

## PROVO DEPARTMENT

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## JUDGE KELLOGG RESIGNS.

Salary Attached to Juvenile Court Judgeship Insufficient.

Provo, Dec. 19.—Judge M. M. Kellogg, of the Provo City Juvenile court, has resigned, on account of the insufficiency of the salary and his financial circumstances. (The salary is only \$100 a year). The Juvenile court commission, Mayor Frisby, chairman, has accepted the resignation. Judge Kellogg has filled the office with much credit and with great benefit to the public. The following is the resignation:

Gentlemen:—Owing to my present financial condition, I feel unable to continue the work of acting as judge of the juvenile court. I must do something to increase my income, and therefore tender my resignation to take effect Jan. 1, 1907.

Were I able, I should like to continue in this position even at the present salary, as I believe that a great deal of good has been done through the efforts of the court and its officers.

I have no regrets for my connection with the position, nor apologies to make for action taken, and refer to my report for the year just ended, to express my feelings.

Trusting you will act upon this resignation and thanking you for past confidence and favors, I am,

Yours very truly,  
M. M. KELLOGG.

With his resignation, Judge Kellogg sends to the commission a report of the juvenile court, in which the number and nature of the cases handled are given in detail. In concluding the report, Judge Kellogg says:

"Two boys and one girl have been sent to the state industrial school at Ogden; one boy has been paroled from Provo to Spanish Fork, and one girl from Provo to Pleasant Grove, and placed in charge of parties who were willing to take them. This was done because it was thought better than sending them to the state industrial school, and there was no detention home in Provo, nor did any one offer to take these children in charge in Provo."

"The others in the tabulated list have either been discharged or paroled with their parents in Provo. A considerable number of cases have been settled by the probation officers without being brought into court, but of course there is no record kept of these."

"The chief probation officer, acting as attorney officer, has induced 45 children last spring and 165 this fall to go to school."

"Only the numbers mentioned in the list have needed to be brought into court on this charge. The others have been omitted upon being talked to by this officer."

"Attention is again called to the fact that need for a detention home in Provo. The reports from Salt Lake City and other places are very gratifying, and fully demonstrate the benefits derived from institutions of this character."

"The law seems to be somewhat inoperative in certain particulars, but the attention of the incoming legislature will no doubt be called to these points, and remedies suggested."

"The thanks of the court are due and are hereby tendered to the juvenile court commission, the city council, and other officers of Provo, and to the citizens generally, who have given support and sympathy to the court."

"In the opinion of the judge, the law has justified its enactment, and demonstrated its worthiness to continue."

SUITS FILED.

The Payson Exchange Savings bank has commenced foreclosure suit in the Fourth district court against W. P. Dowdle to collect \$20.85 with interest from Oct. 25, 1904, alleged to be due on a promissory note, secured by 16.419 shares of the capital stock of the Barefoot Mining & Milling company, and for \$50 attorney fees.

Suit to quiet title to 180 acres of land in the southwestern part of the city has been commenced by Johanna Eggertsen against John O. Anderson.

MARRIAGE PERMITS.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following couples:

H. Olson and Myrl L. Woodhead, both of Provo.

John N. Matson, of La Bells, Idaho, and Ethel Whiting of Springfield.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Dr. Junius Seigmiller of Richfield stopped off in Provo yesterday, to visit his sister, Mrs. A. F. Accord, on his way home from a business trip to eastern Utah.

William M. Roylance has returned from a successful business trip to southern California and Rhyolite. Mr. Roylance reports everything booming in the places visited.

Mayor Frisby went to Summit county today to visit a brother who is sick. The B. Y. V. band and orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Sauer, will give a grand Christmas concert in the tabernacle this evening.

State Fish and Game Commissioner Sharp was in Provo yesterday conferring with County Warden Jones on questions pertaining to the fish industry, on which he is getting out his biennial report for the governor.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Beasley are in from the La Sal country, where Mr. Beasley is extensively engaged in mining.

GOSHEN.

Bishop Peter Okeberry Answers Final Summons at the Age of 61.

Special Correspondence.

Goshen, Utah, Dec. 17.—As already chronicled in the "News," Bishop Peter Okeberry died Dec. 8, from pneumonia. In his demise, the people of this place have lost a true friend in every sense of the word. Honest and honorable to a marked degree, he was possessed of a sympathetic and kindly nature that endeared him to every one with whom he came in contact. By non-members of his church, as well as by his own people, he was loved and respected, and his death is universally regretted in this vicinity.

The deceased was a native of Malmo, Sweden, and was born Sept. 2, 1845. His parents were Paul and Christina Nelson Okeberry. The family joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and in 1863 emigrated to America, arriving in Utah early in September of the same year.

The Okeberrys settled in Goshen, and the late bishop resided here until the time of his death. He engaged in various pursuits, farming, stock raising, following the trade of a carpenter, and later in life practicing the profession of a dentist. He was the senior member of the firm of Okeberry and sons, general merchants.

Bishop Okeberry had been an able, energetic church worker from the time he embraced the gospel. For 20 years he was superintendent of the Goshen Sunday school, and for many years leader of the ward choir. He was second counselor for some time, and on July 17, 1895, was set apart as Bishop of Goshen, by Elder Francis M. Lyman. He was an ideal man for the position, and was in every deed a father to the people. No hour was too late or night too stormy for him to leave his bed to visit and administer to the afflicted of body and distressed of mind, and he invariably brought good cheer to the suffering and disconsolate. It is no wonder that his death has cast a pall of gloom over the community.

