been what business men call a "slow one." Trade has been quiet in all the lines. Some big real estate deals, two at least, are in hand. What the outcome will be in relation to them, will take two or three weeks to determine. It is said that the cold blustering weather of the past few days has much to do with the inactivity that is so prevalent.

Building projects are also moving slowly. Men who contemplated the erection of structures of various kinds, are, like the architects and contractors, waiting to see if the Building Trades' Council will enforce its formal threat and notification to prohibit union men from working with non-union laborers, or the latter with the former, after May 1st. Until this question is definitely decided little new building activity will be displayed.

WHY WOOL IS LOW.

A Well Known Dealer Advances One Substantial Reason.

"How is the wool market in Utah?" was asked a leading dealer by the "News" today. "Don't ask me, it is just like it is all over the country. There is practically no market at all." "Do you mean to say that it is still declining—that prices are getting lower?" he was asked.

"That is just what I do mean. Prices are getting lower. The quotations from the east do not give the exact status of the market. Manufacturers seem to be pursuing the policy of buying from hand to mouth, or in other words, as they need wool. The quotations seem to mean about 11 cents for Utah wool, but the actual price is only a coxing 8 or 9." "Well, there are more reasons than one. First, there is an over supply of wool in the country. Why, go with me up to Z. C. M. I. and I will show you very quickly. You will see there that exactly what can be seen all over the country—that millions of yards of outgoing flannel, without a single thread of wool, has taken the place of the wool fabrics we one time used to make night dresses for our little folks, and which were used for numberless other things. Then go into a first-class clothing house and you will find that seventy-five per cent of every suit of clothes turned out, is minus the least bit of wool in its composition, and yet it will take an expert of experts to detect that these self same suits of clothes have not wool in them. It is cotton, cotton everywhere. Cotton is ACTUALLY KING, and he is a monarch, too, who is constantly spreading his dominion among civilized men. That is one reason, a big reason, the principal reason, why wool is low."

GRAIN AND FLOUR.

Bad Roads Check the Handling of Wheat by Team.

There has been a good demand for wheat during the week closing today though heavy roads caused by bad weather, has checked the receipts. The usual amount has come in over the railroads but very little has been brought by team. Good white wheat, carload lots is bringing from \$2 to \$3 cents per bushel and good red wheat from \$2 to \$1 cents.

There has been a brisk demand for oats, and the white variety is going at \$1.50 per hundred weight while the mixed is selling for \$1.25. All is not as peaceful among the millers as might be. The prevailing price

BUY THE BEST.



Three Crown flouring extracts are made direct from the fruit, thereby retaining their natural perfect flavor. Three Crown spices are pure and fresh, right from our own mills. Three Crown baking powder is pure, strong, and economical. Price 25 cents per pound. Ask for these brands and refuse all others.

Hewlett Bros. Co.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

of flour is \$1.50 per hundred to the stores for high patent; \$1.25 for straight grade and the same for Bakers' No. 1.

THE B. Y. TRUST.

Held One Meeting This Week—Another Set for April 1st.

The Brigham Young Trust company, which owns more than three-quarters of a million dollars worth of business property in this city, held an important meeting during the week, and authorized the payment of \$10,000, a part of its general mortgage, and transacted some other business preliminary to the regular decennial meeting of the stockholders, which has been called to be held on Monday, the first day of April, 1901, at the office of the president, 25 east 100 South Temple street, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

At this latter meeting the question of amending the articles of incorporation so that the board of trustees will consist of nine members instead of twenty-one will be considered; also the proposition that the terms of office of the trustees and officers shall be one year instead of ten as heretofore. Some other matters less important in their nature will also receive consideration. The B. Y. Trust is probably the only business concern in the United States that holds decennial instead of annual meetings. The reason for this arrangement was that the stockholders, years ago, were desirous that the stock should remain as nearly as possible in the hands of the heirs of President Young. So many changes and transfers, however, have been made, but it is now deemed advisable to at least consider the question of amending the articles of incorporation as indicated. The officers of the company are: George Q. Cannon, president; Brigham Young, vice president; N. W. Clayton, secretary and treasurer; Charles S. Burton, N. W. Clayton, William A. Rossiter, executive committee; and Lawrence H. Young, agent.

UTAH SUGAR PEOPLE.

Going from Various Sections Here to Grand Junction.

