

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., 25.27 inches. Temperature at 6 a. m., 32 degrees; maximum temperature, 55; minimum, 32; mean, 44; which is 4 degrees above normal.

Total excess of the daily mean temperature since the first of the month, 43 degrees. Accumulated excess of daily mean temperature since Jan. 1, 1904, 1.55 inch. Total precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m., .53 inch.

Total precipitation since the first of the month, 1.15 inch; which is .62 inch above the normal.

Accumulated excess in precipitation since Jan. 1, 1.65 inch.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. THURSDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Clearing this afternoon; probably fair tonight and Thursday.

Utah forecast at Denver, Colo.:

Fair tonight and Thursday, except clearing in north portion tonight; colder tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The barometer is highest over the Pacific states, lake region, and Alberta.

Lowest over the middle and northern Rocky Mountain slope, and British Columbia.

Precipitation occurred over portions of Utah, Colorado, Nevada, California, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, New Mexico, Montana, British Columbia, and the B. N. W. territory.

It was raining this morning at Grand Junction, and snowing over portions of Utah, Montana, Minnesota, and the B. N. W. territory.

Thunderstorms and high winds were reported over portions of Utah and Colorado.

The temperature shows a marked rise over portions of Colorado, Nebraska, Missouri, Minnesota, and Manitoba; and a decided fall over portions of Utah, Idaho, Montana, and British Columbia with slight variations elsewhere.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecaster.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

6 a. m. 32

7 a. m. 32

8 a. m. 33

9 a. m. 33

10 a. m. 34

11 a. m. 35

12 m. 35

1 p. m. 37

YESTERDAY'S RECORD

Highest 55

Lowest 40

The Semi-Weekly News

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The hand derrick at the Federal building is being "made over" into a power derrick, which will expedite the work.

The trustees and the principals of the county public schools will meet next Saturday at 12 m. in this city to consider principally plans for school consolidations.

The Commercial Block offices of the Pacific Board of Underwriters are being remodelled and redecorated, and made specially attractive both as to use and looks.

There is a general house cleaning in progress at the state armory in preparation for April inspection. The boys propose that the government officers should find them in good order.

The working space in the county recorder's office has been materially increased by moving out the big counter 10 feet, thus relieving the congested condition of things inside.

The funeral of Howard T. Appleby of Bingham was held in this city yesterday afternoon, according to the rites of the Episcopal church. Rev. Geo. C. Huntington conducted the services. The interment was at Mt. Olivet.

President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University in New York has been invited by State Supt. Nelson to visit this city and lecture before the State Teachers' institute next summer.

In place of President Schurman of Cornell, who will be unable to accept a similar invitation.

Two deaths from diphtheria in one family were reported to the board of health today. The victims of the disease are Harvey B. and Walter T. Moon, ages 15 and 4 months respectively.

The elder child died yesterday and the younger died this morning at the family residence, 744 south Second East street.

Last evening a pleasant birthday party was given at the residence of Mr. John Black of the Twenty-third ward, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Black, and also of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Urry. There were but few guests present outside of the two families but all enjoyed the sumptuous luncheon prepared and the singing furnished by Miss Geneva Harter.

C. J. Larson, Mrs. Jane Doe, James Coons, John Sutherland, C. D. Johnson, John Smith, August Carlson, Ed Dalley and L. Rasmussen appeared before Judge Diehl yesterday afternoon and pleaded guilty to fast driving over crossings. The police are determined to break up the dangerous practice, and propose to arrest all who violate the law. Those who pleaded guilty yesterday were fined \$2 each.

A copy of the articles of incorporation of the Napoleon and Maghera Copper Mining and Reduction company of Ogden, was filed in the secretary of state's office today. The company is capitalized at \$1,000,000, divided into shares of the par value of \$1 each. Don Maguire is president; Lew W. Dean, vice president; James W. Dalley, secretary and treasurer. The company owns 12 mining claims in the Sierra Madre district, Boxelder county.

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CHANGES DUE ON RIO GRANDE.

Denver Post Has a Number Scheduled to Drop in the Near Future.

GEO. COULD OUT WITH AXE.

Four Big Men in the Operating Department Stationed to Change Their Positions on Road.

With the advent of the George J. Gould party in Colorado the Denver Post once more breaks loose with a number of purported official changes and speculations which will follow in the wake of the big railroad magnate. Among the big changes scheduled the following are listed:

William Coughlin, general superintendent of the Denver & Rio Grande will accept the general management of the Kansas City & Southwestern road, with headquarters at Kansas City.

W. J. Donovan, assistant superintendent of the second and third divisions, with headquarters at Mintum, will be given the position of general superintendent of the second and third divisions, with headquarters at Denver.

Stephen Dunn, formerly chief dispatcher for the first division, will accept the chief dispatchership in the general offices at Kansas City.

