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THE NEWS BY WIRE.

The Hawaiian Resolution Still Debated in the House.

[CONTINUING THE BRITISH LION.

Public in a Trade Mark Case Rules—A Sailor Heard in Public, —Complete Shake of Norway.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the House to-day, after the reading of the journal, asked unanimous consideration of the Senate bill to extend the time allowed the Sioux Irrigation company for the completion of its canal across the Uncompahgre reservation, Oregon. This bill passed.

After the call of committees for reports, the Hawaiian senate was resumed, Gorman (Dem., Md.) taking the floor in support of the McCreary resolution.

He took the position that Stevens, in meeting the troops ashore at the time of the revolution, had been guilty of an act of war, and that in betraying the government to which he had been accredited, he had been guilty of treachery, and that in scheming with the sugar interests to overthrow the queen monarchy with a view to annexation, he had been guilty of cowardice. He analyzed the events of the revolution to show more strongly the zeal in behalf of the revolutionists. The subsequent attempt to rush the Hawaiian islands into the United States, he said, was marked by mock heroism at Honolulu and mock patriotism in Washington. Gallowaite challenged the production of a single scintilla of evidence to prove that Cleveland in the inauguration of a policy which had for its purpose the righting of a national wrong, ever contemplated the use of force.

Culberson of Texas, chairman of the judiciary committee followed Gallowaite in support of the administration's policy in Hawaii.

When Cleveland was inaugurated, said he, an extraordinary condition of affairs in reference to Hawaii existed. A treaty of annexation had been negotiated and sent to the Senate. The transaction was incomplete, but it was based upon the report of Secretary Foster. It was Cleveland's right and duty to investigate that report, closely questioned. All considerations of national honor demanded that he exercise that right and discharge his duty. The main question before the House was whether the evidence furnished demonstrated the falsity of that report. If it were false and the fact could be made to appear that the revolution was accomplished by a lawless act of our minister, then the acquisition of that island was an inexcusable blunder, and Stevens's action was a crime against the United States. All this evidence, he went on, showed that Secretary Foster's report was erroneous and unreliable; that Stevens was a revolutionist and a conspirator, and that the landing of troops to protect American life and property was a mere pretext and a disguise to make possible the success of the projected usurpation. Long before the inauguration of the president-elect shall have been forgotten, the courage, patriotism and devotion of the Democratic administration will stand as a monument to the honor of the United States and to the enlightened justice of the world. (Democratic applause.) Sickles (Dem., N. Y.) then got the floor to make the first speech on the Democratic side against the McCreary resolution. If the resolution which the House was asked to pass confined itself to the past and present, he said, he would have remained silent; but it went further, it had an important bearing on the future. He did not believe one administration was a court of appeals of a court of review for the acts of the previous administration (Republican applause.) He should look forward with regard to a possible review five years hence of the acts of Cleveland and Blount as he now saw with surprise and regret the attempt to review the acts of President Harrison and Minister Stevens, both of whom are now out of office. The present government of Hawaii, he continued, was recognized by the United States as a legitimate government, and its authority was unquestioned.

THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the Senate the bill repealing the federal election laws was taken up. Hawley (Rep., Conn.) spoke in opposition.

Everybody knows that this bill is to pass, said he; in fact, immediately after the triumph of the Democratic party at the polls at the last election it was known that the law would be repealed. The party in a distinct sense is the party of the country, at least as regards the making of a new interpretation of the Constitution upon provisions supposed to have been settled beyond a doubt for a hundred years. Every provision of the Constitution is sufficient to indicate that the power to make laws for the regulation of Congressional elections is vested in Congress. Harvey quoted the Constitution providing for the election of members of Congress and said: "There can be no doubting patriots that this James Madison was one of the greatest interpreters and expounders of the Constitutional power in national government necessary in order to prevent its own dissolution. He said that this power was necessary in order to perpetuate the national government."

By unanimous consent the time of the vote on the bill repealing the Federal election laws was postponed until 2 p.m. tomorrow.

