FORT CAMERON.

Bill and Petition to Make of It a State Normal School.

FRUIT TREE INSPECTION BILL.

Mrs. La Barbe Introduces a Bill for a Curfew Law in the State.

The subject of the proposed purchase of Fort Cameron, near Beaver, and use it for a State normal school, which has been repeatedly laid before and rejected by former legislatures, was laid before the House this forenoon by Dobson, who introduced a bill authorizing the purchase of the property for the purpose named, and a petition from citizens of Beaver county, asking for the passage of the measure.

The subject of fruit tree inspection is receiving much attention at the present session of the assembly, and several bills relating to it have been introduced. Bennion presented another today, looking to the appointment of fruit tree inspectors and the destruction of insect pests.

Several cities in the State have or have had, curfew ordinances, designed to keep children off the streets at night, but no instance is remembered of a state having such a law. Today, in the House, Mrs. La Barbe introduced a bill for one. What its provisions are we can not be definitely ascertained until it is printed, and there is no telling when that will be; but it is probably in line with the usual legislation upon the subject.

The House Ways and means committee, to a report yesterday, advised the funding of the bond issue of 1893 and 1895, for not more than twenty years, payable in ten or fifteen years, and bearing not to exceed four per cent interest. It is reasonably certain that the new bonds could be floated at that rate, which would effect a marked saving in interest and the funding plan will probably be adopted.

SENATE.

After the joint session yesterday the Senate convened and a communication was received from the House to the effect that they had passed a resolution for Mrs. LaBarbe's high tax bill; referred to the judiciary committee.

Adjourned without transacting any further business.

Immediately upon the coming to order of the Senate this morning, which was twenty-five minutes late, Heiner moved to adjourn. The debate that followed consumed the time until a recess was taken to meet in joint session.

THE HOUSE.

After the dissolution of the joint session, which met at 3 p.m. yesterday, the House had a brief session.

Wilson, from the ways and means committee, reported on the report of the State board of bank commissioners, recommending the limitation of the territorial issues of bonds of 1893 and 1895, "provided said obligations can be funded at not to exceed 4 per cent semi-annual interest and a premium sufficient to pay a sinking fund provided, also, that no obligation be created running longer than twenty years, with ten and fifteen years option of payment." The committee recommended an appropriation of $1,000 to carry out said fund.

The table was taken, and the House adjourned till 11 a.m. today.

Thomson, from the committee on agriculture, reported favorably S. B. 29, making appropriations to the University to the amount of $27,925.46.

The following were introduced:

By Bennion: H. B. 49, providing for fruit tree inspectors and the destruction of insects in orchards.

By Thompson: H. B. 48, to protect employes in certain cases.

By Mrs. La Barbe: H. B. 50, for a curfew law.

By N. C. Stevens: H. B. 51, to provide for inspecting and rejecting brands on cattle shipped by rail.

By Dobson: H. B. 52, relating to state normal school. The bill was accompanied by a petition, which asked the State to purchase Fort Cameron at the price of $100,000, to be used as a branch of the University of Utah for a state normal school.

Shepard, from the judiciary committee, reported the House bill regulating pawnbrokers, recommending that it be laid before the House for its consideration. Adopted.

Thomson raised the point that the journal showed that portions of the rules had been received in manuscripts and did not exist. Shepard explained that the Rules had some committees which the House did not have, and the matter was adjusted by changing a number of references.

Thomson moved a suspension of the rules for the purpose of passing S. B. 29, making appropriations to the University of Utah. The bill had not been printed, and Romney and Thompson objected to passing it until printed. Bennion and Thomson thought printing unnecessary.

During the debate the Speaker signed the legislative salary and the State secretary's fee bills, and before the debate closed the time for the joint session arrived.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Grand.—Another large audience scarcely less in proportion than that of the opening night of the week, witnessed the performance of Carrie at the Grand last night. Miss Bateman seems to have stormed the town, for sale of seats for the remaining performances of the week is exceptionally large, and inquiry at the box office this morning elicited the statement that every row of seats in the house is sold for the balance of the week.

