A BLOW TO LOCAL JOBBERS.

The Southern Pacific Badly Outgeneraled.

Salt Lake, With the Aid of the Eastern Lines, Controls the Utah Market.

Under the above caption the San Francisco Chronicle of Sunday has this rather emphatic plaint to make concerning the recent rate troubles here:

The bitter rate war between the Southern Pacific company on the one side and the lines from the East doing business in Utah is approaching a crisis. The freight department of the Southern Pacific company was advised yesterday that the Union Pacific and the Rio Grande Western roads had withdrawn what are known as the distributing rates out of Ogden, and this action on the part of the Southern Pacific's competitors has placed the Ogden jobbers, who have supported the Southern Pacific in the Utah rate fight, at such an unequal disadvantage with the Salt Lake jobbers that vigorous protests have gone forth from Ogden during the past few days.

The trouble between the Southern Pacific and its eastern connections, which are its competitors as far as Utah traffic is concerned, dates from last fall when the eastern lines refused their freight rates into Utah from the East. The Southern Pacific, claiming that San Francisco was the natural distributing point on account of its proximity to Utah, then issued a tariff in which it reduced its rates from California to Utah common points. The Southern Pacific's connections refused to participate in these rates and the Southern Pacific was left no alternative but to withdraw its tariff. As a substitute it made rates to Ogden sufficiently low, it was thought, to sustain San Francisco jobbers to compete with eastern jobbers in Utah. The Southern Pacific took the stand that it was entitled to make the same rate per mile from San Francisco to Utah as existed from Chicago to Utah, and the Ogden tariff figured out on this basis. The Southern Pacific has since been making such special rates to Ogden as the traffic warranted, and these rates were recently incorporated in a general tariff published two weeks ago. These rates apply only to Ogden, the terminus of the Central Pacific, but were made sufficiently low to enable shippers to pay the additional distributing rate on the lines of the United Roads, the Rio Grande Western and still to left a margin of profit. The Ogden jobbers have been supporting the Northern Pacific company in its fight with the lines which want Utah's business to come from the East, and for retaliation the Union Pacific and the Rio Grande Western have now cancelled all distributing rates out of Ogden and given Salt Lake jobbers a practical monopoly of the trade of Southern Utah.

As C. F. Smart, general freight agent of the Southern Pacific, explained yesterday, the jobbers of Ogden and Salt Lake have always enjoyed an equal advantage in respect to rates in pursuance of an agreement with both the Union Pacific and the Rio Grande Western lines. Distributing rates to points north of Logan and south of Lehi Junction have been the same from both Ogden and Salt Lake, and the withdrawal of the distributing rates from Ogden accordingly leaves the Ogden jobber in an embarrassing predicament. In order to compete with the Salt Lake jobber in Southern Utah he has now to pay the local rate from Ogden to Salt Lake in addition to the distributing rate from Salt Lake. These local rates are almost prohibitory, and, added to the rate from San Francisco to Ogden, make a through rate that is only worth it many instances equals the rate from Chicago. The local rates from Ogden to Salt Lake per 100 pounds are as follows, governed by the western classification: First class, 50 cents; second class, 38 cents; third class, 29 cents; fourth class, 25 cents; fifth class, 15 cents; class A, 15 cents; class B, 13½ cents; class C, 11 cents; class D, 8 cents; class E, 7 cents. The rate on sugar, which is one of the principal commodities shipped from here to Utah, takes the fifth class rate, or 15 cents per 100 pounds for the short haul of thirty-six miles between Ogden and Salt Lake, while, added to the rate of thirty cents from here to Ogden, makes a through rate of 45 cents to Salt Lake. It is the same with all other commodities which California is supplying to the Utah trade, and not only the Ogden jobber, but the San Francisco jobber, from whom the former obtains his goods, is now forced to face an unpleasant condition of affairs, which he has no means of regulating. The Ogden papers are now taxing the Union Pacific and the Rio Grande Western lines severely to look for their withdrawal of all distributing rates out of Ogden, and the Ogden jobbers are sending out circulars to their customers notifying them to send in their orders early, and offering to refund to them every cent limit freight costs them more from Ogden than it would cost them from Salt Lake. The action of the two lines mentioned is regarded as an attempt to freeze the San Francisco merchant and the Southern Pacific company, and incidentally the Salt Lake jobber who gets his goods from San Francisco, out of all territory which can be supplied from Salt Lake.

PROVO.

PROVO, UTAH, MAY 5, 1896.

Fourth District Court.

The case of Hagar Singleton vs Albert Singleton came up before Judge McClarty yesterday and occupied all day and evening. John M. Zane and S. A. King appeared for plaintiff and Thurman and Wedgwood for the defendant. Plaintiff asks for divorce on the ground of adultery. The arguments in the case were made this forenoon, each side taking two hours.

