

SURVIVING WIDOW GUEST OF HONOR

Mrs. Agatha Pratt, in Seventy-Ninth Year, Attends Family Reunion.

CENTENARY OF HER HUSBAND.

Descendants of Apostle Parley P. Pratt Gather at Forest Dale Meeting-house This Afternoon.

At the Forest Dale meetinghouse this afternoon a large assembly of descendants of the late Apostle Parley P. Pratt are celebrating his centenary anniversary. As the guest of honor, there is present his surviving wife, Mrs. Agatha Pratt, the last of those who knew him intimately before his untimely death in 1857.

The feature of the memorial program is an address on the life and work of Apostle Pratt by Elder Orson F. Whitney. Preceding it is a selection of the hymns, "Come, O Thou King of Kings," composed by Elder Pratt, and during the exercises a number of his other well known hymns will be sung. President Nephri Pratt of the Northwestern States mission will deliver an address of welcome, in calling the family reunion to order, and this will be followed by a few reminiscences from Mrs. Agatha Pratt of her husband.

Mrs. Pratt is now in her seventy-ninth year. She is still hale and hearty despite her advanced age, displaying in her remarkable vitality a trait common to the heroic women who crossed the plains in old teams and shared the hardships of life afield in Winter Quarters. She drove her own ox team to Salt Lake in the summer of 1847, arriving here along in the fall. Her descendants number seven children, 45 grandchildren, and 53 great-grandchildren.

INCIDENTS OF EARLY DAYS.

When interviewed today, Mrs. Pratt recalled many incidents of her distinguished husband's career both in public service and in his home life. "Amid all the poverty of his early surroundings," she declared, "he never lost his temper, or reproved a person in a way to leave a sting. As a father the great delight of his life was to gather his children around his knees, and have them sing to him their childish songs, which he dearly loved. In times of famine, when he hardly knew where the next meal was coming from, he always had a meal to spare to a hungry visitor, and perhaps the reason for it was his unbounded faith in God, which made him absolutely trustful of the future. His children numbered thirty, of whom 23 survived him." Recalling the last mission on which Apostle Pratt was called, and during the fulfillment of which he met his death, Mrs. Pratt said that she remembered well the day on which he came to her, in August, 1856, to tell her that he had been called on a mission. "A few days later," she continued, "that he had been to the president's office, and had been set apart for the mission field, by Brigham Young, John Taylor and Jedediah Grant. He went to a meeting in September, blessed a number of his children who had been baptized, and named as Mrs. E. C. Woods of Ogden. After he left we heard from him often through letters, in which he spoke of his great labors and of the faithful friends of the gospel. In one of these letters he expressed the idea that if it were not for the world, and his family he could change worlds, and his joy inexpressible. The news of his death reached us on July 24, while the first presidency were spending a holiday in the mountains of the West. As soon as they reached home they came to see us, and I remember that President Young said: 'Nothing has happened so hard to me as the death of Joseph; Brother Parley has done more good in his short mission than many will do in their entire lives.'"

ALWAYS ALERT.

"Mr. Pratt's mind was always active and alert. He would often get ahead of his team while crossing the plains, and whenever it came camping time he was eager to ride ahead and pick out a location to camp on. Never in his life did he fail to think of all those around him, and to plan for their comfort. When we arrived here he hardly rested a day before he was at work chopping a road through Parley's canyon, and hunting out the resources of the country for the information and good of all."

Following the memorial program this afternoon, a musical program will be given in the evening, to be followed by dancing. At 6 o'clock an intermission will be taken during which refreshments will be served.

COMPANY H. BACK IN LINE.

Composed Almost Entirely of Old Guardsmen It Makes Fine Showing.

Composed almost entirely of old guardsmen, and recruited to its full strength, company H. N. G. U. entered the service last night under Captain Freeman H. Bassett. Captain Bassett left a staff position under Col. Plummer to again head his old company, and a few weeks of active recruiting has proved sufficient to bring the command up to its full strength.

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MRS. AGATHA WALKER PRATT.

Widow of the Late Apostle Parley Pratt, Whose Centenary is Being Observed by His Descendants This Afternoon.

night, Captain Bassett was chosen to read the company, while P. H. Barnes was selected as first lieutenant and Elbert D. Thomas as second lieutenant. Next Wednesday night the company will line up for inspection under Major Hines of the regular army, and it is counted on to make a good showing. The signal corps is another command which is rounding into better form. Field work is expected to start in a few days, and telegraph will be taught as soon as arrangements can be made for it.

Farmers, mechanics, railroads, laborers rely on Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Takes the sting out of cuts, burns or bruises at once. Pain cannot stay where it is used.

