

WESTERN PACIFIC STILL PLUGGING

Work is Proceeding Slowly on
The New Gould Line to
The Coast.

CONTRACTS LET IN NEVADA.

Word Received From San Francisco
To That Effect This Morning
Means Renewed Activity.

Work on the Western Pacific at this end is proceeding slowly but surely and there is every indication that the new Gould line to the coast will be the best money can construct.

At the present time there is a big steam shovel at work at the point of the mountain leading up from the rock and dirt which are being dumped on the bed of the lake across which the main line goes. While the southern beach is apparently dry, similar conditions are being encountered here and there so much trouble to the engineers working on the Lucin cut-off when it was first built. The underlying silt makes a poor foundation for the track and in consequence tons of rock are being dumped in order to maintain a good roadbed.

Between Salt Lake and a point some two miles beyond Garfield the line has been ballasted with gravel from the Jordan Narrows pit of the Rio Grande Western. This work is being pushed and the road is rapidly assuming a splendid physical condition.

At the present time the track is laid to a point some 12 miles west of Low Pass, or close upon 70 miles out of Salt Lake.

Grantville is passed six and a half miles to the north, where a temporary station has been put in the form of Grant's siding. A pumping station also has been installed five miles beyond Grantville, and another is in operation beyond Low Pass. The furthest construction camp also is now connected with the Grantville exchange by a private telephone line.

Across the desert construction will be practically nil, as it is the intention to lay the ties and rails on the ground and gradually raise the track with ballast.

An Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco this morning says: "Contracts have been let by the Western Pacific railway for the grading of 100 miles of its proposed line through Nevada. The present contract runs from Deeth in Humboldt valley to the Nevada and Utah line. It is difficult country to traverse. Mountain ranges obstruct passage in every direction. In order to find a practicable grade, engineers have chosen a route that is not direct, but when completed will do away with the double engine service that would otherwise be necessary."

HURST AUTOMATIC SWITCH GIVEN PUBLIC TEST.

Mr. Charles Hurst, inventor of the Hurst automatic switch, yesterday afternoon gave the first public exhibition of his invention. The test took place at Third West and Second South in the presence of a number of people, including the committee of manufacturers and new industries of the Commercial club. Mr. Hurst showed the various features of his invention, including slow and flying tests with the train running at various speeds. The several sidings and spurs which run onto the main track at this point being used. The tracks were made without trouble. It is likely the company which will manufacture the switch will be installed here, although an effort has been made to secure the shops for Seattle and some points in the east.

In addition, the members of the Commercial club committees, there were present J. Ross Clark, vice president of the Salt Lake Route, and E. P. Clark, president of the California Interurban Electric Line.

R. G. W. BLOCKADE MOVING.

Local business men were informed this morning by the Rio Grand freight men, that six new engines from the Baldwin shops were west of Grand

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Junction and at work cleaning up the congested sidings, and it is more than likely that the new Gould line to the coast will be the best money can construct.

HOYT SHERMAN TO LEAVE.

Will Take Family to Washington D. C. Early in December.

Hoyt Sherman will move with his family to Washington, D. C. during the first week in December, where he is going to assume the temporary management of the affairs of the John Sherman Estate company for two years. He will retain his interest here in the Wilson-Sherman company and also will not relinquish his title as western freight and passenger agent of the Colorado & Southern railway. During his absence his position will be filled by W. C. Shoemaker, traveling agent for the railroad in this territory.

Mr. Sherman goes to Washington to give his personal attention to the improvement of a tract of land owned by the estate on Columbia Heights. This realty is valued at about \$1,000,000, although it has not been to date a revenue getter. The estate is now going to parcel it off, park the streets and erect apartment houses for lease.

Associated with Mr. Sherman in the big enterprise are P. T. Sherman of New York; Charles M. Sherman of Boston; Henry Sherman of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. McCallum of Washington, an adopted daughter of the late Senator Sherman. All of the other heirs are nephews.

EXCURSION TO BULLFROG.

The passenger department of the Salt Lake Route announces that the time on the excursion tickets to Beatty, Nev., issued on the occasion of Railroad day, Oct. 22-23, will be extended for 15 days thereby allowing prospectors plenty of time to get out into the hills for 10 days.

NEW TIME CARD.

One issued on the Las Vegas & Tonopah Railroad.

New time cards have been issued by Sup't. F. M. Grace of the Las Vegas and Tonopah Railroad company, showing the road now to be open for operation between Las Vegas and Gold Center, a distance of 116 miles. The train leaves Las Vegas daily at 11:55 a. m. and arrives at Gold Center at 5:45 p. m., returning leave Gold Center at 9:20 a. m. and arrive at 4:05 p. m. in time to connect with the regular through trains on the Salt Lake Route. The stations on the line are now, Las Vegas, Corn Creek, Owens Indian Springs, Charles, Amarosa, Rose's Well and Gold Center. In 10 days time Beatty, Bullfrog, will be added.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

E. J. Yerd, chief engineer of the Denver & Rio Grande, is in Salt Lake today.

Vice President J. Ross Clark of the Salt Lake Route leaves for Las Vegas tonight.