C. P. Employes' Protest.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 5.—The representatives of the American Railway Union will probably be here Tuesday to present to Judge Dundy a petition signed by 5,000 employes of the Union Pacific protesting against the recent wage schedule ordered by the district court of this district.

The New Orleans Carnival.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5.—The carnival opened here today was unusually brilliant. The beautiful material for the characters in Rex's retinue were taken from the great pack and story-tellers of ancient and modern times, the general Grecian being literature. Rex appeared at 11 o'clock accompanied by counters and a royal retinue. He was greeted with great enthusiasm in all sides. There were thirteen floats in the procession, and nearly a hundred characters. The decorations are extremely brilliant and the costumes striking. Rex will hold a carnival ball tonight and Comus and crew will parade and also hold a carnival ball, the two rulers exchanging visits during the evening.

The Southern Pacific Grievances.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 5.—The chiefs of the railroad brotherhood are here considering the grievances of the Southern Pacific employes. They will leave for Milwaukee tomorrow night, having arranged a conference with the receivers on Thursday. There has been no strike ordered and no decision of any sort will be reached until after the conference; even then it would require the unanimous vote of the grand officers of the brotherhood to order a strike and this is not likely at present.

Farmers' Alliance Meeting.

TOPEKA, Kas., Feb. 5.—Four hundred people assembled this morning to hear the opening speeches at the meeting of the National Farmers' Alliance and Industrial union. Forty delegates were present. Governor Lewelling and F. Wilkie delivered addresses of welcome. "Farmer" Dean, of New York, and Mann and Page, Virginia, responded.

A secret session is being held this afternoon to be followed by a public meeting tonight at which President Loucks will deliver an address.

CHILDS LAID TO REST.

Body of the Dead Philanthropist Repposes in Woodland.

A Brief Private Service at the Residence,—Followed by Public Services in the Church.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—The remains of George W. Childs were laid to rest today in the Drexel mausoleum, Woodland cemetery, beside those of his closest friend, A. J. Drexel, who died a few months ago.

Funeral services were held this afternoon in the St. James Episcopal church, of which the deceased was a vestryman many years. This was a public service and subsequent to a brief private service at the residence. At the conclusion of this service, the friends present were allowed to look at the face of the departed philanthropist. Then the casket was borne to the church where the services were conducted by Bishop Potter, of New York; Bishop Whitaker, of Philadelphia; Rev. J. H. Blanchet, rector of St. James, and Dr. William Bodine, rector of the Church of our savior, of which the deceased was a member.

THE FRENCH AND ENGLISH.

The Report of Another Engagement Confirmed.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The governor of Sierra Leone telegraphs confirmation of the report of another engagement between the French and British forces on the frontier of Sierra Leone, and says that several were killed on both sides. The French attacked the British, whose force consisted chiefly of native. Touching the affair the Paris Matin says: "We cannot have these things happening weekly. No time should be lost in settling the affair with France."

A Decision Reversed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 6.—The court of appeals of the District has reversed the decision of Judge Bradley in the Palmetto trade mark liquor case, and Commissioner of Patents Seymour scored a point against Governor Tillman, of South Carolina. The commissioner refused to register a trade mark sought by Governor Tillman for a brand of liquor sold by the state. Judge Bradley granted mandamus to compel the registry. The commissioner appealed and the court of appeals reversed Judge Bradley's decision.

Will Probably be Granted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The deficiency appropriation of $400,000 for the expenses of United States courts, which has been asked by the attorney general, is being considered by the House appropriations committee and will probably be granted.

A Champion Skater.

CHRISTIANIA, Feb. 6.—The Norwegian skating championship was won by Halstensl, who will compete at Stockholm.

Revolts the Citizens of Colmarico.

TANGIER, Feb. 6.—General Campos has been received by the Sultan of Morocco, who in a public speech, declared his intention of administering summary punishment on the Riffs. This is the first time in centuries that the sultan of Morocco has spoken in public.

