

DESERT EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today:

Barometer reading at 6 a. m., 29.981 inches. Temperature at 6 a. m., 49 degrees; maximum, 67; minimum, 45; mean, 56, which is 4 degrees above normal.

Excess of daily mean temperature since Jan. 1, 2.93 degrees.

Precipitation since the first of the month, .90 inch, which is .31 inch below the normal, and .01 inch below the normal for the month.

Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1, .87 inch.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. SATURDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Fair tonight and Saturday; moderate temperatures.

For Utah: (Forecast taken at Denver, Colo.)

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WEATHER CONDITIONS.

An extensive area of high barometric pressure central over Kansas demonstrates the weather conditions west of the Great Lakes to the Pacific coast.

The lowest air pressure was over the southern plateau and R. N. W. Ties.

No precipitation was reported except over the central Canadian provinces.

The temperature changes were slight except a fall of 10 to 15 degrees over portions of Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Illinois and Minnesota.

Continued fair weather with moderate temperature is indicated for this locality.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecaster.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

6 a. m.	49
7 a. m.	45
8 a. m.	45
9 a. m.	45
10 a. m.	55
11 a. m.	60
12 m.	60
1 p. m.	65
2 p. m.	67

YESTERDAY'S RECORD.

Highest	67
Lowest	45

IN PRINCIPAL CITIES.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York, Philadelphia, 47; Boston, 62; Washington, 53; Chicago, 26; Minneapolis, 34; Cincinnati, 44; St. Louis, 40.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS.

THE GREAT COUNTRY PAPER OF THE WEST.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Rev. O. C. Wright lectures this evening in the Baptist church on the Yellowstone Park.

Rabbi Reynolds will preach this evening on "Law, Service and Benevolence" in the Jewish temple.

The one-year-old son of Alfred L. Thatcher died at Logan yesterday, from typhoid fever after a week's sickness.

William George, aged 19, has been arrested on charge of stealing bicycles. He was riding one of the stolen wheels when caught. William owned up.

Prof. C. B. Newton, the California humorist, is entertaining the L. D. S. students this afternoon in Barrett hall. The proceeds will go towards the student athletic associations.

John Ingo, a Highland Boy miner, was brought to the Keck-Wright hospital last evening from Birmingham. His back is injured by a rock falling on him.

Prominent Indian war veterans from Utah county conferred yesterday with the state's representatives in the national legislature relative to securing pensions for the Utah Indian war veterans.

John Clark, a colored boy, was given 60 days in jail yesterday afternoon, by Judge Diehl for working the film flamm game. The boy would run into a store to ask for \$5 change, and when the money was counted out, he would grab it and run. He did this once too often, and was nabbed.

A tar cauldron boiled over yesterday afternoon, back of the Central block, and an incipient conflagration was the result. The department was called out, but the fire was put out before any damage was done. In running to the fire, one of the horse cart horses fell, and was dragged 30 feet. However, he was not injured much.

Mrs. Gray of Canton, Ohio, has made a trip to this city, under the impression that Wade Nichols, an inmate in the state prison, might be the man who slew her brother. Mrs. Gray finds that she was mistaken. After a trip to the penitentiary, for murder of a man named Lowe, who was not Mrs. Gray's brother.

The city missionary union held its semi-annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the state brookside church. There were discussions on the M. W. Society, an interesting paper was read by Mrs. A. J. Gorham on "The Turkish Situation," and these officers were chosen for the ensuing six months: Mrs. P. A. Simpkins, Phillips Congregational, president; Mrs. Gould B. Blakely, Presbyterian, vice president; Mrs. Edwards, Baptist, treasurer; Mrs. Shaw, Methodist, secretary.

O. B. Hewitt, a San Francisco dentist whose son is practicing the same profession in this city, has been arrested in San Francisco on charge of practicing without a license. The doctor states that he has been practicing 20 years, and that his inability to secure a license is due to the action of the state examiners, which has resulted in a dentist in San Francisco being a member of the Dental Protective association, formed of dentists who declare they are unable to get a license from the state board of dentistry.