MOUNT'S Chow Chow once tried becomes the favorite family relish, and it's all a matter of taste.

FOR A PARK COMMISSION.

Ordinance Creating One for the City Will be Introduced.

An ordinance creating a park commission for this city will be introduced in the city council probably on Tuesday night. The public grounds committee last night decided to recommend the passage of such an ordinance as asked by the Commercial club. The members of the committee will act without delay and will look after the parkings all over the city and thus have it as uniform and pretty as possible.

The streets committee did not take very kindly to the offer of P. H. Morris to sell the city gravel and dirt taken from the streets excavated for paving and maintenance. Morris's offer for the city's own dirt was 10 cents a block for every load hauled more than four blocks from where it was taken from the street and all under four blocks was to be hauled free of charge. The committee agreed to let him 25 cents a load for gravel hauled eight blocks and 5 cents a block for each additional block after that.

The sanitary committee looked over the contract and plans for the handling of the city's garbage by Herman Bamberger and made a few slight changes in the wording of the contract. The bins for loading the garbage in the cars will be 12 feet long and will cover two tracks at the same time. Construction work will be commenced on the bins on Monday and it is expected that the new garbage service will be in operation in about a month.

LORENZO SNOW BETTER.

He Writes From Cairo, Egypt, Regarding Kindness of Col. Holmes.

Mrs. Minnie J. Snow is in receipt of a letter from her son Lorenzo written from Cairo, Egypt under date of March 14. The young man was convalescing from a long illness of typhoid fever, which came nearly costing him his life. Cairo is not very well provided with efficient physicians, and the doctor called to attend Mr. Snow wholly misunderstood the case and almost permitted his patient to die for lack of proper attention.

Finally, however, Mrs. Edwin F. Holmes was successful in procuring the services of a medical man who understood his business, and from the time he was engaged the recovery of Mr. Snow began to assume a definite form.

In his letter, the writer speaks in the highest terms of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, who he says visited him daily at the hospital and were as solicitous for his comfort and welfare as though he had been of their own kin and kind. The departure of the tourists for other parts would be undertaken as soon as Mr. Snow's health would permit.

MRS. E. A. HOOLEY FOUND INSANE

Commission Appointed Yesterday Examines Woman and Arrives at Conclusion.

TO STATE MENTAL HOSPITAL.

Recommends Her Commitment to Provo—Her Two Boys Will be Cared For by the Brother.

Having been adjudged insane after a most thorough examination lasting the greater part of two days, Mrs. Edie Alfredda Hooley was yesterday afternoon committed to the state mental hospital by Judge Armstrong. Mrs. Hooley on Tuesday morning, without an apparent reason, shot and instantly killed her husband, W. T. Hooley, at their home in Waterloo addition. Sup. D. H. Calder of the state mental hospital was called in to examine the woman yesterday afternoon and he agreed with County Physician Calderwood and Dr. Raley, who have conducted the examination, that the woman is insane. He declared that her condition is of the most dangerous type of insanity.

TOLD OF SEPARATION.

Atty. Allen T. Sanford was a witness before the commission yesterday afternoon and told of Hooley and his wife coming to his office and asking any long. The children were in the office with them and when they left Mr. and Mrs. Hooley seemed to be just as friendly as ever.

THREATENED TO SHOOT HIM.

Mina Anderson, a niece of the woman, said that she visited the Hooley home Monday afternoon and that Mrs. Hooley had been crying all day. She had had trouble with her husband. While talking with her the girl declared that her aunt suddenly became angry and declared that she would shoot her husband's brains out before she would let him make her angry again. The woman then cooled down and said that she did not mean that at all and that she would do anything her husband wanted her to do.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

Several other witnesses were examined, after which a closed session was held by the physicians in Judge Armstrong's private office. Mrs. Hooley was put through a physical test and at its conclusion the commission agreed to recommend her commitment to the hospital at Provo.

Her two boys will be cared for by her brother, V. S. Anderson, who took them to the jail yesterday afternoon to bid their mother good-bye. Mrs. Hooley talked to them in her usual calm way about their schooling and not once did she display any signs of her insanity. It was reported that she was going to leave them and would probably spend the remainder of her life in the mental hospital.

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GIRL WARNS SPORTS.

Chicken Fight Broken up Before Officers Could Make Grand Coup.

A report was received at police headquarters last night that a cock fight was about to be pulled off in a barn on Washington avenue, second East between Fifth and Sixth South streets. It was reported that H. F. Hagwood was promoting the event.