Ordered to Rio.

BERLIN, Feb. 6.—The German cruiser Marie, now in Chilian waters has been ordered to Rio de Janeiro.

Whisky Goes Up.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The whisky trust has advanced the price of whisky two cents per gallon.

The Pacific Railroads.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—Collis P. Huntington was before the Senate committee on railroads this morning, giving the committee information about the Pacific railroads.

C. P. Huntington, who has been on the Pacific railroad committee of the Senate, today made a suggestion to the committee in the shape of a bill looking to the reorganization of the Central Pacific system. His proposition is that the company shall give a mortgage to the government, covering all its property, in consideration of which it may issue $124,000,000 25 per cent bonds, to run 126 years and to be applied first to the replacement of the mortgage bonds of the Central Pacific and the California and Western Pacific railroad, amounting to $27,855,000; also to the redemption of bonds issued on account of the California and Oregon company, amounting to $6,300,000. The bill contains numerous provisions looking to the protection of the government interests in the road.

A Little Filibustering.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—It is not likely the McCreary Hawaiian resolution can be discussed of this afternoon, as the Republicans will probably refuse to vote and the Democrats will hardly muster a quorum of their own.

Postmasters Nominated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The President has nominated L. A. Hardy commissioner at Hover City, N. M., Seymour Manning at Colfax, Washington.

AN IMPORTANT WITNESS.

Fay Gives His Testimony in the Coughlin Murder Case.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Andrew Fay was a witness in the Coughlin case today. He is the man whose wife created the sensation some time ago by testifying for the prosecution that Coughlin, Burke, her husband and others had a secret conference in her house, at which the plot to assassinate Dr. Cronin was worked out, and that her husband afterwards confessed the facts to her. Fay declared that the meeting at his house were in the interest of a certain political candidate in whose Coughlin was interested, and that they had nothing whatever to do with the murder of Dr. Cronin, and that he, Fay, never conspired to murder Cronin. He believed his wife was crazy on the subject. Fay testified that he had been arrested on suspicion of being connected with the murder.

The Latest From Honolulu.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—The bark W. H. Dimond arrived this morning from Honolulu with news to January 19th. Nothing of importance has occurred since the last advices except the celebration of the anniversary of the establishment of the provisional government on the 17th, which passed off quietly. The provisional military paraded the streets, 500 strong. A meeting was held in the palace square in the evening. It attracted the largest crowd ever assembled in Honolulu.

Perkins's Nomination.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Senate committee on the judiciary postponed until Monday the consideration of the nomination of Judge Peckham.

The N. P. Hearing.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 5.—The attorneys in the Northern Pacific fight continued their arguments today. It is thought the hearing will be concluded tomorrow.

No Hearings on the Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Democratic members of the Senate committee on finance have decided to grant no hearings on the tariff bill. Vest was authorized to prepare a statement of the reasons actuating the committee. It is understood he will say that in the present condition of the business of the country time is an essential element in the settlement of the tariff question and the committee could not allow the hearings to go on indefinitely and could not let them off in the middle without doing an injustice to some interests.

The Republicans will probably make a vigorous protest and will likely ask to have the bill recommitted.

AN EARTHQUAKE.

Shocks Felt at Kanosh Sunday Evening and This Morning.

Special to the NEWS per Deseret Telegraph.

BEAVER, Utah, Feb. 5.—A shock of earthquake creating quite a sensation occurred at Kanosh, Millard county, on Sunday evening about 8:30 o'clock. It was experienced all over the town, but from the rattling of the glass and crockeryware on the shelves indicating the shock, it was felt more severely in the south end of the town than in the other parts. The vibrations were from the southwest to the east, inclining in the direction of the old volcanic hills and lava beds southwest of that place.

Another shock was distinctly experienced at the same place and direction at 5 a. m. this morning. No serious damage so far reported.

Hurt By a Horse.