The Old Lime Kiln, C. T. Dazey's amusing sketch, was given for the opening day at Miss Fetzer's engagement at the Salt Lake Theater, which commences next Friday night, and includes Saturday night and Saturday matinee. The Old Lime Kiln is C. T. Dazey's latest production and has met with the same success that characterized his In Old Kentucky and Way of Wealth. Friday night Charles Dickson in the Old Curiosity Shop will be presented, and at the matinee Kenny the Kid.

The Free Kindergarten society has arranged with Mrs. Mountford (nee) Lydia Mamie if an Fluvelette, for a series of lectures to be delivered, under their auspices at the Tabernacle, the first one will be tomorrow night, the next on Sunday evening the 7th, and two others on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Feb. 8th and 9th. The lectures will all be illustrated in some manner and it may have to be remarked that Mrs. Mountford possesses some of the most beautiful dresses of oriental design that have ever been displayed. She lived for twenty-two years in Jerusalem, and since going upon the lecture platform has been all over the civilized world. She has appeared before the crowned heads of Europe and her work has received the warmest praise. She speaks fluently seven different languages, is somewhat over a middle age, and her lectures are always well attended because of her world wide reputation as a speaker.

Lyceum.—The Kerry Gow will be the opening bill of Joseph Murphy's engagement at the Lyceum tonight. It was rumored that Mr. Murphy was ill in San Francisco and would not appear with his company here, but this was erroneous, as Mr. Murphy was here yesterday. He states that he could not play his company at the prices heretofore prevailing at this house, and for this engagement the management have raised the price of reserved seats on the lower floor boxes to the balcony to 75 cents, other seats remaining at the same prices. Kerry Gow will be given for three nights, and a change made to Shaun Rue for the afternoon and evening performances on Saturday.

Mr. Mark Thall, advance agent for the Frawley company, is in town incidentally after the interests of the company, which opens at the Theater on Feb. 15th. He states that the original company that made such an immense hit in Salt Lake last season will come here. This includes Blanche Bates, Madge Carr Cooke, Henry Crosse Clarke, Frank Worthing and the others. The plays to be presented are not yet published in this paper recently with the exception of The Highest Bidder being given for the matinee instead of the Railroad of Love.

James J. Corbett's manager has wired Manager Burton for a date here for a sparring exhibition. The necessary arrangements perhaps will be made.

IN MINING CIRCLES.

Unlisted Stocks Sell Freely in the Pit of the Exchange.

BULLION-BECK STILL CLIMBING.

The Wonder and Its Condition—Mercur Cyanide Shipment—Stockton Ore Samples—Annual Meetings.

This was a good day for the selling of unlisted stocks in the pit of the exchange, quite a number of them recording transfers during the call, although at figures which showed a decline all along the line. The listed stocks were not in it on the trading, but a single share changing hands. Good figures, however, greeted some of the securities in this class.

Anchor received a little from the position of yesterday and was sold for a 95 cents, with the stock as an offering at $1.05. Alex made a slight improvement, although nothing to boast of, while Bullion-Beck ran up to $7.70 in the bidding and stood as an offering at $8.50. The Bluys made no material change and stood almost in the same position as at the previous call. Grand Central was wanted badly at $1.22½ but sellers would not sell the stock under $1.35, the figure at which it was a seller a single share. Mayflower was advanced and received a bid of $1.10 while the stock was offered at $1.35 a share. Mercur was steady, and Sunshine's advanced to $1.02½ in the bidding, with the stock for sale at $2.20. Sunshine's best bid was 70 cents, while Utah Mex was wanted at $1.02½, the closing and last bid for the stock.

The call of unlisted stocks opened with Swansea which had its best bid at $1.62½. Dexter followed with a bid of 9½ cents, but the stock was not offered at any figure. Morgan of Park City made the first sales, the stock changing hands at 18 cents, the lowest point it has reached in the pit. Month Hawkeye sold at $1.32½ and was bid for at $1.50, while more of the stock could have been bought at $1.55. Buckeye was fairly strong but Beatrice added to her record, the latter selling at sales. Little Pittsburg sold at a good figure to the extent of 5,000 shares while Solomon Light sold 10,000 shares. Anaconda also figured in the trading.