Commissioner of Immigration A. A. Miller writes to the Deseret News from Grand Junction under date of March 15th as follows:

"Gentlemen:—It is due to you to say that good results are apparent from the use of your columns, and that many Utah people will be here this spring. They are coming from quarters remote from the sugar factory locations in Utah. Their interest was seemingly aroused by the success which has attended the growing of beets by their brethren and by the opportunity which is here afforded them to acquire homes on cheap land that will bring them handsome returns from the outset. We will need all the farm hands that will come here this year. There are

many well-to-do people here who will grow beets as a business when it is possible to hire competent irrigators. Our sugar company has taken hold of the work also, and industrious people will be taken care of upon their arrival, with or without notice that they are coming. The lands and houses will be provided, and the work can be commenced without any delay, either on the lands of the company or on lands which they may buy without having to pay anything on them this year. They will have five years in which to pay for them at 10 per cent interest after the first year. No interest will be charged the first year.

The largest acreage in the history of the factory is now being contracted.

SUGAR FACTORY FAKE.

Henry Dinwoodey Not Connected With Plant at Utah.

Some of the Salt Lake papers have published a story to the effect that an immense sugar factory was being planned, to be built at Wintah and that Hon. Moses Thatcher and Henry Dinwoodey were among the men backing the project and that agents were in the field contracting with the farmers for a supply of beets. An unsuccessful attempt was made to see Messrs. Thatcher and Dinwoodey yesterday. The former was out of the city and the latter was not at his office at the time the "News" man called. He was seen today, however. Mr. Dinwoodey said that he knew nothing of any such project. He could not say whether a factory was to be built at Utah or not, but certainly he was not associated with any such enterprise.

Mr. L. S. Hills of the Deseret National bank in speaking of the matter to the "News" today said of course he could not state definitely whether Mr. Thatcher was connected with the project, but did not think he was.

SEARS' SALT PLANT.

Inland Crystal Did Not Take Up Its Option—Another is Given.

The Inland Crystal Salt Company did not take up its option on the Isaac Sears salt plant near Lake Shore yesterday as anticipated. Until late in the day it was thought that it would, but the reason best known to itself failed to act. Whether this means continued competition in the salt business is not definitely known, but the indications seem to be that that is just what it does mean, particularly as Mr. Sears has, it is understood, now given an option to Pacific coast capitalists on the same property. The date of this, however, is not divulged, and beginning tomorrow, Mr. Sears will double the capacity of his plant.

THE COMMERCIAL.

Preparations Being Made to Entertain Chicago's Big Financiers.

Extensive preparations are under way on the part of Salt Lake business men to receive and entertain the Chicago Commercial club, which will spend Sunday, the 24th inst., in this city. As is well known, this club comprises a numerical membership of exactly sixty—no more, no less.

More than 100 letters have been sent out to leading business men formally notifying them of the coming of the club and the importance that attaches to the event in seeing that it receives a proper reception in Salt Lake. The committee consists of George T. Odell, president of the Commercial club, and chairman; C. Graham of Machine Co., president of the Utah Association of Credit Men; Mr. Odell stated today that a large number of favorable responses to the letter sent out had already been received and that the committee would meet to take further action on Tuesday next.

At that time it is probable that a complete program will be made out. At present this much only is known: That the distinguished visitors will be met at the depot by a local committee and driven hurriedly over the city and shown the main points of interest; that a special concert will be given for them by the Tabernacle choir, led by Prof. Stephens, at 1 p. m., accompanied by Prof. McCallister; luncheon at the Alta club and a visit to Salt Lake as the guests of President Snow. The journey will continue its westward journey in the evening.

SALT LAKE BANK CLEARINGS.

The clearings of the week just ending exceed the amount for the same week last year by \$630,453.09. The clearings for the week amount to \$2,557,854.72 against \$2,227,401.63 for the same week last year. Today's clearings were \$269,180.85 against \$401,444.89 for the same day of last year.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORT.

March 15, 1901.

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Same day last year 401,444.89

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ORE AND BULLION REPORT.

MCCORMICK & CO.

Silver and lead ores 18,900

LAND ENTRIES.

Original Entry, March 15, 1901.—John D. Williams, Kanarra, 160 acres, range 11 west, township 23 south, range 11 west.

Isaac Glaser, Halper, 40 acres, section 17, township 12 south, range 9 east.

Final Entry, March 6, 1901.—Joseph D. Redford, Marysville, 160 acres, section 22 west, township 28 south, range 3 west.

Jenkins A. Evans, Jr., Parowarf, 150 acres, section 3, township 34 south, range 9 west.

Edwin M. Ford, Kanab, 160 acres, section 4, township 44 south, range 6 west.