Yesterday as William LeGrange, a 15-year-old boy, was leading a horse along Twenty-fifth street, says the morning's Opinion Standard, the animal fell upon him, crushing him to the earth, and inflicting injuries which may be serious. He was badly bruised and his left leg was terribly cut and lacerated. He was resting as comfortably as possibly last night, after a physician had dressed his wounds.

Card of Thanks.

MR. Cornell, wife of Thomas Cornell, whose death was announced in Saturday evening's News and whose funeral occurred from the Eleventh ward meeting house on Sunday last, is anxious to thank, through the columns of the News, the many friends of the family who so kindly assisted her in the time of sorrow and affliction. She takes this course for the reason that it would not be an easy task to otherwise show her appreciation of the kindness received.

Land Office Entries.

George Horn, of Huron, Emery county, has filed an application in the land office for a homestead entry of 160 acres in section 30, township 19 south of range 8 east.

Mary E. Price, heir of the estate of Edward T. Allen, deceased, filed final proof in the land office for a homestead entry of 80 acres in section 11, township 12 north of range 5 east.

Thomas Stemmett, of Scipio, Millard county, filed an application for a desert entry of 40 acres in section 12, township 16 south of range 8 west.

BUSINESS AND MINES.

Deseret Bank Declares a Dividend Today.

WORK AT PROVO WOOLEN MILLS.

Utah Exhibit for the Fair.—Home News.—Miscellaneous Business and Mining Notes.

The Deseret Bank directors held a meeting today and received the reports, showing the satisfactory condition of the bank. A three per cent dividend for the quarter was declared on the capital stock of half a million.

THE SAVINGS BANK.

The monthly meeting of the Deseret Savings bank directors was held today, the report made showing the institution to be in splendid financial condition.

THE PROVO MILLS.

Today the Provo mills management received word from California of the payment of the first installment on the contract for furnishing the cloth for the Golden state militia uniforms. The mills are still working on the contract, which probably will not be completed for another six weeks.

The new 800-horse power boiler just put in at the woolen mills has been started up, and is working satisfactorily.

BEAVER "INDIAN" MINES.

The Vanderbilt shaft is thinning out; a great excitement was raised there, but it amounting to nothing.

The Beaver Woolen Mills have levied an assessment of five per cent each, to be used in preparing to start up the mills in the spring.

The time of reckoning has come, and nearly all our mines are ready to declare dividends, which is face of the city of hard times, is very encouraging. Beaver is a number one place for business in the mercantile way.

Jose Tye's lithographic rock mine is developing, as we have seen, he has recently seen to see it and declares the stone to be genuine article. Five men have been employed and as the work progresses the stone becomes better and finer.

Word was received here not long ago that 150 boxes were wanted at Monkey Wrench to load ore. Quite a number of boxes went out, but nearly all have returned as there is no load work to be done. Those returning are principally from Nevada.

John Farr and others have taken up and located a dam site south of St. George on the Virgin, above the Beaver dam wash, at what is known as the narrows of the Virgin. Dodgeville is to be the name of the town site, about 2,000 acres of very valuable land. Timber is abundant in the adjacent hills. The land is described as being most beautifully located and will make a lovely township.

Mr. Thos. Ferguson who left Beaver after his visit to Sheep Rock, on a surveying tour with Mr. Brockon and party, states that a tunnel of 320 feet had been started to tap the Clemens vein 150 feet below the top. We noticed broad quartz boulders in the counties of a few of the Clemens outcrops, and inquiry brought out the fact that Ferguson had been distributing "the ready" among them. Mr. F. is the vice-president and business manager of the Clemens mine.

The Mineral Hole, which includes the Jim Crow mine, at Ferguson district, has since its opening within the last year, shipped 300 tons of ore to Salt Lake City, which has averaged $13 gold per ton. Two of the boiler mine ore produced by this hole, though none of it was sorted. The interested parties in this property are not capitalists, though some day they may hope to be, but just hope whose fate led them to this Sheep Rock, more is to be, and getting a job than becoming millionaires.