OTHER COURT BUSINESS.

Judgment and decree of foreclosure for $1,000, $115 interest and $100 attorney's fees was entered by default in the case of E. R. Groves vs Thomas Bayliss et al.

Thomas Morgan of Goshen, a native of Wales, was adjudged to citizenship.

Michael Gleer and Fred Hitesman, the two Lehi boys who were taken over on a charge of stealing a horse from George Hoot, were, upon motion of County Attorney Owen, discharged on the grounds of insufficiency of testimony to convict.

Daniel Reynolds and Frank Howard, the two tramps who were charged with the crime against nature, of which two Salt Lake boys were the victims, committed to Provo from Grantsville Tuesday, were arraigned on information. They informed the court that they had no attorney and did not want one. The court, however, considered that in view of the gravity of the charge he would appoint counsel, and appointed S. A. King and E. E. Cardman to defend. Defendants then took till today to plead.

Rozzie Davis has commenced a suit for divorce against Robert H. Davis on the grounds of desertion and failure to provide, and asks for the custody of two minor children and for alimony. The parties intermarried in Salem, Utah, on the 8th of December, 1884.

Abstract of judgment for $142.45 from Justice Harvey's court, Salt Lake, in the case of Goddis-Pitts Drug Co. vs John D. Trumbo has been filed in the Fourth district court.

A supersedeas in the case affirming sale of real estate in the matter of the estate of Asa K. Thomas, deceased.

Will Sue For His Salary.

At a meeting of the city council held last evening the claim of J. W. N. Whitecotton for salary as city attorney for the month of April was laid on the table on motion of Newell. Mr. Whitecotton stated after the council had adjourned that he would commence suit today for the amount. This will bring the question of whether he is city attorney of not into court. Mr. Whitecotton was city attorney under the former council and was superseded by Mayor Holbrook, but the Democratic majority has so far refused to confirm him as same. Mr. Whitecotton, however, has misused to the duties of his office, holding over from last term. Some time ago he made a proposition to the council to take the case into court on an agreed statement of fact in order to have the question settled as the Democratic members had adopted a resolution that the office of city attorney was vacant. The proposition has not been accepted, and Mr. Whitecotton's salary has been paid up till this time.

Notes.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Annie Mining company was held yesterday and the following officers elected: A. D. Cash, president; A. McCurtain, vice president; H. P. Thomas, secretary; Herman Martin, treasurer, who with S. A. King, R. D. Mowry and C. H. Wiss constitute the board of directors. A good report was made of the property of the company, and it is the intention of the company to put a mill at it as early date for treatment of the ore.

Mrs. Martha M. Campbell is in the city for the purpose of organizing a woman's relief corps, auxiliary to the W. T. Sherman Post G. A. R.

A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Eggert on yesterday.

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ESTRAY POUND NOTICE.

ONE BAY HORSE, 4 YEARS OLD, HIND L on left shoulder, star in face, color looks like an ant hill.

If the above described animal is not claimed on or before Tuesday, May 12th, 1896, at 2 o'clock he will be sold to the highest bidder at auction at City Estray pound.

JOHN C. HATHEY, Estray Keeper.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Chance Gold Mining and Milling Co., will be held at the office of said company, No. 35 S. West Temple, Salt Lake City, on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting for the election of trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

SALT LAKE CITY, APRIL 15th, 1896.

LEWIS M. CANNON, Secy.

HARRIS & WILSON, AGTS., 15 W. SECOND SOUTH.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the Year ending December 31st, 1895, of the condition of the

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

Made to the Secretary of State of the State of Utah, in pursuance of the law thereof relating to Insurance Companies.

1. The name and locality of the company, Queen Insurance Co., of America, New York.
2. The amount of its capital stock paid up in cash ..... $ 500,000 00
3. The amount of its assets as per last statement 1,000,000 00
4. The amount of its liabilities, except capital stock 2,500,000 00
5. The income of the company during the year 2,500,000 00
6. The expenditures during the year 1,500,000 00

State of California, } ss.
City and County of San Francisco, }

Rufus V. Watt, attorney and agent, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the officer of the above named company duly authorized to make the foregoing statement of the previous condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1895, and that the said statement is a full, true and correct statement of the said condition as required by the Insurance laws of the State of Utah.

RUFUS V. WATT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of April, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] JOHN H. TALBOT, Notary Public.

State of Utah, } ss.
Office of the Secretary of State. }

I, James T. Hammond, Secretary of State of the State of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the annual statement of the general condition of the Queen Insurance Co., of America, New York, as filed in my office on the 31st day of March, 1896, in pursuance of the laws of this State relating to Insurance Companies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] J. T. HAMMOND, Secretary of State.