Police Officer Bob Golding was deputed to the case and went to the work. He got to the barn without being observed and saw inside a number of sports awaiting for the main event. As there were many in the coupe, Golding decided to call for assistance. He went to a nearby house and called up headquarters by phone. While explaining the situation to the sergeant Golding noticed a little girl in the room and observed that she appeared to be nervous, but he thought nothing about it. This is where Golding made his mistake, for no sooner had he left the room than the little girl rushed out the backway and fled to the barn, where she gave the alarm. Then there was a great commotion. Golding was powerless and also pretty warm under the collar. He saw Hagwood giving quarters back to the spectators with feverish haste. He placed Hagwood under arrest, but when the patrol wagon arrived the spectators had vanished.

The little girl who kept still and then gave the alarm is Mildred, the 12-year-old daughter of Hagwood. As the chicken fight did not take place, the officers are in doubt as to what to do with Hagwood. He was charged with promoting a cocking main, but as there was no fight the officers are puzzled.

Our Grill Room at the Royal Cafe is open daily from 4 to 12 p. m.

JUNE WEDDINGS.

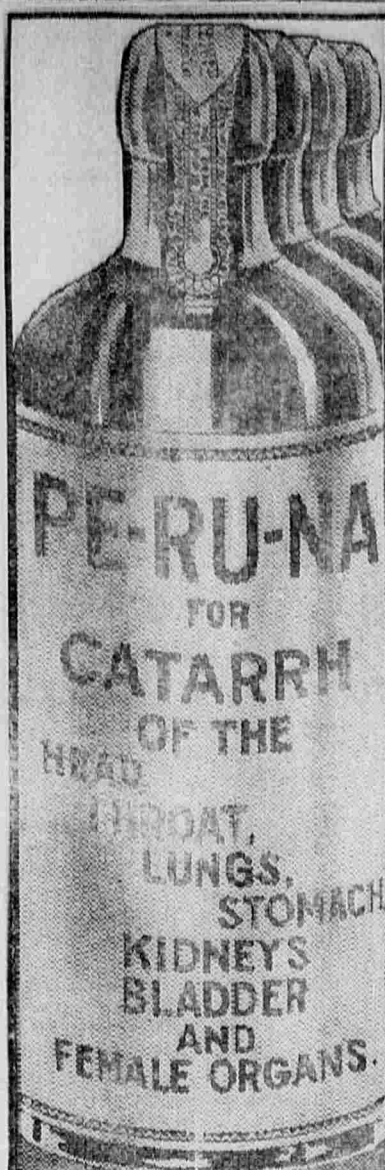
See our new line of announcements and invitations before ordering. THE DESERT NEWS.

KILLED IN ARIZONA.

"Bud" Cashin, Formerly of Salt Lake, Meets With Violent Death.

Dispatches from Bisbee, Ariz., bring the news of the death near that city of William Cashin, familiarly known as "Bud" Cashin, formerly of Salt Lake City. No details are stated, but it is assumed from the language of the telegram that the young man met some kind of a violent death. A similar message was received by his father, W. J. Cashin of Evanston, Wyo., who at once wired instructions that the remains be sent to Evanston.

"Bud" came to Salt Lake in July of last year, and first worked for Joseph Taylor and afterwards in the yards of the Oregon Short Line. At the time of his departure in March of this year, he was employed at the new freight depot of the Salt Lake Route. His death has led to the discovery of his secret marriage, according to one of his friends, who claims that young Cashin was married to Miss Ethel Hagler in this city last September. The bride went to Bisbee early in January of the present year, while her husband did not follow until March 6. From letters of the deceased it is known that he had visited Mexico, but little is as yet known of his more recent movements.



W. A. Mitchell, dealer in general merchandise, Martin, Ga., writes: "My wife lost in weight from 130 to 85 pounds. We saw she could not live long. She was a skeleton, so we consulted an old physician. He told her to try Peruna."

"She gradually commenced improving and getting a little strength. She now weighs 106 pounds. She is gaining every day, and does her own housework and cooking."

ments, and particulars of his death are up to the present unobtainable, although it is thought he was killed somewhere between Bisbee and the Mexican line. Young Cashin was only 21 years old, and was of a kindly disposition and good habits. His parents, dye brothers and two sisters live in Evanston, Wyo.

BURGLARS BUSY.

Jewelry and Other Valuables Stolen From J. E. Malloy's Residence.

While Mr. and Mrs. John E. Malloy were away from their home, 244 west Sixth South street, about 10 o'clock last night, burglars broke into the house and ransacked it for valuables. They stole jewelry and other articles to the amount of several hundred dollars. Two costly set rings and two gold watches were among the plunder taken. The matter was reported to the police and detectives are now at work on the case.

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AT \$3.25 MISSES' WALKING SKIRT, come in pearl gray, brown or black, made with clusters of box pleats front and back, very high class model, material finest French Panama, this skirt is worth \$5.00.

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