C. A. Walker, general agent of the Chicago & Northwestern, leaves for Chicago in the morning.

PERSONALS.

Messrs. George T. Odell and J. Fred Odell and their families are off this afternoon on an automobile trip to Spanish Fork.

R. J. Shields has returned from a 10 days' business trip to Denver. He noted while there that the local politicians had concentrated their energies which heretofore have been scattered among three and four different political parties, and the issues are reduced to the two old and straight political parties.

GOVERNOR CUTLER

COMMENTS EATON

Gov. Cutler has heartily endorsed the action of Principal Eaton of the high school in taking a stand against permitting students who are not up with their studies to take part in the athletic sports of the school. The following correspondence has passed between the governor and Principal Eaton concerning that matter:

Oct. 6, 1906.—Prof. Geo. A. Eaton, Principal of the High School, Salt Lake City: My Dear Sir—I see by the morning paper that when the list of football players for the present school year was presented to you for your approval, you took off the names of the delinquents. I am greatly pleased that the idea is being developed that thorough preparation in scholastic work shall be made a requisite for recognition in school sports. I wish to congratulate you on what you are doing to forward this worthy movement; and in this expression of commendation I am sure I shall be upheld by all the supporters of our educational institutions. You are at liberty to make any use of this letter you wish.

With kindest personal regards, I remain, yours very truly,
JOHN C. CUTLER, Governor.

PRINCIPAL EATON'S REPLY.

Oct. 11, 1906. Gov. John C. Cutler, Executive Office, City. Dear Sir: Your kind letter of the 6th referring to the statement made by the morning papers of that day regarding my action on football matters was much appreciated. I thank you for your words of approval and encouragement. There are unfortunately too many schools in our country where the athletic spirit has run wild, with the result that the making of educated citizens and the developing of nobler character, are things entirely lost sight of, or at best, given but secondary consideration. The natural desire of boys in athletic contests is to win, and this is sometimes meant to win at any price, even if uncheckered would have the effect of demoralizing the school's best interests, but the use of athletics as a vitalizing as its abuse is demoralizing.

The only wrong impression which was made by the papers at that time was that my action of this year was something unexpected and unprecedented. This is not the case. The athletes this year are governed by the same rules as those of last year and the year before. There was not a boy on any of the athletic teams, in fact, who was not a boy in school, who did not know, both last year and this year, that the only condition upon which he could represent the high school in an athletic contest was to have a clean school record of 15 hours work, with no previous delinquencies hanging over him.

The little excitement which the papers tried to stir up about the matter was therefore entirely unnecessary. My action was in accordance with our regular custom, although I realized that no real harm was done by my representations.

Once more I beg to assure you of my sincere appreciation of your generous sentiments.
Very truly yours,
GEO. A. EATON.

HARVEST FEAST

AT SUGARHOUSE

Unique and Successful Ward
Function Attended by Hundreds of People.

Last evening the Sugar House Assembly Rooms and amusement hall were crowded to the doors by the saints and friends, irrespective of creed. Perhaps never before has there been so universal a response as the invitation from the bishopric to be present and nearly all over 14 years of age, numbering near 900 people were present, and many who have lived in the ward for years were present for the first time.

President Joseph F. Smith, Elders John Henry Smith, Elders George Teasdale, Presidents Frank Y. Taylor and John M. Cannon of the stake presidency, Bishop Andrew H. Woodruff of Waterloo Ward, Thomas R. Cutler, formerly of Lehi ward and their families, together with a number of invited guests were seated in different parts of the building. President Joseph F. Smith sitting close to the large archway in the north room, where he could see nearly all present.

There were long tables laden with a choice menu of meats, fruits, dainties, cakes and ice cream. The halls were most beautifully decorated to represent the "Harvest." All around the walls were branches of various trees, festooned here and there from windows with vines tinged in the beautiful hues of autumn colors. In the windows were shelves of corn bound in crosses at the top and bottom of which were large aquash carved to represent various comical faces and figures, and lighted from within with candles, and as the electric lights were turned on occasionally these novel lamps presented a picturesque scene.

The large archway between the two rooms was artistically decorated. Festoons of autumn vines, with flowers interwoven over a background of flags, and large bunches of various colors and kinds of grapes hung in large clusters. The chandeliers were decorated with small American flags above the lights and vines, autumn branches and leaves and hanging from each were ears of ripe corn and strings of red, ripe apples, and stretching from each were festoons of autumn leaves in diamond figures. There were also draped through the assembly hall over 40 flags of all nations, giving a most striking appearance.