Supt. Woolfenden says that the business done during the year by M. M. & Co. has exceeded expectations, and has been nearly equal to last year's business. He says he fire will come out on top, just what they started out for. A good round dividend in those times will be an anomaly, but M. M. & Co's. business will warrant a good sized percentage on the capital invested. The cards and business of the management of the superintendent has much to do with this, and Mr. Woolfenden is to be congratulated.

Mr. William Pearson brought us in a good sized sample of his Beaver coal. The quantity was sufficient to give the mineral a successful test. It was turned in a cook stove and made a rapid and vigorous blaze, developing an immense amount of heat. Of the entire pack which we burned there was not a hemisphere of an ounce, as we noticed. The coal seemed to be full of the elements of good fire and heat. Mr. Pearson says he has already been informed as to the value of his claim, and this, too, by record parties. A representative of the U. S. & C. called upon him regarding the mine, but Pearson stated that he had not sufficiently developed the prospect to know what its value is, and could therefore not talk intelligently on the matter. The coal beds lie within eight miles of Beaver city.

BINGHAM "BULLETIN" ITEMS.

The operators of the Bonanza mine, owing to the exceedingly low price of ore, have suspended work on that property.

A new strike is reported from the Nest mine, being a six-foot body of fine galena ore, which has been encountered in some new workings on that property.

That lucky miner, Andrew Pettersen, lessee and operator of the Yosemite, given out the news that the week of another new strike in the Yosemite mine, being a fine-cut body of fine class galena ore.

A four-foot body of so pretty galena ore as was ever seen came in West Mountain mining district, in a recent strike at the Tecumseh mine. The more work done, the more and richer quality of ore is found in this property.

THE FRUIT GROWERS.

The fruit growers of Weber county met Saturday afternoon in Ogden for the purpose of organizing a fruit growers' union. O. S. Heslop was elected temporary chairman and L. T. Abert secretary. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested and addresses were made by O. S. Heslop, E. H. Allen, H. T. Peters, George Steele, D. Peebles, J. N. Parker and others. A committee was appointed to draft constitution and by-laws, to report next meeting, members being selected from the following towns: Ogden, North Ogden, Mound Fort, Fort West, Pleasant View, Riverside, Pine City, Wilson, Ranch Creek, West Weber, Kaysville, Hooper and Lynch.

Next Saturday afternoon there will be a general meeting of all the fruit growers to hear and discuss the committee's report.

FOR THE FAIR.

John C. Cutler & Brothers began packing their Provo mills exhibit this morning, for the Midwinter Fair. They do it because we are so busy, and can not bring related from the regular producers of the mills.

It is probable that the Utah exhibit will be shipped to the Fair on Thursday next, as it will be all ready tomorrow.

THE SUGAR BOWL.

Charles Caldwell, of this city, is part owner in the Bonanza mine, located six miles from Weatherly, Oregon. Today he received the following from the foreman in the mine: "I have one man driving a crosscut for the large vein from south, and two men sinking on the pay shoot in the first crosscut. The shoot continues good. I will double the force in a few days and open the work. The mine is about eighteen inches deep from the mine up to the timber."

NOTES.

The American Fork Advocate is fond to follow that it is second every day by post, by calling for health mines to make a big stake in the spring. It is seemed not quite high grade ore can be found in sufficient in the city, but not barely sufficient to justify mining without a mill in close proximity, that the yellow metal is here, and all it needs is experienced men with money and pluck to get right in and overcome these prospects. It is clearly that one man in this city found gold in his back yard. A bright idea has American Fork to work. Are the opening of spring, we learn that these owning mines in American Fork country will resume work upon them, although those mines are principally silver and lead.

Castella Gleaner: F. H. Wright returned yesterday from a business trip to Roseville and Alma, Wyo. Mr. Wright informed us that the lines in that section are in much more improved condition, many having left Alma for Hot Springs and other more prosperous towns in eastern Wyoming. He also stated that many were returning there and have no means with which to money, that the No. 3 mine has resumed work on a small scale, but those who were given employment were the boys who were indebted to the company and were given an opportunity to get out of the hole deeper. The company has given all those who wish to leave a pass to the eastern part of the state.

