A MEMORIAL

Asking Congress to Amend Certain Laws Relating to Utah.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SCHOOL LAW

Substitute Revenue Bill.—Business Done in the Council and House Today.

Following is the full text of the memorial introduced in the Council by Eldredge yesterday, and passed unanimously:

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress Assembled—Your memorialists, the Council and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah, respectfully petition you to repeal, modify and amend an act passed by your honorable body and approved March 22, 1887, entitled "An act relating to courts and judicial officers in the Territory of Utah," and known as the Poland bill, and also an act entitled "An act to amend section 5352 of the Revised Statutes of the United States," approved March 3, 1887, and also an act of Congress commonly called the Edmunds law, approved March 22, 1882, and also an act approved March 3, 1887, in the following respects:

First—Amend section 1 of said first mentioned act so as to relieve the United States attorney and his assistants from attending at sessions of the supreme Court and the district courts of said territory, and from serving such courts in all processes, writs, orders, judgments and decrees, except when said courts are engaged in United States business, and in cases where the United States is a party.

Second—Amend section 2 of said first mentioned act so as to relieve the United States attorney and his assistants from appearing in the courts of said Territory except in cases where the United States is a party.

Third—Amend section 6 of said first mentioned act so as to abrogate and take away the authority of the commissioners therein mentioned as examining and committing magistrates in all cases arising under the laws of said Territory and vesting the said jurisdiction in the justices of the peace elected by the people.

Fourth—Amend section 7 of the last mentioned act, known as the Edmunds-Tucker act, so as to abrogate and withdraw from the commissioners therein mentioned all jurisdiction in civil matters, and jurisdiction as examining and committing magistrates, arising under the laws of said Territory.

Fifth—Repeal section 9 of said last mentioned act so as to confine the United States marshal and his deputies to the execution of the laws of the United States.

Sixth—Repeal section 13 of the said act, so the people of the various counties of said Territory may be restored to their right to elect their probate judges.

Seventh—Repeal section 16 of the said last mentioned act, so as to restore to the people the right to elect a Territorial superintendent of public schools.

Eighth—Use repeal, amendment and modification of the said acts and parts of acts would place the judicial department of the said Territory of Utah in harmony with that of the other territories of the United States, and greatly lessen the expense of litigation in the territory, and would be a great measure for the complete termination of charges in the books of the treasury department of the United States against the Territory.

And your memorialists represent that the causes giving rise to the enactment of the said laws and parts of laws have ceased to exist, and we submit with all candor that it is a violation of law coming down from our forefathers that when the reasons of a law cease, the law itself should cease.

And your memorialists will ever pray.

It is not believed that any extensive changes will be made in the present school laws at this session of the Legislature, unless a change in the time and nature of school elections can be secured. The Council yesterday indicated a disposition to this effect by killing the bill known as Dr. Park's school bill. The House committee on education is considering a number of amendments to the school laws, most of which are of minor importance. One of them, however, cannot be classed as such, as it is a proposition to change the time, and probably the character, of school elections. For many years the school election was held early in July, and a few days after the close of the school year, June 30th. At such election only one out of the board of three trustees, was chosen annually, making the tenure three years. At the last session of the Legislature, a law was passed providing that the election for school trustees should be held on the same day in November as the general election, that a full board should be chosen biennially and that the newly elected trustees assume the duties of the office January 1st. The principal objections to this are that the new board takes the office in the middle of the school year, which makes the report of the year's business cover the doings of two sets of officers; the school election is not held at the same polling place as the general election, and many voters cannot vote at both on the same day; it is detrimental to school interests to get in a full board of "green" trustees. It is probable that the House committee on education will bring in a bill to make the amendments to the existing law necessary to meet these points.

Warden's revenue bill has been thoroughly considered by the ways and means committee of the House, has been amended by that committee, and, as so amended, comprises the substitute offered yesterday. It is the most important measure pending in the Assembly, and will probably be passed.

COUNCIL.

Consideration of H. B. 85, appropriating $2,980 for the employment of needy laborers on the Capitol grounds was continued after the close of the News report yesterday. J. E. Booth offered a substitute appropriating the interest in Salt Lake county for roads and bridges. Lost. After further discussion, the bill was passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Breeden, H. E. Booth, Hagen, Lund, Seeley, Taylor and Williams—7.