But the supper and decorations were only secondary to the warm hearty welcome and spirit of fraternal feeling that prevailed throughout the evening from 7:30 until 11:30, when the large assembly wended their way home from one of the most successful evenings ever given in Sugar House ward.

Much credit was due Relief Society, which had charge of the refreshments; the officers of the M. E. A. and choir; for the beautiful decorations. The superintendency of the Sunday school was also given to the amusement committee for the excellent program consisting of songs by the ward male glee club, Mrs. Beatrice

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Remarks were made by President Joseph F. Smith and Pres. Frank Y. Taylor, Elder Preston D. Richards and Miss Libbie Litham. The entire assembly arose and sang "We Thank Thee O God, for a Prophet." Benediction by Elder Edward H. Anderson, Jr., who had just returned from a mission to Germany.

AMUSEMENTS.

It was a good thing to look inside the walls of the Salt Lake Theater yesterday afternoon; good to see a big and brilliant audience of ladies assembled to listen to a high class musical program; good to see a sprinkling of business men to the number of 100 or more, enjoying themselves in the same way; good to see the herculean labors of the Symphony orchestra promoters at last recognized; good to see such admirable work on the part of our home instrumentalists; and better than all, to see a serious musical program devoid of froth and ragtime, attracting appreciative attention, in these days when all forms of amusement tend so much towards the trivial and worthless.

The Symphony orchestra's 4 o'clock musicale, in fact, seems to have struck the public fancy and the innovation may be recorded as an entire success. For the first time since the orchestral scheme was launched, the audience manifested something besides polite tolerance, and indulged in applause that amounted to the warmest sort of enthusiasm. Prof. Shepherd's beautiful program could call for nothing less. It included the classic, but was largely made up of the best forms of lighter music, easily within the comprehension of every listener. It was selected with rare taste. The three dances from "Henry VIII" were bewitching. The two Wagner numbers, the selection from "Lohengrin," and the march from "Tannhauser" were charmingly rendered, and in the latter the wealth of the stringed sections was completely satisfied. The first time, by the way, that so much can be said for the Symphony orchestra. The ballet music by Rubenstein was all done in most delightful fashion.

The big instrumental feature of the occasion was Mendelssohn's concerto for violin rendered by Mr. Weihe with full orchestral accompaniment. This prodigious piece of work, which requires 25 minutes for rendition, showed off the virtuosity of Mr. Weihe as few things he has rendered before. The orchestra might have had an encore for each of its renditions, but Mr. Shepherd yielded but one, the dainty "Ronde d'Amour" which thoroughly captivated the audience.

The only vocal number was a contralto solo by Mrs. W. Montague Perry, "Like as the Hart Desires," which proved one of the delightful surprises of the afternoon. Mrs. Perry has a rich and full contralto voice, and whether she sings in the lower or upper register, she shows a full control and gives a depth of feeling which indicate the real artist and the most correct training. When supported by the full string section of the orchestra, the effect was rich in the extreme. Mrs. Perry was heartily recalled, and she sang to Mr. Shepherd's piano accompaniment the charming number "I Hid My Love" in equally beautiful fashion.

The sole criticism that could be passed on the program was that it was 20 minutes too long, but this was entirely due to encores demanded by the audience.

Prof. Shepherd, who worked like a young Titan from first to last, certainly has reason to feel proud of his achievement. Whether waving the baton over the 48 instruments, presiding at the piano, assisting the soloist over the stile, or looking out for the hundred other details necessary for a smooth presentation, he was ever prompt, ready and efficient, and if at the close he looked like the breaking up of several severe winters, there was every excuse for it. To him more than any one else belongs the credit for the fact that the Symphony orchestra is now a firmly established institution in the city.

Next credit should be given to Manager John D. Spencer, who from the first took off his coat and in spite of public indifference and a lack of interest from many musicians themselves, registered a vow that the Symphony orchestra music of the people, for the people, and by the people should not perish from the face of the map. When he looked over yesterday's handsome

audience and saw for the first time that the expenses of the concert could be paid without delving into the reserve fund, he must have felt a decided glow of satisfaction.

Next to Mr. Spencer must be praised the board of directors, headed by President Elmer L. Goshen, for the hearty support they have given both the leader and the manager in their efforts.

A charming feature of the makeup of the orchestra was the presence of six young lady violinists, and of Mrs. Taylor, Elder Preston D. Richards and Miss Libbie Litham. Their work throughout was of the best, and their participation greatly enhanced interest in the organization.

Recurring again to the audience, it was interesting to note that while it followed the music with the most breathless fashion, when the intermission came, it dissolved into a huge conversation and for five minutes there was the buzz and the delightful informality which spoke of the heartiest enjoyment and quite gave the air of sociability which the orchestral people have so long labored to bring about.