HARRIS & WILSON, AGTS., 15 W. SECOND SOUTH.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the Year ending December 31st, 1895, of the condition of the

Connecticut Fire Insurance Co.

Made to the Secretary of State of the State of Utah, in pursuance of the law thereof relating to Insurance Companies.

1. The Name and Locality of the Company, Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., Hartford, Conn.
2. The Amount of its Capital Stock paid up $1,000,000 00
3. The Amount of its Assets as per last statement 1,000,000 00
4. The Amount of its Liabilities (including Capital) is 2,000,000 00
5. The Income of the Company during the year 2,000,000 00
6. The Expenditures during the year were 1,500,000 00

State of California, } ss.
County of San Francisco, }

Robert Jackson, manager, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the officer of the above named company, and that the foregoing statement of the general condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1895, is correct according to the best of his information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

ROBERT JACKSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of April, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] GEO. E. KING, Notary Public.

State of Utah, } ss.
Office of the Secretary of State. }

I, James T. Hammond, Secretary of State of the State of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the annual statement of the general condition of the Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., as filed in my office on the 2nd day of May, 1896, in pursuance of the laws of this State relating to Insurance Companies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] J. T. HAMMOND, Secretary of State.

HARRIS & WILSON, AGTS., 15 W. SECOND SOUTH.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the Year ending December 31, 1895, of the condition of the

AMERICAN CENTRAL INSURANCE CO.

Made to the Secretary of State of the State of Utah, in pursuance of the laws thereof relating to Insurance Companies.

1. The Name and Location of the Company is Cent. St. Louis, Mo.
2. The amount of its capital stock ..... $ 300,000 00
3. The amount of its assets 1,300,000 00
4. The amount of its liabilities 1,000,000 00
5. The income of the company during the year 1,300,000 00
6. The expenditures during the year were 1,300,000 00

State of Missouri, } ss.
City of St. Louis, }

John H. Lucas, secretary, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the officer of the above named company, and that the foregoing statement of the general condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1895, is correct according to the best of his information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

JOHN H. LUCAS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] G. W. BLOCK, Notary Public.

State of Utah, } ss.
Office of the Secretary of State. }

I, James T. Hammond, Secretary of State of the State of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the annual statement of the general condition of the American Central Insurance Co., of St. Louis, Mo., as filed in my office on the 2nd day of May, 1896, in pursuance of the laws of this State relating to Insurance Companies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Utah, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL.] J. T. HAMMOND, Secretary of State.

NOTICE.

TO APPLICANTS FOR POSITION IN THE Salt Lake Fire Department: In accordance with notice given at an adjourned meeting of the board of fire commissioners, all applications for position in said department will be acted on by the board at their regular meeting on Monday, May 4th, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., at the office of the board, 15 W. Second South st. Applicants are requested to be present at the office of the board at the time specified.

By order of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners.

GEORGE P. HILT, Secretary.

SALT LAKE CITY, April 27, 1896.

NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Peoria Point Gold and Silver Mining Company:

THERE WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY, the 15th day of May, A. D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the office of the company, in the Templeton building, Salt Lake City, Utah, a meeting of the stockholders of the above-named company, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN BEAN, President.

SALT LAKE CITY, April 25, 1896.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN accordance with and under the power and authority granted and conferred in and by certain Trust Deed executed by Ole Jensen and Hannah Jensen, his wife, to the undersigned Trustee, dated the 6th day of May, 1893, and recorded on the 6th day of May, 1893, in the office of the County Recorder of Salt Lake County, Utah, in Book 23 of Mortgages, at page 1, records of said county, to secure the payment of the sum of $1,000 and interest thereon as therein provided, default having been made in the payment of said sum and interest, and the whole thereof having been declared due and payable, and no action or proceeding having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Trust Deed or any part thereof, I will, on the 6th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the County Court House in Salt Lake City, Utah, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the following described property, situate in Salt Lake County, Utah, to-wit: Lot 6, Block 1, Plat "A," Salt Lake City Survey, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said county.

Dated April 6, 1896.

JAMES H. MOYLE, Trustee.

(First publication April 14, 1896.)

DELINQUENT ASSESSMENT.

Delinquent Notice. Wasatch Coal Mining Company. Location of principal place of business, Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Salt Lake City Corporation, held on the 1st day of April, 1896, an assessment was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in the office of the Secretary, at the rooms of the Corporation, in Salt Lake City, Utah, to the persons named in the following list, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due upon each share of stock set opposite their names, respectively, on the 1st day of April, 1896, as follows, to-wit:

Name.	No. Shares.	Amount.
L. C. Barrus	1	$ 10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
L. C. Barrus	1	10
C. H. Bennett	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
William S. Brigham	1	10
A. A. Brigham	1	10
A. A. Brigham	1	10
A. A