Iron county Record: A great many people are looking to southern Utah as a locality that offers many advantages for homes, investments and the establishment of business enterprises. As our many natural resources are becoming better and more widely known, the interest is becoming quite marked. Our neighbor, Lincoln county, is giving it a big boom in this region. The inducements offered by Iron county in the way of large tracts of arable land, immense deposits of iron and coal, and other resources, together with the bright outlook for railroad facilities in the near future, will draw many of the home seekers and capitalists here, and by another year we predict that there will be a great change in the appearance and condition of Cedar City, by them, we believe, we will have a railroad to Coal Creek to our vast coal deposits, and another one across the valley to the mountains of hematite and magnetic iron ore which abound here; iron furnaces and foundries will be in full blast, and other leading establishments will be under way, and this city will present a scene of commercial and manufacturing activity.

LIPPMAN'S FINAL RESOLVE.

It Places The County Cogs in a Sort of Quandary; Please Yourselves, Gentlemen!

The curtain has not yet been rung down on that neat little comedy in which County Recorder Lippman and the three county solons are sustaining the principal roles. Mr. Lippman has addressed a letter to Selectman Bomberger, as the committee of one deputed by his colleagues to take charge of the business in regard to the dilapidated records kept in the recorder's vault, but inasmuch as the communication was viewed by Mr. Bamberger as a personal one he decided to keep the contents to himself—at any rate for the present.

It is learned, however, that Recorder Lippman intends expressing his willingness to allow the removal of the records mentioned in the county court's resolution, by the two persons mentioned, provided, that the supplies give a satisfactory bond for the safe and proper handling of the records, and for any damages that may result therefrom; second, that the orders of Commissioners Lippman be certified to by the recorder, or, in other words, that he be considered as official records of his office.

And so the case stands up to this afternoon. It will be interesting to know now what move the county court—again minus Judge Rich—will next make.

The Scandinavian.

With County Clerk Maloy there were filed this morning articles of incorporation of the Scandinavian Mercantile Company, whose chief place of business will be Salt Lake City.

The capital stock is placed at $50,000, divided into four shares of $12 each.

The incorporators and the number of shares taken by each are: N. J. Brunebo, 1; Jos. M. Christensen, 81; O. C. Ibsen, 1; Mrs. Anna Stevens, 1; Charles V. Anderson, 1; O. J. Amundsen, 1; C. C. Johnson, 1; August A. Wendell, 1; John A. Stephens, 1; Jens W. Ingvar, 1; D. Tangren, 1; P. P. Nelson, 1; J. C. Jensen, 1; J. W. Eckman, 1. Article forbidding issue of stock only.

N. J. Brunebo is president, John A. Stephens vice-president, and J. C. Jensen secretary and treasurer.

The object of the organization is to conduct a general mercantile, manufacturing and commercial business.

THE LEGAL MILL.

Proceedings Had in Judge Rolich's Court Today.

Judge Rolich, in the second division of the Third district court this morning, went on with the hearing of cases on the law and motion calendar, and among those called during the day were the subjoined. Tomorrow the hearing will start in with the trials of petit jury cases and continue with those from day to day.

Deseret National Bank vs the Rio Grande Western Ry. et al. Demurrer to complaint sustained; two days to amend.

Bank of Utah vs the Rio Grande Western Ry. et al. Demurrer to complaint overruled; fifteen days to answer. Knox, Shepherd and Dyer and Dyer given to plaintiff.

O. C. Brown vs Jackson Billiot. Demurrer to cross-complaint sustained; ten days to amend.

Alexander F. Fraser vs A. S. Paul et al. Motion to dismiss this action sustained and exceptions allowed.

H. O. Miller vs C. E. Westbrook et al. Motion for judgment on the pleadings overruled.

Fathia Phelan et al vs James W. Phelan et al. Leave granted to file supplemental complaint and amend two days to serve.