Nays—Adams, J. E. Booth, Eldredge, Hart and Seaman—5.

Breeden presented a petition from citizens of Box Elder county, protesting against the medical law.

The petition of the Salt Lake county court for $1,802.50, for half the cost of maps, was received.

The committee on education reported adversely on C. B. 55, known as the Dr. Park school bill, on the ground that it is premature at the present time.

A majority of the judiciary committee reported adversely on C. B. 15, forbidding persons not entitled, to wear G. A. R. or other county badges. A minority favored the bill.

The judiciary committee reported favorably C. B. 75, requiring county officers to qualify within thirty days after being elected. The same committee reported favorably C. B. 19, giving unpublished veto power to mayors.

The committee on private corporations reported adversely C. B. 9, relating to liability of railroads in case of damage through negligence; also adversely on C. B. 30, relating to the operation of railroads.

Eldredge introduced C. J. R. 8, asking the amendment of the Poland law, the Edmunds law, and the Judiciary Tucker law. The memorial was unanimously adopted under a suspension of the rules, on motion of Williams.

H. E. Booth introduced C. B. 95, repealing the present law requiring notaries public to reside, in connection with their official signatures, the date of expiration of their commission.

C. B. 60, to regulate assignments, was considered and passed.

A communication from citizens of Provo, together with a resolution of the Provo city council, was read, memorializing that Provo city and Salt Lake be given 10 acres of land to the Territory for capital grounds. Referred to the committee on Capitol grounds.

Adjourned.

HOUSE.

Varian, from the judiciary committee, reported several bills, and McBride, from the contingent expense committee, recommended the abolishment of a number of small items.

Alison from the private corporations committee reported adversely on H. B. 80, relating to the payment of wages to employes of corporations.

C. J. M. 2, asking a land grant at the Indian reservation for the Agricultural College, came up on an amendment offered by the committee, which included the Indian asylum, reform school, and other public institutions, as beneficiaries of such land grant. Adopted.

H. B. 29, Varian's mechanics' lien bill, came up on third reading as special order. It was read at length, a number of minor amendments were made, and it passed unanimously.

The following were introduced:

By Christ: H. R. 127, relating to schools.

By McBride: Claim of Thomas Flynn, a justice of the peace of Tooele county.

By request: H. B. 118, substitute for H. B. 74, a general revenue bill.

By Varian: H. B. 119, substitute for H. B. 94, amending section 5440 of the Compiled Laws.

By Mason: H. B. 121, requiring railroad companies to post description of stock killed by trains.

By Powers: H. B. 122, providing for the issuing and disposing of Territorial bonds.

Adjourned.

TODAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

COUNCIL.

J. E. Booth introduced a proposition of certain citizens of Provo to purchase the Capitol grounds in this city at a fair valuation, provided a site for the Capitol at Provo be accepted. The proposition guarantees the point fixed, namely, either the latter site. Committee on capitol grounds.

C. B. 50, relating to poll tax, was favorably reported.

C. B. 76, to abolish the office of city collector, was unfavorably reported.

H. B. 37, amending certain sections of the laws relating to municipalities, was favorably reported.

Williams introduced C. B. 31, relating to special verdicts by juries.

H. B. 29 was then read the first time. This relates to mechanic's liens.

Seaman moved that when the Council adjourn it be to 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday. Carried.

Members of the G. A. R. petitioned to have a hearing on the bill relating to the badge of their order and other societies being worn by unauthorized persons.

The following bills passed third reading:

C. B. 90, relating to notaries public.

C. B. 9, relating to the liability of railways.

H. B. 102, preventing policemen from holding other offices.

H. R. 102, appropriating for the expenses of World's Fair exhibit.

H. B. 65, relating to county on certain lines and who animals.

H. B. 28, mechanic's liens.

H. B. 85, amending the laws relating to special verdicts.

The bills relating to elections were called up and Hart asked for a report on C. B. 55 from the committee before action be taken. Williams spoke in favor of the motion.

HOUSE.

Opening exercises.

The following were presented:

Petition of Salt Lake county court for reimbursement of half the costs of maps.

By Wines: Petition of Alpine and Draper for $600 for a road between those points.

By Johnson: Claim for certain witnesses' fees in criminal cases.