The majority of them are graduates of the San Francisco Dental college, which is "cut out" by the examiners. The association will make a test case.

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UTAH'S ORATORS TO TALK THRICE.

University Debaters to Tackle the Idaho, California and Colorado Colleges.

MAY GIVE STANFORD A WHIRL.

Local Club Has Written Also to Berkeley to Arrange for a Meeting on the Rostrum.

The coming season promises to be a lively one for the young men who have aspirations for oratorical honors.

The debating club of the University of Utah is already calculating upon holding three inter-collegiate debates this year, and Daniel Alexander, chairman of the debating committee, has been giving the matter much attention.

The contests will probably be between the universities of Idaho and California and Colorado college.

Mr. Alexander has already received a letter from R. W. Overman, president of the debating club of Idaho university, saying that the Idaho people are anxious for another debate in order to try to redeem themselves for their former defeat. The Utah boys are very willing to go, providing the Idaho boys will give them a trip to the north. If they do this the debate will probably take place and will be the final one of the year.

A letter has also been received from F. Sylvester of Colorado college, which is situated at Colorado Springs, offering to hold annual debates with the local university and promising them a trip to Colorado Springs every alternate year. This the local boys are very anxious to accept, and if things can be settled by the end of the month, the university will probably bring the Colorado boys here this year. Although the Colorado institution is a sectarian college, it is quite as large as the local university, and a contest between the two would prove interesting.

Either Berkeley or Stanford will probably be the other contestant. The local club has written to Berkeley but has not yet had a reply, and if that institution declines the challenge, an effort will be made for a contest with Stanford. If arranged, the local university will probably have the contest at Berkeley, and the contest will be held at Berkeley.

It is not expected that there will be any more debates with Nevada for some time.

WILCKEN IMPROVING.

David Wilcken, the state prison guard who was so badly injured while heroically performing his duty during the recent break at the prison, is doing well at the Holy Cross hospital; in fact the nurses are surprised at his rapid convalescence. But he must remain in the hospital for three months, and when able to leave his injured leg will be a little shorter than the other.

Many Mothers of a Like Opinion.

Mrs. Pilmer, of Cordova, Iowa, says: "One of my children was subject to a croup of a severe type, and the giving of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly brought relief. Many mothers in this neighborhood think the same as I do about this remedy and want no other kind for their children." For sale by all druggists.

"IN THREE HALVES."

Claimant for Mythical Salt Lake Property Wants Division.

A. B. Mackay, who was recently heard from Butte, Montana, has written another letter to Constable Hills, of this city, in relation to the division of certain property and money which he imagines he owns in this city and which he wants divided in "three halves." The letter is from San Francisco, and is now in all the money that is in the bank in Salt Lake City. Utah, to make three halves of it. One-half goes to the state of the city; the other half goes to the state of the city; the other half goes to the state of the city.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

Grant's Sake Meetings.

The monthly meeting of the Priesthood of the Granite Stake of Zion will be held in the Farmers' ward meetinghouse, Saturday, Oct. 31, at 10 a. m. The Saints generally are invited.

The High Council meeting will convene upon the same day at the same place at 8 a. m.

FRANK Y. TAYLOR, EDWIN BENNION, JOHN M. CANNON, Stake Presidency.

The regular monthly meeting of the Granite state home missionaries will be held in Mill Creek ward house on Wednesday, Oct. 23, at 7:30 p. m. A full attendance is expected.

WILLIAM M'EWAN, President.

The regular monthly meeting of the High Priests' quorum of the Granite Stake of Zion, will convene in the Farmers' ward meetinghouse, Saturday, Oct. 24, 1903, at 10 a. m.

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THE RUSSELL PROCLAIMS WAR.

Editor Ike Russell of the Stanford University Chaparral, and a citizen of Salt Lake, has recovered from the ducking given him by the junior class, and proclaims war on the life, and the knife up to the hilt with extra thrown in. He prints the assertion that the junior class acts more like a collection of babies than any freshman class that ever entered Stanford.

Junior boys they will give Isaac another ducking, but Isaac's class are now siding with him and a series of rows between the two upper classes is threatened to the dismay of the faculty.

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