The closing figures were as follows:

LISTED STOCKS.

Mines	Bid	Ask
Anchor	1 05	1 15
Alice	60	70
Alliance		
Alpha Consolidated		
Bullion-Beck	7 70	
Commander Chief		
Cardiff Mammoth	3 25	3 50
Daly West	2 40	2 50
Eureka Hill	55	60
Eagle		
Grand Central	1 22	1 35
Horn Silver	3 00	3 25
Iron Silver	1 00	1 05
Mammoth	2 50	2 75
Mayflower	1 10	1 35
Mercur	1 40	1 50
Ontario	7 00	7 50
Ontario Extension		
Opohongo	1 00	1 05
Ontario Prospect	1 25	1 30
Old Hickory	40	50
Old Hickory Extension		
Phoenix Consolidated		
Park City	18	20
Silver King	2 00	2 25
Silver King Extension	10	15
Utah	1 00	1 05

UNLISTED STOCKS.

Mines	Bid	Ask
Apex		
Bullion-Beck	7 70	
Beatrice Hidden Treasure	15	17
Beaver Canyon		9½
Cabinet	8½	12
Daly Mammoth		
Dexter	9½	
Emma Silver		
Hawkeye	1 32	1 50
Little Pittsburg	55	60
Lucky Boy		
Mammoth City		
Mammoth Extension		
Month Hawkeye Gold		
Northern Light	60	70
Opex		
Ontario Extension		
Old Colony Anaconda	3½	4
Rhoda		
Robert		
Solomon Light	1 00	1 45½
Sunshine	2 00	2 20
Sunset Peak	1 00	1 50
Tetro		
Utah Mex	1 00	1 02½
Utah Consolidated		
Valeria	1 30	2

TRANSFERS OF STOCKS.

Fifteen hundred shares of Mercur (Park City) at 18 cents per share; 100 shares Alice at 60 cents; 10 shares Bullion-Beck at $8 flat; 1,000 Cardiff Mammoth at 14 cents and 2,000 at 3 cents; 200 Northern Light at 60 cents; 2,000 Richmond-Anaconda at 3½ cents. Total shares sold, 6,800; selling value of stock, $750.75.

NO ORE YET.

Entitles a Promoter to Report Second-ing the Wonder Property.

News from Mercur yesterday indicated that ore had been encountered in the Wonder property. Secretary Cannon of the company, when seen this forenoon by a Herald reporter, characterized the report as being without foundation. Said he, "There is no truth to it. The miners have not been working in the property for several days past, owing to the putting in of an air compressor. That work is now finished, and the sinking of the shaft has been resumed, but no ore has yet been discovered. The report is rather a premature one, as we have received no such information, but certainly would had such really been the case."

During the sinking of the shaft in this property the indications for ore have been very flattering and it will not be strange if a carload be found at any time that the vein has been struck in the Wonder property. For the present, however, the information is to the latter effect is not true.

WILL REST ON THE TENTH.

Bullion-Beck Directors to Then Decide the Question of Dividend.

On the tenth of the present month the directors of the Bullion-Beck will meet, their purpose being to declare the regular monthly dividend.

A great deal of speculation is at present indulged in, as to how much the payment will be. Some place it at $36,000, while others go as far as to say it will reach $45,000. This, however, is purely speculative, and no importance attached to it.

The Bullion-Beck mine is just now yielding some of its best days and is producing bullion of high grade ore. The daily reports from the mine show it to be a bonanza of the first water, and the stock of the company is now held away up, being largely in the expectations of a stiff February dividend. When it comes it will doubtless be a good one, and one in keeping with the activity with the profits made during the month.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT.

The Mercur Forwards Over $75,000 in Cyanide to Denver.

Manager John Dern of the Mercur mine came in from that property last night. He states that the mine is in fine shape and that the workings there are giving entire satisfaction. Mr. Dern went out to Mercur on Sunday evening accompanied by Mr. Ayers of the Cyanide for the latter referred on Monday but the former remained long enough to make a shipment of cyanides to Germany. The shipment made by Mr. Ayers was for $75,000. George Dern is now out at the mine, making up the monthly payroll.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

The Centennial Eureka and Mammoth Companies Hear Yearly Reports.