Allen from the committee on memorials reported favorably the memorial to Congress protesting against the removal of the Southern Ute to Utah. Under a suspension of the rules the memorial passed.

Allen from the committee on education, reported adversely H. R. 97, to lease school lands; also adversely on H. B. 70, relating to county boards of examiners.

Sears reported adversely on the claim of the Utah Trust Co. of Ogden for rent of rooms used for court purposes. Adopted.

He also reported favorably on the claim of Juneau county, $337.50; Box Elder county, $413.77; Weber county, $1,238.55, all for maps.

The following bills were introduced:

By McBride: H. B. 123, to provide for additional contingent expenses of the Legislature.

By Johnson: H. B. 124, to amend section 1790 of the Compiled Laws, and repeal chapter 24 of the session laws of 1892.

Sears offered a resolution that the territorial treasurer furnish an itemized statement of the expenses of his office. Adopted.

He also offered a similar resolution relating to the auditor, sealer of weights and measures, and recorder of marks and brands. Adopted.

H. B. 116, the salt bill, was made special order for next Monday at 3 p. m.

H. B. 119, to amend the current law so as to provide for the dissolution of irrigation districts, came up on final reading, and was passed.

H. B. 115, a similar measure with, was which remained on its close of this report.

For Burglary.

Frank Williams was tried in Judge Merritt's court this afternoon for burglarizing Sassaman's saloon shop, in this city.

Sharpen Your Pencils.

The competitive examination of candidates for the position of assistant court stenographer will be held in the Supreme court room on Wednesday evening next, at 7:30. Notice of this was given by the executive committee recently before the News went to press this afternoon.

Twelve Indictments.

The grand jury was in the Judge Merritt's court this afternoon and reported having found twelve indictments—nine under the Territorial statutes and three under those of the United States.

Musical Entertainment.

The Monday Night club is to present the services of Chauncey Eldridge for a musical and entertainment there.

MR. EUSTIS RETURNS.

The Question of Broadgauging the Utah-Nevada in the Hands of Receivers.

Mr. S. W. Eccles, general freight agent of the Union Pacific, returned from Omaha this afternoon, to which place he went in company with Superintendent Bancroft a week ago, to attend a meeting of the officials of the road.

In conversation with a News representative today Mr. Eccles stated that the question of broadgauging the Utah-Nevada from this city was one in the hands of the receivers, who are to make a report to General Manager Dickinson within the next three weeks. It is expected the report will be a favorable one, in which event the work will begin at once.

Mr. Eccles did not speak either encouragingly or approvingly of the proposition to erect a big hotel at Garfield. He did not think that would be done, as it would not be more to pay on account of being situated too close to this city.

He said further that Utah was making as good a showing proportionately in the amount of railway and passenger traffic as any other state or territory on the system. The receivers had refitted the purchase, he said, at $6,000 one of new steel rails for the Oregon Short Line and Utah Northern and 6,000 tons for the Oregon Railway and Navigation company. The lighter rails which the newer ones are intended to displace will be taken up and used on the branch lines where they are just as good as the large rails and much cheaper.

Mr. Eccles left Mr. Dickinson and party at Green river last night. The latter are on their way to Portland. They are spending today on the Idaho division with Superintendent Bancroft. Mr. Dickinson and colleagues will arrive in Salt Lake in about ten days.

"Last Sunday, in Omaha," said Mr. Eccles, "it snowed the worst snowstorm in my recollection. About 8½ inches of snow fell and the wind threw a gale. The cold was intense and the suffering terrible. The streets were filled with snow shoveled into heaps as high as the street cars.

"But Wyoming the weather is unusually mild and cattle and sheep are doing well and the outputs are very much alike."

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining uncalled in the Post office at Salt Lake City, Utah, for the week ending February 10, 1894. In calling for any of these letters give the number and date of this list. If not called for within two weeks from date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C.

LADIES' LIST.