The funeral of Bishop Okeberry was held at 1 p. m., Dec. 10, under the direction of the Nebo stake presidency. A large congregation was present to bid adieu to a man who had been a true friend to all who knew him. He was laid to rest in the cemetery, and his body was covered with a profusion of beautiful floral offerings. The body was followed to its last resting place by a long line of vehicles.

There has been some very stormy cold and changeable weather here this winter so far, with plenty of snow in the mountains. Water is assured for the coming season.

A good crop of grain was raised this year. The late wheat was damaged by rust. The people thrashed 14,000 bushels of grain through the changeable weather, some of the people are suffering with sore throats, but nothing serious. Schoolers running in the winter. John F. Walckins as teacher, and he is doing all in his power to advance the interests of the pupils.

The people of this place have done reasonably well the last year. They have many have been led to work for wages, instead of depending their farms and building up their homes.

Fair crops have been gathered, especially the alfalfa, which has yielded a great tonnage.

The Elk canal across the river is now nearing completion, and the people of Bryon, who are interested, expect to begin to get returns from the lands they have invested in. This region is greatly blessed, as could be plainly seen by the abundance of it, while by small outlay they could have gas and oil to burn.

The people look forward to a period of great prosperity, but all should be careful that they do not sell their birthrights for a mess of pottage, and eat up. They should learn to profit by the experiences of other places, and not go into debt and be forced to sell their property. Land and water rights will grow in value and present owners should hold on to them.

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EVANSTON, WYO.

Bishop Brown and Family Salt Lake Visitors—New Bank Selected.

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Evansville, Wyo., Dec. 18.—Bishop James Brown and family left Monday morning on westbound No. 3 for a visit with relatives and friends in Salt Lake City, and to wind up the affairs of the bishop's 18 months' mission to Great Britain. They expect to return on the 19th inst.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Martin, daughter of County Clerk J. K. Martin, to Mr. Fred Whittaker of Knight, Wyo. The affair to take place at the home of the bride's parents on Christmas eve.

Also on New Year's day Miss Mary Schopp, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schopp, will be united in the bonds of matrimony to John Olson, Jr.

All the business houses here are a hive of busy men and women, who are buying or selling the necessities of Christmas time, and a large trade is anticipated as everybody has had a very successful year, with less of work and consequently plenty of money to spend.

The Christmas number of the Deseret News was certainly a fine edition, and the publishers are to be congratulated on the issue. Not only were the articles of a general interest, but the paper and its workmanship of the entire paper were excellent.

Ward Sunday school conference was held on Sunday, the 16th inst., and was well attended, the stake officers being in attendance.

W. A. Taylor left last night for Mina, where he is to be employed as a policeman.

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## MOUNT PLEASANT.

Interesting Ward Conference—A New Stock Company Formed.

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Mt. Pleasant, Dec. 19.—Ward conference of the Mt. Pleasant Stake was held last Sunday. Elders C. N. Linder, C. W. Sorenson and Peter Lundwall of the stake presidency were present. A large crowd was in attendance and enjoyed a spiritual feast. Conditions in the ward were found to be good.

John Seely, son of J. W. Seely, and Mary Terkieson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terkieson, were married last evening. Some of the bride's parents, Bishop Jas. Larsen performing the ceremony.

Time ago some parties from Missouri brought into Mt. Pleasant several jacks for disposal. One of the number, the largest and best, was finally disposed of to citizens of Mt. Pleasant, for the sum of \$100. A company, called the Mt. Pleasant Mammoth Jack company, was organized, with Geo. Peterson as president; Andrew Larsen, vice president; S. E. Jensen, John K. Madson and J. H. Seely as directors. The animal is registered and will weigh north of 1,000 lbs.

Born, to the wife of Mr. H. C. Beauman, a 15-pound girl, Dec. 11, 1906.

The public school teachers are putting forth every effort in making the cantata "Snow White," which is to be presented next Friday evening, the best ever put on by the school children of this place.

Due to the fact that Christmas and New Year's come on Tuesday and Monday have decided to hold no meetings on those evenings.

REDMOND.

Debate by Eighth Grade Pupils—Wagon Missionaries at Work.

Special Correspondence.

Redmond, Utah, Dec. 19.—Friday evening, Dec. 19, at the Redmond Stake meeting, the eighth grade of the public schools, debated the question: "Resolved, That the railroads have taken more employment from the people than they have furnished employment for them." Both sides presented excellent arguments.

Seven considerable talents on the part of the pupils. The affirmative side won out by a large majority. Hazel Peterson, Lucila Nelson, and Violet Hansen, represented the affirmative, and Stella Carlson, the negative side of the question.

The officers of the Primary association are preparing a very interesting program, which will be given by the pupils during the holidays. The work is under efficient supervision and success is inevitable.

The wagon missionaries have held forth here for a couple of evenings, and quite a large crowd has been attracted to them. Last night the Inland Stake company presented the "Golden West" at the opera house. The play was well liked, and the people were well pleased with the play.

Bills are out announcing