Sophia Bennett vs Harmon Pratt, U. S. commissioner. Hearing on writ of certiorari. The claim was made that at the time of a civil suit in the county court which was tried before the plaintiff's wife A. B. Margetts, Chas. B. Margetts, Rachel H. Reilly and Sarah J. Pinnock, that testimony exceeded six jurisdiction in the taking of a certain restraining order.

The court took the arguments under advisement.

Thomas Marshall vs the Salt Lake & Fort Douglas Railway Co. Petition to be given to the answer and cross-complaint by Martin A. Crombie against the company.

THE CRISIS AT HAND.

Should the Mayor Not Act in the Matter of Appointments Tonight the Council Will Do So Soon.

"This is the last day," said a councilman who enjoys the reputation of saying something every time he talks, "that the Mayor will have under the law to act in the matter of removals and appointments. Should he fail to take advantage of the opportunity then the Council at its next meeting will swing its scythe of official decapitation in a manner that will cut down everything that comes before it."

"And what does it propose to do?" then asked the interrogated man.

"It will simply do its duty, and that will be to fill every office made vacant, by the men who it can decide are."

Another of the municipal solons was spoken to in regard to the matter this morning and according to his statements he held similar views and when asked if he was not afraid that litigation would follow he gave a very emphatic negative reply, supplemented by saying: "It would prove a little fun at our rather than an men who worked against and who put up money to defeat a reform movement headed by citizens convincing the appointive officers of money when they are in every way competent to fill a majority of the job payers. We want to be a change, now, why wouldn't we have it?"

PETITION TO WEATHER BUREAU

A Request that this City Be Made a First-class Forecast Station.

The members of the Assembly today signed the following document, which John Sharp, Esq., of this city is chiefly instrumental in promoting, and which many eminent citizens are signing:

Chief of Weather Bureau, Washington D. C.

Your petitioners, citizens of Utah Territory, respectfully represent that it would be greatly to the advantage of the Territory to have the station of the weather bureau at Salt Lake City raised to a first-class forecast station, instead of as at present, a second class station in the southern portion of the Territory, say at Beaver city, Beaver county, which, with the following station already established, is intended to report to the Salt Lake City station, viz: Lander, Wyoming; Roseburg, Oregon; Seattle Washington; Spokane, Washington; Portland, Oregon; Fort Bidwell, California; Sacramento, California; Fresno, California; San Francisco, California; Los Angeles, California; Yuma, Arizona; Tucson, Arizona; Montrose, California; Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Today's Probate.

In the probate court this morning Judge Rolich made the following order:

Estate of Clarence W. Hall, deceased. Saturday, February 10th, at 10 a.m. set for hearing petition for letters of administration.

Estate and guardianship of Henry O. Foote, a minor. Hearing on petition for letters of guardianship. Alex. D. Moffit appointed guardian on filing a bond of $1,000. Citation to issue to Sarah Foote, Kingsford to file an account of Edward Kimball, as guardian of said minor, for or before February 10th.

Estate and guardianship of N. Y. Taylor et al, minors. Hearing on guardianship's account. Minors was allowed.

Estate of Sarah Walton's, deceased. Hearing on administrator's account and the same allowed.

TRIAL FOR MURDER.

George Gaylor, a Boy of Eleven, Is the Person Accused.

A JURY SECURED AT LAST.

Opening Statement for the Prosecution.—The Defense Will Again Make a Persistent Fight.

The task of securing a jury to try the case of George Taylor turned out to be a harder undertaking than had been at first expected. Up to the hour of adjournment yesterday afternoon no one had yet sat on the entire original panel had been accepted, and when Uriah McMillan, on behalf of the court, that the panel had become exhausted, his honor Judge Merrill directed that an open venire for thirty more jurors be issued forthwith, and made returnable at 10 a.m. today.