The Centennial Eureka company at its annual meeting held in this city yesterday, sent the report of Treasurer W. W. Underwood for the year 1896, which was as follows:

Receipts—	
Balance cash on hand Jan. 1, 1896	$171,372 24
Gross receipts	
Total	
January	$42,040 29
February	37,238 03
March	37,238 03
April	33,918 84
May	36,118 84
June	36,118 84
July	36,118 84
August	33,918 07
September	33,918 07
October	36,118 07
November	36,118 07
December	36,118 07
Total	$436,119 37
Gross from smelter returns	9,553 16
Total	$616,044 77

The disbursements were as follows:

General expenses, including labor, salaries, cost of transportation, sampling, etc.	$429,422 40
Dividends	160,000 00
Total	$589,422 40
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1897	26,622 37
Total	$616,044 77

At the meeting 20,657½ shares of the capital stock were represented. The old board of directors was re-elected as follows: J. F. Woodman, president; J. E. Bamberger, vice-president; W. W. Underwood, treasurer; W. W. Riley and W. C. Stanton. J. E. Anderson was made secretary to the company.

The treasurer's report shows the company to be in a flourishing condition, with a yearly dividend record of $480,000 to its credit and the mine in good shape and under able management.

THE MAMMOTH.

The Mammoth Mining company held its annual meeting yesterday and elected the following directors: William McIntyre, J. L. Cunningham, Steve McIntyre, James T. Little, H. S. Young and W. W. Riter. Of these William McIntyre was elected president; J. A. Cunningham, vice-president; H. S. Young, treasurer, and J. F. Culver, secretary. Following this meeting the directors of Mammoth voted for David Kennedy of New York and W. M. Bradley of this city for positions on the board.

The treasurer's report disclosed the fact that the gross output of the mine and mill for the year had been $471,000, and the net profit in the business $185,000, of which $165,000 had been expended in dividends, while the balance went to the purchase of a new hoist for the mine, to sinking the shaft to the 700 foot level, in the addition of twenty stamps to the mill, in improving the water system and in various other improvements.

Superintendent Nesbit in his report showed that the work of the last month in the mine had been devoted to the development of the property and that work had just begun in the sinking of the shaft from the 1,000 to the 1,100 foot level. The report also stated that when the shaft work was completed and the new hoist was in place the company would be in a position to materially increase the output of milling and shipping ore, and perhaps be able to work a force of 1,200 men.

The mine is said to be in good shape and it is thought that ere long dividends will again materialize.

Ore Samples from Stockton.

At the office of the Mercur company in this city can be seen several samples of ore from a mining proposition located in Stockton, Tooele county. These samples were brought in last Monday by George Dern, who spent a day in that locality looking over a group of claims owned by the Mercur people. What values they contain is not known as they have not been put to the test, but from the appearance of the ore one would be led to the belief that it was fairly good stuff. The samples are simply croppings and show colored stains that appear to hold values. One piece is a kind of white spar, very light and brittle. The owners of this property are parading its development and hope to be able to report a good strike therein in the not very distant future. If the project proves itself worth anything, an incorporation of the company will follow.

PLEASED IN LUCK.

Miners After a Rabbit Discover a Vein of Gold Quartz.

News from Virginia, Nev., to the San Francisco Chronicle tells the following story of a gold find in that vicinity:

"Scotty" McNeil and James Gammie, while hunting near Steamboat Springs last Friday, shot and wounded a rabbit which disappeared in a hole in the ground near by. On digging for it they discovered that there was a vein of quartz beneath the hole. Procuring implements they enlarged the opening sufficiently to admit of exploring, and entering through the excavation found the rabbit in an old tunnel. Hanging on one of the timber timbers was a vest containing $410 in coin, mostly in twenty-dollar pieces bearing date of 1862, and in gold watch. After further exploration an eight-inch vein of quartz, rich in gold, was discovered, a small quantity of which powdered up in a mortar showed $20 in yellow metal. The discoveries immediately filed a notice of location on the ground, and "Scotty" returned to his home here, where he exhibited several fine specimens of quartz taken from the vein and told the story of the treasure found in the west. Gammon, his partner, did not prove so close-mouthed, and imparted to a few acquaintances the story of his good luck. Officers of Reno heard of it, and one them came here yesterday and took "Scotty" to the latter place, where the coin and wind found were turned over to the proper authorities, and "Scotty" was released from custody.