Joseph J. Shields, Ritter, 120 acres, sections 30 and 31, township 1 south, range 2 and 3 west.

Niels Mathiasen, Riverton, 160 acres, section 22, township 3 south, range 1 west.

PEOPLE WHO ARE PASSING.

Ex-Attorney General Bishop, Colonel F. W. Tatlock and D. S. McCurdy returned yesterday from Washington, D. C. They were at the second inauguration of President McKinley and all say that they had a thoroughly enjoyable time and that they saw Senator Kearns, who treated them very courteously. "Senator Kearns is making many friends at the capital and will be able to do much good for Utah before his term expires," said Mr. McCurdy. "He is very much in touch with the administration and for a new Senator has an extensive acquaintance among the prominent people."

Judge Marshall left last evening for Denver to be gone two weeks on some important legal business there. Among the visitors who registered at the Knutsford yesterday were Sergeant John F. Kenny of Philadelphia; Sergeant Charles A. Marshall, of Philadelphia; and Private J. F. Conway of Boston. These three gentlemen are just

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

OF THE

Utah Sugar Co.

Salt Lake City, March 15, 1901. Certificates for the stock dividend on this date will be delivered on the 20th inst.; the certificates are issued but await the signature of the president or vice president, who are unavoidably absent from the State. HORACE G. WHITNEY, Secretary.

returned home from the Philippines, where they served the United States as volunteer cavalrymen in the Eleventh volunteer regiment.

Adam Song of Kansas City is at the Knutsford, on route home from the coast. He is connected with the Inland Salt company, and will spend several days in Salt Lake going over salt affairs with Colonel Clayton.

H. M. Robertson of Johnston, Pa., was at the Knutsford last evening. He stated that Johnston has completely recovered from the great disaster of 1889, when the city was devastated and many thousands of people drowned by the breaking of the reservoir dam. He says the city is gaining in size and importance every year and that the Cambria Iron Works, which is located there, expended \$2,000,000 in improvements during the past two years. The great reservoir has never been rebuilt and a railroad has secured right of way through it.

St. V. LeSueur of Provo and W. C. Brooker of Heber City are guests at the Walker House.

F. Klepetho, a prominent smelting and mining man of Anaconda, Montana, is a guest at the Knutsford. He is accompanied by his wife. E. A. Hartenstein of the City Council has left last night for California on a pleasure trip.

TO PREVENT PNEUMONIA AND GRIP Laxative Broom-Quinine removes the cause.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Regular services of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock in the Sunday schools in the various wards at 10 a. m., and meetings in the city hall at 8 o'clock in the morning and 8 o'clock in the evening in the various wards as follows:

TIME	WARD	TIME	WARD
First..... 10:00	First..... 10:00	Eighteenth..... 8:00	Eighteenth..... 8:00
Second..... 10:00	Second..... 10:00	Nineteenth..... 8:00	Nineteenth..... 8:00
Third..... 10:00	Third..... 10:00	Twentieth..... 8:00	Twentieth..... 8:00
Fourth..... 10:00	Fourth..... 10:00	Twenty-first..... 8:00	Twenty-first..... 8:00
Fifth..... 10:00	Fifth..... 10:00	Twenty-second..... 8:00	Twenty-second..... 8:00
Sixth..... 10:00	Sixth..... 10:00	Twenty-third..... 8:00	Twenty-third..... 8:00
Seventh..... 10:00	Seventh..... 10:00	Twenty-fourth..... 8:00	Twenty-fourth..... 8:00
Eighth..... 10:00	Eighth..... 10:00	Twenty-fifth..... 8:00	Twenty-fifth..... 8:00
Ninth..... 10:00	Ninth..... 10:00	Twenty-sixth..... 8:00	Twenty-sixth..... 8:00
Tenth..... 10:00	Tenth..... 10:00	Twenty-seventh..... 8:00	Twenty-seventh..... 8:00
Eleventh..... 10:00	Eleventh..... 10:00	Twenty-eighth..... 8:00	Twenty-eighth..... 8:00
Twelfth..... 10:00	Twelfth..... 10:00	Twenty-ninth..... 8:00	Twenty-ninth..... 8:00
Thirteenth..... 10:00	Thirteenth..... 10:00	Thirtieth..... 8:00	Thirtieth..... 8:00
Fourteenth..... 10:00	Fourteenth..... 10:00	First Branch..... 8:00	First Branch..... 8:00
Fifteenth..... 10:00	Fifteenth..... 10:00	Second Branch..... 8:00	Second Branch..... 8:00
Sixteenth..... 10:00	Sixteenth..... 10:00	Third Branch..... 8:00	Third Branch..... 8:00
Seventeenth..... 10:00	Seventeenth..... 10:00	Fourth Branch..... 8:00	Fourth Branch..... 8:00

Religious services in the German language are held every Sunday morning, at 12 o'clock in Choir Hall, Richards street.