Bailey Mrs H M	Mullen Lizzie
Brandstead Maria	Mitchelson Mrs Kate
Bonnemann Mrs Julia T	Mitchell Mrs Charles
Bates Anna	McKenzie Teresa
Carter Mrs A	Mabel Alda
Chandler Mr Lucy A	May Louise
Carter Mrs Jim	McKee Mrs A
Dewey Annie	Orr Annie
Duggan Jane S	Owen Mary
Dickerson Mrs N J	Prince Mrs F
Dunham Ada	Pollock Hannah
Elton Harriet	Rodford Hulda
Kilmoney Mrs E	Sampson Amelia
Kendall Alice	Smith Ida
Jackson Harriet	Seaver Lizzie
Jones Lizzie	Shepherd Ada
Jenner Anna	Alice Ella
Hammond Mary	Sheafer Lulu
Hale Mrs D P	Sweet Mrs H C
Hudson Kathleen	Shaw Sadie
Henderson Alpha	Tilton Nina
Hess Mrs J	Happy Nina
Jones Lizzie	Smith Frances
Johnson Mary	Wallace Eugenia
Hale Sadie	Warren Emmeline E
Lane Minnie	White Ida
Langford Mrs Samuel	West Mrs A J
Moss Mrs Geo A	Wise Eliphena
Mathewson Lizzie	Wilson Lucinda
Mangelsen Sarah	Young Ida
Moore Ella	Young Mary

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COMMERCIAL.

TODAY'S CHICAGO PRICES.

Today's closing Boston exchanges amounted to $187,192. Sales one day last year, $271,350.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS.

New York—Silver, bar, $5.15. London—Silver, 32 7-16.

ORE AND BULLION.

McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and lead ore, 31,725. Bullion bullion, $2,500. Total, $[illegible].

C. E. Jones & Co. received today: Ore, $10,525; bullion, $3,000. Total, $13,525.

REAL ESTATE.

Transfers filed in the office of the County Recorder of Salt Lake County, Utah, for the 24 hours ending February 15, 1894.

L. S. Hammond et al to Joseph H. Dickson, all Hammond Heights property	1 00
C. S. Varney to George H. Dunnigan, lot 1 of block 3, Hughes addition to Salt Lake City	1 00
Wilford Woodruff et al to Joseph E. Jones, all part of lot 1, block 5, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	1 00
Sarah E. Young to Hannah Ann Young, part of lot 3, block 10, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	1,500 00
Harry E. Young et al to Sarah E. Young, lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, block 10, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	1,000 00
H. W. Taylor et ux to Eliza C. Young, lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, block 10, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	2,000
S. R. Thomas et al to Agnes Young, lots 10 and 11, block 10, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	1,000 00
Lincoln Avenue to Hannah Ann Young, lots 16, 17, block 10, Plat A, Salt Lake City survey	1,000 00
Total	10 00

STOCKS AND BARGAINS.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Feb. 15th, 1894.

Adams Express	150	New York Central	97
American Express	111	Norfolk & Western pf	
Atchison	5	Northern Pacific pf	
Canada Southern		Northwestern	103
Canadian Pacific	75¾	Oregon Short Line	5
Central Pacific		Oregon Navigation	19
Chicago Alton		Pacific Mail	23
Chicago, B. & Q.	73	Pullman Palace	161
Chicago, R. I. & P.	75¾	Reading	5¾
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	70¾	Rock Island	75
Delaware, Lackawanna & W.		St. Paul	70
Denver & Rio Grande pf		St. Paul, Minn. & Man.	127
Erie	17	St. Louis & San Francisco	
Fort Wayne		St. Louis & San Francisco pf	
Illinois Central		Texas Pacific	6¾
Lake Shore		Union Pacific	43
Louisville & Nashville	78	Wabash Pacific	
Michigan Central	91	Wabash Pacific pf	
Missouri Pacific	37	Western Union	90¾
Northern Pacific pf		Sugar	111¾
North American	4¼		

TELEGRAPH COMPANIES.

Quick Time Cos	34	Pacificus	35
Bankers & Brokers	137	Pacific	95

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15th, 1894.

Wheat—Easy, weak, May, 59¾.
Corn—Easier, weak, 45¼; May, 47¼.
Oats—Easy, weak, 32¼; May, 34¼.
Pork—Easy, weak, May, 15.15.
Lard—Easy, weak, May, 8.37½.
Ribs—Easy, weak, May, 8.00.
Whisky—Steady, 1.17.
Sugars—Unchanged.
Eggs—Steady.
Butter—Firm.

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Pure Black Satin Brocades, - - 65c.
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