The air in the tunnel is too foul for further investigation until a larger opening is made to ascertain whether the remains of the owner of the vest are there. Pioneer residents of the vicinity are credited with the statement that over thirty years ago two men were mining where the tunnel is located, and that one disappeared. The supposition is that the owners of the vest found was impressed by a caving of the ground and that further exploration will result in the discovery of his skeleton. The news of the discovery of gold one caused a stampede from Reno and vicinity, and the ground near where the find was made is now covered with notices of mining locations.

Dips and Spurs.

Dr. and Mrs. Haslam, of Fremont, Neb., are in the city at present, the guests of their relatives Mr. and Mrs. John Dern.

The Vanderbilt company has levied an assessment of five cents per share on its capital stock, the same becoming delinquent March 8, 1897.

The Mine and Smelter Supply company of Denver has been awarded the contract for furnishing the machinery necessary in the construction of the Highland Boy company's mill at Bingham.

The Utah and Galena dividends are seriously asked for by mining men. The materialization of the latter is thought a certainty but slight doubts exist as to the appearance of the former, owing to the delays which passed by the last two or three months. The Utah Mex is exceedingly strong in the pit, its strength being due mainly to the good reports from the mines.

Mammoth Record Mining Notes.

The heavy snow has delayed ore shipments to the cities.

The Swansea laid off about one half of their force yesterday.

The 25 horse power engine which is being put in at the Southern Queen will be in operation within a week.

John Hayes and P. C. Burke have secured a lease on the south end of the Ajax and will commence work at once.

Pulis Farnsworth, manager of the Horn Silver at Frisco, was through the Mammoth this week in company with President McIntyre.

The Lower Mammoth company have decided to no let the contract for sinking the 200 foot shaft in their tunnel at present, but will continue work in the tunnel.

J. O. Sullivan of Park City, in company with Mr. Cardwell and James Lynch, have secured a lease and bond on the Overland, lying near the Sunbeam. The gentlemen were in Mammoth yesterday arranging to commence development work.

A mining corporation to be known as the Swansea Tunnel company, is being formed with a capital stock of $500,000 consisting of 500,000 shares of ten par value of $1 each. W. M. Moss is to be president and D. B. Speight, secretary pro tem. Several parties interested in Idaho and Montana are also interested in the organization. The object of the company is to develop the previously named tunnel group of claims situated to the quite north of Mammoth. It is the intention to drive a connection the mountain for a distance of 1,500 feet from which point a shaft will be sunk.

EXECUTIVE THANKS.

They Come From Idaho's Governor for a Utah Official's Action.

Hon. A. M. Musser, formerly game and fish commissioner for Utah Territory, has received the following from the governor of Idaho:

"EXECUTIVE OFFICE, STATE OF IDAHO, Boise City, Feb. 1, 1897.

"To Hon. A. M. Musser, Utah Commissioner of Game and Fish, Salt Lake City, Utah:

"It having come to the knowledge of the executive of this state that you have expended your time and taken great interest in stocking the waters of southwestern Idaho with shad, white fish and other desirable varieties of game and fish, and that free of expense to the state:

"Therefore, in behalf of the state of Idaho, for the munificent gifts of fish and the fish fry, and your gratuitous efforts in behalf of the interests of our state in this direction, I feel it incumbent upon me, as chief executive officer of the territory, to return you our sincere thanks and appreciation of your great work for the benefit of future generations in our fish industry.

"In this direction I also desire to express our thanks and appreciation to the railways in furnishing transportation, in connection with your labors.

Very respectfully,
FRANK STEUNENBERG,
Governor.