Scandinavian religious meetings are held every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. in Choir Hall Richards Street. Also every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms.

Elder Andrew Jensen, of the Historical Office, will visit the following wards on the 15th inst. and 20th, in the interest of Church history, on the dates here given:

Bingham, Sunday, March 17th.
South Jordan, March 24th.
Granite, Sunday, March 31st.

BIOGRAPHICAL ENCYCLOPEDIA.

The time for receiving sketches, etc., for the Biographical Encyclopedia by Andrew Jensen has been extended till April 15th. Address Parley P. Jensen, Box 1316, Salt Lake City.

Mr. Charles Pike will render a sacred solo at the regular meeting of the Twentieth ward deacons' quorum to be held next Monday evening in the ward vesty.

OTHER CHURCHES.

St. Paul's church, Main and Fourth South streets, Rev. Ellis Bishop, rector; March 17, fourth Sunday (mid lent) in lent; 8 a. m., holy communion; 9 a. m., Sunday school; 11:30 a. m., holy communion and sermon; 6:30 p. m., Bible class by Prof. Marshall; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. Paul's Associate mission, rector, Rev. Ellis Bishop, associate, Rev. R. S. Stringfellow; Rev. Millidge Walker; March 17, fourth Sunday (mid lent) in lent.

St. Peter's chapel, Fifth North and Fifth West streets; 3:00 p. m., Sunday school; 4:00 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. John's chapel, Perkins' addition; 3:00 p. m., Sunday school.

Mill Creek mission, Scott's school house; 4:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

Westminster Presbyterian church, 130 south, Fourth West street, (between First and Second South), Rev. Geo. Bailey, L. E. B. pastor. Morning service at 11 a. m., communion service and reception of new members; evening at 7:30 p. m., "God's Response to the Soul's Longing." Sunday school at 12:15 p. m., "Endeavor Presbyterian" Sunday school, (632 west, First North street) at 1:30 p. m.; junior C. E. at 4:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to these services.

No Negroes Were Burned.

Mobile, Alabama, March 15.—Careful investigation of the report of the burning of sixty negroes in a turpentine camp fire in Baldwin county shows that there is absolutely no foundation for the report. The story was invented by a hater. No Mobile newspaper printed a line of it.

Ellen Terry in "Nance Oldfield."

London, March 15.—Ellen Terry will signalize her first appearance in London after Sir Henry Irving's tour of the provinces by appearing in "Nance Oldfield," at the Coronet theater, March 23. The event will be particularly interesting as the piece to be given is a certain raider in Purcell's "Masque on Love," the pictorial treatment of which

THE COMMONS GREATLY STIRRED.

One Minister Wants London Times Suspended.

VENALITY IN HIGH PLACES.

Charges of the Daily Mail—What Speaker Will Do Is Not Known—Committee Must Guard Itself.

London, March 15.—The members of the house of commons are greatly stirred up by the London Times' alleged breach of secrecy in regard to publishing in advance the government's civil list proposals. A curious feature which has not leaked out in the papers is the implication of the Birmingham Post in the same charges, and there is a half humorous and half serious attempt upon the part of the Irish members to connect Joseph Chamberlain with the affair. The Birmingham Post is one of Mr. Chamberlain's warmest supporters and if the liberals can get this organ punished they will take it as a personal score of the much disliked colonial secretary. A conservative member of parliament informed a representative of the Associated Press that the majority of his party would be delighted to see the London Times suspended for a week, not with the idea of seriously affecting its news service, but with giving it a much-needed lesson.

Mr. Balfour, the government leader in the house of commons, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the liberal leader and Mr. Gully, the speaker, have been consulting together during the week. Among the suggestions which they will consider is one to examine all the members of the civil list committee separately, under oath, and so run down the culprit. The Daily Mail prints an editorial in this connection headed "Unusually Direct Charge of Venality in High Places," in which it says:

"Should the speaker, as he certainly won't, decide to have the Times reporter thrown out of the house, our contemporary would have no difficulty in employing further honorable members or officials to supply it with such news as it may desire to publish. If the committee cannot find powers to act as the guardian of its own honor and to prevent the disclosure of information which is solely in its possession, there is no remedy."