While no definite plans have been made, it is altogether probable that the sixth orchestral concert will be announced within the next two or three months.

Quite a number of city people took the State Street car last night for the Granite stake amusement hall, where Mrs. Annie Adams, Phil Margetta, and Miss Agatha Berkhoel were the principal features in a musical and dramatic entertainment. All three were warmly received. Mrs. Adams gave readings from "Macbeth" and several poetical selections and was heartily applauded for her work. Mr. Margetta gave several recitations in and out of character, his best being "the grave diggers" dialogue from "Hamlet." Miss Berkhoel rendered several beautiful numbers in her best style and was also recalled several times. The concluding number, introducing Mr. Margetta and Mrs. Adams in the role of "The Two Toodles," hardly made a satisfactory condensation of the well known comedy. They were aided by Mr. Harry Taylor, by Mr. George Margetta in comic songs, and Mr. Beesley at the piano.

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FUNERAL NOTICES.

DAWSON.—The funeral of Joseph S. Dawson will be held at the Bountiful tabernacle Sunday, Oct. 14, at 2 p. m.

DIED.

NEEDHAM.—In Salt Lake City, Oct. 11, of childbirth, Mrs. Mary Jenkins Needham, aged 30 years, wife of A. B. Needham. The child also died.

SNYDER.—In this city, Oct. 11, Ella Snyder, 23 years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Snyder, 222 north First West street.

DAWSON.—Of pneumonia, Oct. 11, Joseph S. Dawson of Bountiful, aged 26 years. Deceased was a member of Ionia tent No. 12, Knights of the K. of G.

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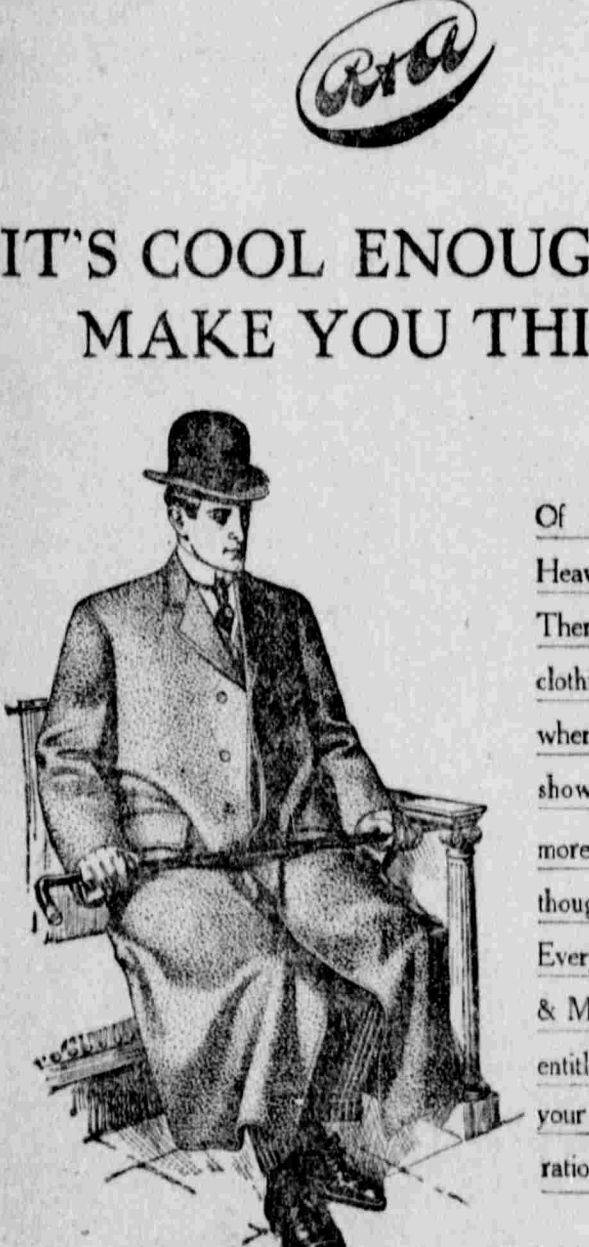
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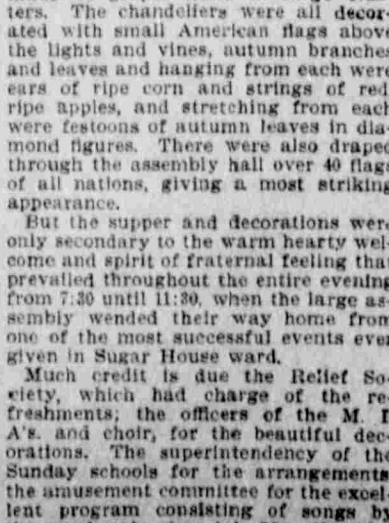


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