"Attest: George L. Lewis, secretary of state."

Hon. John Sharp is the State fish and game commissioner now, having been appointed by Governor Wells a year ago.

Elevator Not Running.

Through the cutting off of the wires last night an amount of the big fire, the elevator at the joint building remained inoperative.

The big crowd found it a great inconvenience to climb up so many flights of stairs to the House or Representatives.

Many gave up the idea of walking up, preferring to wait below.

It was amusing to see persons walk up to the cage, ring the bell and wait, and no elevator putting in an appearance would walk off disgusted, showing their wrath upon the head of the new elevator boy.

Ferry & Lowe, 10 W. 2nd South, Mines, Mining and Grain Brokers.

Richard L. Calhoun, Stock Broker, Room 23, 15 W. second So. Tele. 670.

Kenneth Duncan, Stock and Mining Broker, No. 161 Main street. Telephone No. 508.

RECEIVER MOYLE

Of the Western Hardware Company Files a Report Today.

Changes His Name—Bismuth & Co. Sues for Damages—Other Court Matters.

O. W. Moyle, receiver of the Western Hardware company, filed his report with the county clerk today. The report shows the total receipts to be, since his appointment as receiver, $29,611.92, leaving a balance on hand of $27,400.36.

In filing these statements Mr. Moyle represents that one of the assets held by him is a claim of $324.05 against William Jandquist of Rawlins, Wyoming.

"Every effort," he says, "has been made to collect this sum without suit," but that Jandquist had refused to pay any part of the amount.

The report was received and filed and permission given to bring suit for the collection of the alleged account.

Wisconsin Sues the Hansen Co.

The Wisconsin Grocery company has filed a suit against the Hansen Produce company to recover $10,000 damages, for the injury of the firm's credit by the Hansen company attaching their stock at a time when they were fully secured. The complaint alleges malice and intent to injure as the cause of filing attachment.

His Name is Now Sharkey.

Ralph R. Thompson, who petitioned the district court some time ago to have his name changed to Sharkey was granted the right to make the change by Judge Hiles today.

Short Orders.

I. Oberfelder vs. W. H. Wallace; demurrer to cross complaint overruled.

Lucy Marsh vs Salt Lake Building and Loan association; judgment by default for plaintiff and $200. Plaintiff pays costs.

Case of Joseph C. Davis et al vs Salt Lake Building and Loan association, continued to Thursday the 16th inst.

FREE WATER LICENSE.

Commissioner Hall Talks on the Action of Last Night's Council.

Commissioner L. E. Hall as trustee of the Salt Lake College, was present at last night's meeting of the City Council, interested in the petition of the five private schools for a free water license.

Speaking of the question today, Mr. Hall did not agree with the sentiments and actions of a majority of the members last night. Said he:

"The people own the water not the city. It was turned over to them for distribution and not to be made a source of revenue.

"I believe that all of the schools, hospitals and churches, should have the water free of charge, for the reason that the object of their existence is to do good to the citizens, and not in any money out of them.

"The schools in question, only charge a small tuition fee, making it easier for them to pay the water tax.

"In the east cities of the East, these schools are regarded in the light of meeting a want. It is a common thing to see land donated to aid and encourage such institutions.

"The idea expressed by a number of the councilmen last night is that they think a revenue should be gotten out of the water to pay city officials.

"Raising revenue from education or benevolent institutions is not an evidence of a higher state of civilization.

Paris Millinery Company.

Articles of incorporation of the Paris Millinery company was filed with the secretary of state today.

The names of the incorporators are Fred S. Lull, Louis Simon, P. C. Gentzer, Samuel Weil, Simon Bamberger, all of Salt Lake City.

The object of the company is to carry on the business of general and wholesale millinery. The capitalization is $200,000, divided into 4,000 shares of $50 each. The principal place of business will be in this city.

Madame Von Finkelstein.

Of Madame Von Finkelstein, who has just returned from a most successful European tour extending to every part of England, Scotland and Ireland, the British Weekly of London says:

"When Madame Von Finkelstein visits a town expectations are raised very high, but they never fail to be realized, in every instance the verdict has been that it was not conceived that anything so wonderful could be fascinating. She has the countenance and support of every minister and man of note who has ever witnessed her exercises, and she is now in the United States or Great Britain."