CASTLENE-DE RODAYS DUEL.

They Exchange but One Shot, De Rodays Being Wounded.

Paris, March 15, 4:52 p. m.—In the duel fought today between Count Boni de Castellane and M. de Rodays, the latter was wounded in the thigh. A 5 p. m. La Liberté says M. de Rodays was hit in the right thigh at the first exchange of shots. Count de Castellane was not injured. The duel was then stopped.

5:15 p. m.—The meeting occurred at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Parc des Princes, where many cycling events occurred last summer. The Count de M. de Rodays, whose wound was in the lower fleshy part of the thigh, bled abundantly, but is not seriously wounded.

Cable Chess Match Dates.

London, March 15.—The British chess club has at last settled the question of dates for the international cable chess match. The match between Great Britain and America will be played under the auspices of the British Chess club at London, and the Brooklyn Chess club at Brooklyn Academy of Music, on April 19 and 20, on ten boards.

The chess match between Oxford and Cambridge on the one side, and Columbia, Harvard, Yale and Princeton universities on the other, will be played one week later, namely April 26 and 27. The London end of this contest will be under the auspices of the British chess club, London, and the Knickerbocker Athletic club will again be the scene of play in New York City.

King Edward Rides the Bicycle.

London, March 15.—King Edward, who, after the injury to his knee, was obliged to stop bicycle riding, has resumed that pastime, and has taken up fencing as being the best of antidotes to the increase of sedentary work necessitated by his new state duties. His majesty is often seen cycling between Marlborough house and the Mall. Recently the king attended a west end school and indulged in fencing with great zest. He is said to be a capital swordsman, and uses the foil with considerable skill and precision.

Montreal Killed by Falling Walls.

Montreal, Que., March 15.—During a fire in the wholesale drug house of Leeming, Miles and Company, opposite Notre Dame cathedral, today, the roof forced out the walls. One fireman was killed. The loss will be heavy.

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Marselles Docks Guarded.

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Baby Carriages
AND GO CARTS.

NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE YOUR SELECTION. WE HAVE A VERY LARGE AND BEAUTIFUL LINE THIS SEASON. ALL GRADES AND STYLES. WE CAN SUIT THE MOST FASTIDIOUS, AS OUR VARIETY IS ALMOST ENDLESS. PRICES ARE PLACED AT THE LOWEST POINT. GIVE US A CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

H. DINWOODEY FURNITURE CO.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE IS ENGLISH.

Speaker of Hawaiian House So Rules—Notice of a Bill to Pension ex-Queen Liliuokalani—Eight Hours for Government Employees.

Honolulu, March 9, via San Francisco.

March 16.—Among the arrivals on Wednesday, March 6, was the American bark Star of Bengal, 50 days from Newcastle, N. S. W., with coal. Thirty days out of Newcastle, the coal was discovered to be rapidly heating, and nearly fifty tons had to be thrown overboard to prevent fire setting in.

Agents of the United States bureau of labor are securing information for their department. They state that while wages paid in the Territory of Hawaii are larger than those on the mainland, the cost of living is much greater.

The sessions of the legislature for the past week have consisted principally of the reading of various bills, and the addition of amendments to a number of them. The first concurrent resolution of the legislature was passed. It provided for a committee to study the subject of taxation.

has been entrusted to Gordon Craig, who is Ellen Terry's son. Sir Henry Irving and Miss Terry will open their regular Lyceum season in the middle of April.

ALLIED BUILDING TRADES.

Those of Pittsburgh Will Strike Unless Non Union Men are Discharged.

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, March 16.—Unless the contractors discharge all non-union paper-hangers and decorators at once there will likely be a general strike of the allied building trades in Pittsburgh and Allegheny on Monday. The paper-hangers and fresco painters struck on March 1 for an advance in wages and their places were filled by non-union men. The edict has now gone forth that no non-union men will be permitted to work on any building or in any shop with non-union workmen after today. The trades interested are carpenters, plasterers, steam and gas fitters, electricians, marble workers, painters, the setters and structural iron workers.

RIOTS IN MOSCOW.

Were More Serious than at First Reported.

St. Petersburg, March 16.—The riots in Moscow were more serious than was at first supposed. Several thousand workmen joined the students in erecting barricades, and the workers were encouraged by a hundred female students. The principal scene of the rioting was in the neighborhood of the palace of the Grand Duke Sergius, governor-general. A state of siege has been established in Moscow, where great excitement prevails. Similar disturbances are reported to have broken out at Odessa, Kharkoff, Kieff and other university cities.

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