When court reassembled this morning the additional jurors presented themselves and twelve out of the number were called into the box. The first man examined was Jas. Langton, but it was elicited that he was not a taxpayer. Howell, however, that he paid the poll tax, and Judge Powers also observed: "The juror is wearing a watch, and that is taxable property." The examination of Mr. Langton was proceeded with by Judge Howell of counsel for the prosecution, but the juror was very soon afterwards dispensed with, on his admitting that he had already formed what was tantamount to an irrevocable opinion on the case. "Slightly!" was Mr. F. D. Cliff's quiet but significant answer to the preliminary interrogation "Are you a taxpayer?" and a simple of laughter followed, among those who knew the gentleman to be on the register of the more heavily burdened residents of Salt Lake. Like all who had gone before him, Mr. Cliff was "excused." And so the morning wore on with little else to relieve the bedlam of the room upon half-quiet waves, by which time a trial jury had been obtained. In the end the jurors were accepted with a "rush" as follows:

Robert Walker, J. A. Smith, Aaron B. Porter, W. A. Hodges, H. F. Westside, Daniel Park, Geo. M. Bailey, Chas. Bowdie, Henry Behring, Geo. Henry, Geo. F. Downey, Ben Leisner.

The prosecution exercised ten peremptory challenges and the defense nine.

The jurors having been duly sworn, Judge Howell intimated that the was ready to at once proceed with his opening statement for the prosecution.

Counsel outlined the facts which he expected to prove by the witnesses whom he proposed to call, saying that the killing of the deceased child, Clyde Robertson, occurred in the eastern part of this city, near Major avenue, on June 24th, 1893. Judge Howell's statement was substantially the same as that made in the trial of Gaylor's co-defendant, Harry Hammond, special stress being laid upon the threats made by young Hammond to "fix" the child Clyde, while Gaylor was in his company, on the morning of the tragedy. The shooting of Clyde happened the same afternoon.

The prosecuting attorney insisted that there was a premeditated design on the part of the two boys to take little Clyde's life, and asserted to certain contradictory statements made by the accused prior and subsequent to their arrest.

It was not contended, he said, that Gaylor carried the gun which caused the child's death or that he had pulled the trigger, but he was with Hammond, who did the actual shooting, aiding, assisting and abetting him in doing the act. Gaylor was the older boy of the two and Hammond was under his influence.

Judge Powers intimated that the defense desired to reserve the right to withhold its statement until the close of the case for the prosecution.

Court then took a recess till 2 p.m., Judge Merrill admonishing the jury not to discuss the case among themselves in the interval.

As on yesterday afternoon Gaylor's father and mother sat beside him, and both appear to realize the gravity of their son's position far more than does the lad himself. George Gaylor is a quiet, inoffensive looking boy of 13 years, and very intelligent. His parents are highly respectable people and have long been residents of this city.

The prosecution, as stated in three columns yesterday, is being conducted by Assistant District Attorney Howell and Attorney George L. Nye; Judge Powers and Attorney C. O. Whitmore are counsel for the defense. Attorney Wells, who took so prominent a part in the trial of Harry Hammond, Gaylor's co-defendant, does not appear at the present investigation.

When court reassembled at two o'clock there was some "warmth" talk between Judge Powers and Assistant District Attorney Howell as to whether or not the jury should be taken to inspect the scene of the shooting. Judge Howell desired the jury to go there before the testimony was taken; Judge Powers contended that they should not go until the testimony was in. Chief Justice Merrill in a friendly way called counsel to order once or twice. Ultimately it was decided that Attorney J. H. Harris and the court bailiff should forewith accompany the jury to the spot, the former (who was sworn) to point out the objects incident to the case to them.

Judge Merrill took occasion to remark during the colloquy that he was now anxious the accused should have a thoroughly fair and impartial trial.

During the absence of the jury the court took a recess.

University Lands.

The Commissioners to locate university lands have sent to Edward Hansen, county surveyor of Cache county, representing nineteen claimants or settlers, 1,460 acres of land in Cache county, the purchase price of which was 20,800, the payment on which account was covered into the university land.