Stole a Coat.

While last evening's big fire was raging and the firemen were busily engaged in extinguishing the flames thereof, someone took advantage of the opportunity and selected station No. 2 on Second West street, as a place from a raw-edged outlet-dressed uniform coat of extra heavy make. In the coat was a tin pin shaped like a whip. The thief is being sought after.

County Treasurer's Report.

Treasurer Lynch yesterday submitted to Auditor Caine his report of the financial transactions for the month of January. The statement shows the total receipts to have been $94,820.93, and the disbursements $54,941.93, while the balance on hand at the close of the month was $162,931.07.

Twenty-Third Quorum.

The regular monthly meeting of the Twenty-third quorum of Seventy will be held in the Seventh ward assembly room on Thursday evening, commencing at 7:30. A full and punctual attendance of the members is desired. It is also requested that all the members who were recently taken from the quorum to help form the One Hundred and Ninth quorum attend this meeting.

Report of City Auditor.

City Auditor Swan submitted to the City Council last night his report for the year 1896. It shows the total receipts for the year to have been $620,609.43, which amount includes balance of $51,367.15 on hand January 1, 1896. The disbursements for the year aggregated $563,303.60, and the balance on hand at close of the year was shown to be $57,305.81.

Of the disbursements $157,450 was for interest on bonds. For salaries the sum of $45,949.75 was paid out, while the gravel roads involved an expenditure of $44,583.61.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Collins—E. M. Gibson, Omaha; A. E. Chipman, Los Angeles; C. Fullmer and wife, Montana Home, Idaho; Beth Mayer, Smith Creek; H. Harrison, Fort Cliff; A. E. Chaney, Eureka; J. D. T. Malmoth, Spanish Fork; E. C. Mitchener and wife, Cleveland, O.

Walker—M. C. Jones, Omaha; G. W. Johnson, Ogden; Mrs. Jones, Ogden; Brigham City; W. L. Webb, Lehi; Chas. H. Hastings, Mercur; G. H. Foster, Pleasantville, N. Y.; The Queen, Ephraim; George P. Jones, Denver.

Templeton—Frank B. Hatch, San Francisco; F. S. Woodward, St. Louis; M. J. Barnes, Chicago; J. H. Frost, E. H. Bradshaw, Omaha; R. Moore, St. Louis; E. W. Blake, Omaha.

Knutsford—Charles F. Aaron, New York; E. Wilkinson, city; George Amos, San Francisco; H. B. Smith, Philadelphia; H. Rudenberg, Philadelphia; Mrs. Mae Harrington, Los Angeles; Jesse Mekeiry, N. M.; Sackman and wife, Indianapolis, Ind.

STOCKS AND BARGAINS.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Feb. 3.—Stock market dull yesterday with the sugar factor the influence of a severe aggress against sugar and sugar stocks on account of the Post law. Amalgamated Sugar lost 2 on a sale of 100 shares. Business was fairly large in value, sugar being the bulk of it, 74 per cent.

After the first hour trading gains were made, as Lindenberger put it, in the face of a bear market gains, low and scattered evidences of stock accumulation by the bears.

The setting underway was soon extensive, general gains ensued under the leadership of Sugar.

Cotton Seed Oil preferred rose 1 per cent on Trust news. Sugar rose 1 per cent. Northern Pacific and Northern Pacific preferred gained 1 per cent. Sugar closed 1 per cent. Cotton seed oil was the only stock sold in the trust, regardless of serious changes being made in the trust.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Feb. 3.

Wheat—Feb., 72½; May, 73½@73¾.
Corn—Feb., 32½; May, 35@35¼.
Oats—Feb., 18½; May, 19@19¼.
Pork—Feb., [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Lard—Feb., [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Ribs—Feb., [illegible]; May, [illegible].
Flax—[illegible].
Timothy—$2.10.
Clover—[illegible].
Rye—34½.

Silver, Lead.

Silver—64½.
Lead—$2.10.

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