It is said, also that C. H. Schlacks, general manager of the Colorado Midland, will take the place of General Manager J. T. Edson of the Denver & Rio Grande and that Mr. Edson will be given a similar position on one of the eastern lines of the system.

The Post says further: "It is known that the Gould tour will be productive of important railroad results affecting Colorado."

In the first place, it is decided that Glenwood Springs is to be made a railroad center, and that the beautiful spot is to be built up until it is one of the finest resorts on the continent. It will be made a terminal point of the Colorado Midland.

"Though Mr. Gould is always non-committal, it is known that he has in contemplation many changes in the management of the Gould lines in Colorado and in matters of equipment and terminal facilities."

MILLIONAIRE BRAKEMAN.

J. N. Bunting, California Oil Magnate, Travelling in Royal Style.

Special Correspondence.

Rawlins, Wyo., March 7.—Special Car Bieda, occupied by J. N. Bunting and wife, was sidetracked here for 24 hours by Mr. Bunting while he visited old friends. Mr. Bunting was formerly a freight brakeman on the Southern Pacific at a salary of \$75 per month. He is now a millionaire, having amassed a fortune in the Bakersfield, Cal. oil fields during the past few years. The Bieda is said to be one of the finest private cars on wheels. It was designed for Mr. Bunting by Robert Esson, formerly of Rawlins.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The machine shop at the big Short Line plant at Potomac is to be further brought up to date by the installation of four new lathes with variable speed counter shafts. They were received last week and are now being set up.

The Rio Grande continues to run westbound passenger trains in two sections to accommodate the tourist season under the rate which went into effect March 1.

G. W. Fitzgerald, general agent for the Denver & Rio Grande at Butte, is among the visiting railroad officials.

George Hull, general agent of the Pennsylvania lines at Denver, is in Salt Lake today. He says that he has hopes that his company will put in a new here in the near future, but as yet there is nothing definite to give out.

Two more engines for the Salt Lake Road are to arrive this afternoon from the east.

The Salt Lake Route has received a handsome lot of California literature. Among the consignments is a new folder for use at this end of the line. It is of standard size, neatly printed and contains in addition to the time tables, matter and pictures pertaining to Salt Lake, Provo, Mammoth and Eureka, also a map of the entire system.

Nervousness and Nerve.

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GETTING TOGETHER.

Stockgrowers Organize to Protect Their Shipping Interests.

The United Stockgrowers' corporation has been incorporated under the laws of Virginia, with a capital stock of \$500,000 in \$100 shares, and these incorporators: John Sparks, governor of Nevada; Frank J. Hagenbarth, M. K. Parsons, Ben. F. Saunders, A. Hanauer and J. C. Leary, all of this city.

The object of the organization is to protect the shipping interests of stockmen, particularly as regards transportation, and to watchful eyes will be kept on shipments in transit with a view to checking up on losses. The big packing companies have agents posted at various points to look out sharply for their interests, and why should not the stockmen do the same for their own interests. Agencies will be established in Kansas City stockyards, South Omaha, Denver stockyards, Fort Worth, Salt Lake City, National stockyards, St. Louis, St. Paul and others will be opened as the sales of stock and agency membership cards to actual growers and shippers warrant it. Membership cards sold to stockmen will be perpetual to the member for a payment of \$10 and an annual fee of \$2.50; they will entitle the holder to the services of any agent or agency of the United Stockgrowers, wherever located, for collection of just claims or the transaction of any other lawful business incident within the scope of its purposes.

WATER RIGHTS.

Bulletin on How They Are Secured in The Arkansas Valley, Colorado.

The acquisition of water rights in the Arkansas valley in Colorado is the title of a bulletin by J. S. Greene, former state engineer of Colorado, and prepared under the direction of Elwood

Mead, chief of irrigation investigations. The paper is addressed specially to those who contemplate settling in the valley referred to and is prepared so as to give them a thorough understanding of water rights and the conditions affecting them, so that such people may be able to act intelligently in acquiring them.

The bulletin points out that water rights are acquired from the state in the first place, but the individual settler must secure a right from some individual or company which has built a canal for the purpose of supplying water to farmers. The value of both classes of rights depends very largely upon physical conditions and upon other rights to the streams. Mr. Greene shows this connection and points out the sources of information as to these conditions. Rights purchased from canal owners are subject also to the conditions of the contracts under which the water is supplied. A large number of these contracts are given and discussed in such a way that an intending settler can tell what points he should look into before purchasing a right. The laws and contracts are discussed also from the standpoint of the canal owners and of the public welfare, thus making the report of great value to students of irrigation law and economics.

Amusements

The famous Bostonians, headed by Barnabas & McDermott, reappear to night, rendering the always popular "Robin Hood," the old time crush is looked for.

At the Grand tonight the play of "Sally Bottom" winds up its engagement. The next attraction will be "Circumstantial Evidence."

Mrs. Pliske's approaching visit at the Grand takes place next Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

AS TO THAT DELAY.

Chief Lynch and Captain Burbridge Knew The Reason for It.

The denial of Tommy Markham, as published in a morning paper, that he was not responsible for the delay in his contest with Jack Clifford, is almost as amusing as it is ridiculous. The story published by the News on Monday is true in every particular. It might be added, however, that Chief of Police Burbridge and Captain Lynch, both at the time, knew what was the matter with the delay. They knew that Markham made unreasonable demands upon Manager Kelly; that he wanted the money that he wanted Edie Robinson to referee the contest, and also that the contest was delayed because of the delay in the selection of Willard Bean. The latter also explained to the newspaper the reason for the delay. Markham only refused to admit the money when Mr. Robinson advised him to do so. Chief Lynch and Captain Burbridge stated upon hearing the money was caused by what Manager Kelly stated. That's all there is to it.

It Never Disappoints.

F. J. William, proprietor of the Hamilton Drug Co., Hamilton, Iowa, says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is practically the only remedy he sells for cramps, diarrhoea and colic, for the plain reason that it never disappoints. For sale by all druggists.

A RIDICULOUS FARCE.

Attorney Webber's Designation of Proceedings in Majors-Connors Case.

Can a prisoner, who is serving a life sentence at the state prison, be tried and punished for an offense committed while he is serving that sentence, where the punishment is imprisonment?

Judge Diehl is now considering the question in the case of the State vs. Abe Majors and Frank Connors, the convicts who are serving life terms for murder.

They were brought before Judge Diehl this morning for preliminary hearing on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder upon the persons of Zebulon Jacobs and Frank Naylor. After the prosecution had introduced testimony by the guards, the attorneys for the defense asked if it were not a fact that the defendants were serving life sentences for life. The witness replied in the affirmative. Then it was that the attorneys, McGinnis and Webber, moved that the cases be dismissed. They cited statutes bearing on the question.

Assistant County Attorney Smith resisted the motion and called attention to the fact that Connors was now serving life and ten years, the latter sentence for burglary. But the lawyers for the defense explained that Connors' sentence of ten years was for a crime committed before he was sentenced for life, which makes the point entirely different. Judge Diehl stated that he would take the motion under advisement and would rule on the case in a few days.

Attorney Webber characterized the proceedings as "a farce of the most ridiculous kind," and stated that the statutes regarding the motion were enacted for the reason that it was "a farce" to prosecute a man for an offense committed while the accused was serving the life sentence, and where the punishment was imprisonment.

Edward Muller, charged with escaping from the state prison, was ordered held to answer to the charge in the district court.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Attention, Ward Missionaries!

Please take notice that the proposed division of the Salt Lake stake does not in any way release you from the labor to which you have been called in your respective wards, and you are earnestly urged to diligently continue your efforts to further the missionary work entrusted to you, care until honorably released by the same authority that called you. Respectfully,

STAKE SUPPLY, Y. M. M. I. A.

Home Missionaries.

The home missionaries of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion will please take notice that appointments have been made for them to visit the wards of the Salt Lake stake next Sunday, the 13th inst.

ANGUS M. CANNON, JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, CHARLES W. PENROSE, Presidency of Stake.

Scottish Missionary Society.

All members of the Scottish Missionary Society should be present at the coming members, and who expect to attend the general conference in April, are requested to notify the secretary, Alex. Buchanan, Jr., care Deseret News, at once.

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DAVID MCKENZIE, WILLIAM ASPER, HAMILTON G. PARK, Presidency of the Quorum.

There will be a reunion of Primary officers of the Salt Lake stake in the Thirtieth ward assembly room Saturday, March 12, 1904. All stake and local officers, including aids, and all members of the general board, are cordially invited to be present. By order of the COMMITTEE.

It has been suggested that all the Elders and Saints who have labored in the Southern States mission meet in a social way during the April conference. The presidents or a representative of the various missionary organizations are kindly invited to attend meeting to be held in room 219, Templeton building, Friday evening, March 4 at 7:30, at which the necessary steps will be taken to arrange the details for this event, if it meets with the approval of those concerned.

TEMPLE NOTICES.

The St. George Temple will close Friday evening, March 25, 1904, and will reopen Tuesday morning, May 24, 1904. DAVID H. CANNON, President.

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BEST SELLING BOOKS.

Record for February.

According to the records of all book-sellers, the six books which have sold best in the order of demand during the month are:

1. The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come. Fox. \$1.50

2. The Deliverance. Glasgow. 1.50

3. Rebecca. Wiggitt. 1.25

4. The Call of the Wild. London. 1.50

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TEACHERS.

Dr. Talmage's new book, "The Great Salt Lake (Present and Past)," should be in the hands of every educator. The amount of information it contains relative to the great saline sea, makes it an invaluable work for reference or study. Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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