

FRAGMENTS.

A red cashmere shawl has been lost. See advt.

The City Council meets as a Board of Equalization on Friday evening at 7:30.

Tonight "Mr. Sampson of Omaha" will have his first evening performance in this city.

GRANT BROTHERS' new lively stable, opposite the old city market, is nearing completion.

Wm. Wood & Sons are about to open a branch meat market in Woodford's building, Twelfth Ward.

ONE intoxicated individual was lodged in the city jail today. He was too drunk to give his name.

It is worth while to visit the children's fair, at No. 23 West, South Temple Street. Open day and evening.

THERE was a large house and a successful performance of the opera "Mr. Sampson of Omaha" this afternoon, and no doubt the house will be packed tonight.

On Monday a fire at Montpelier, Idaho, destroyed a two-story hall where different secret societies held their meetings. The loss is about \$4000; insurance \$2000.

You have only this week in which to get your name on the registration list, so as to vote for the delegate to Congress next November. Don't forget to call on the deputy registrar.

A new excursion wagon with the word "Utah" handsomely painted on the side, was brought out by Grant Brothers yesterday. The vehicle will comfortably seat thirty people.

The public are invited to attend the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce on Friday evening. The subject under consideration will be the establishing of union stockyards, canning factory, etc.

At 3:15 p.m. tomorrow the missionaries to the Samoan Islands will leave for their field of labor, going to Ogden via the Utah Central. The party consists of Elder Wm. O. Lee, wife and baby, Elder Adelbert Beesley and Elder E. J. Wood.

In the D. & R. G. carries out its plan of making a bathing resort on Church Island. It will have a beach second to none in the country. It is claimed that a railway can be laid to the island safely. The route would be about 25 miles from the city.

THE weeds and burs in the streets are being cut down, and the city's appearance is improved considerably thereby. Now the residents along the streets that have been afflicted should gather the weeds and when they are dry burn them so that a similar growth next year will be checked.

PRESIDENT HUGH S. GOWANS, of Tooele Stake, is in the city. He states that Tooele Stake is doing very heavily from the hot spell that is in Salt Lake. The people have water enough to drink, but that is about all comparatively, and trees, etc., are dying for lack of moisture.

On Monday, Sept. 18, an excursion to Nephi and intermediate points will be conducted under the management of Kent's band. Tickets are good for eight days, and an extension of time may be secured on payment of half the excursion fare extra. The rates are published in another column. The excursion is favorable for a pleasant trip.

School Register.

The school law requires certain information relative to the district schools to be recorded and reported. To facilitate the doing of this, and to attain certain other objects, a school register has been devised, and is now being published for John A. Pike, Esq., of this city. Trustees and teachers should examine it. It will save labor and enhance accuracy. See advt.

Jeffrey's Escape.

Richard Jeffrey, who escaped from the county jail on Monday afternoon, has not yet been retaken. He was being held on a charge of grand larceny, an indictment having been found against him by the grand jury. The jailer had him working on the west side of the court house, and went into the jail for a moment. When the jailer returned, Jeffrey was gone. The effect on the jail management is that the sheriff appointed a new jailer this morning.

Stock Company.

Yesterday the articles of incorporation of the Border Ranch and Stock Company were filed with the county clerk. The company proposes to carry on a general agricultural, stockraising and merchandising business in Utah, Idaho and Wyoming. The incorporators and stockholders are John W. Taylor, M. W. Taylor, A. E. Hyde, H. W. Taylor, F. W. Taylor, D. D. Davis, S. B. Young and J. T. Rich. The capital stock of the organization is placed at \$300,000.

Alleged Larceny.

Today, John Rose, who resides at the corner of Second West and Fifth South streets, made complaint at the police office against two Singer sewing machine agents, for the offense of unauthorizing and larceny. It appears that some little time ago Rose got a sewing machine, and the payments were not made promptly. Yesterday, while he and his wife were absent, the agents came and took the machine. Mr. Rose states that they broke in through the window in the act of calling when one was at home. The taking of the machine is not the foundation of the grievance, however. There was \$43.75 in cash in the house, and this amount also disappeared. As Mr. Rose came home five or ten minutes after the sewing machine had disappeared, of course he is of opinion that they took the cash as well as the machine.

Probate Court.

Proceedings in the Salt Lake County Probate Court yesterday: Estate of John P. Davis, deceased; order made allowing final account and making distribution of estate. Estate of Mary A. Wardell, deceased; decree made that one and legal notice to creditors had been given, order made of sale of real estate, and appointing Adam Speirs, J. W. Fox, Jr., and L. G. Hardy appraisers. Estate of B. B. Neff, deceased; continued until next week. Estate of Horace S. Eldredge, deceased; order made appointing time and place to have a hearing for admission of will to probate. Estate of Theodore Lister, deceased; order made appointing time and place to have a hearing for admission of will to probate. Estate and guardianship of Eliza Swann, et al.; minors; order made appointing time and place to show cause why a sale of real estate should not be set aside.

THE DAKOTA EDITORS.

Viewing the Slights in the City of the Dakotas.

One of the specially interesting features of the Dakota Editors' Excursion was the visit to the Temple Block today, and the only rest at the Faberian, where a programme of instrumental pieces was given by organist Joseph J. Daynes. The remainder of the day was spent by the party in visiting various points of interest in the city. The editors spent four days in the Yellowstone National Park, and were highly delighted with the natural wonders to be seen there. They shortened their stay in the Park one day, however, in order to stop over in Salt Lake. The personnel of the party is as follows:

Edward Handell, *Dakota Newspaper Union*, Portland.

E. J. Moore and W. B. Winsor, *Leader*, Ellendale.

George Jensen, *Advocate*, Blunt.

A. Davis, *National Editorial Journal*, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rowles, *Times*, Sarrent.

Mr. A. B. Melville, *Democrat*, Co. vrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hoop and Mrs. Cook, and Mrs. Lockwood, Brookings.

James C. Cunningham, *Dakota College*, Logan.

E. C. Sutter, *Tribune*, Velva.

D. J. Darrow and daughter, *Sun*, Ariz.

H. L. Sill, *News*, Willow Lake.

Miss Cora Shober, *Bulletin*, Highmore.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Miller, *Times*, Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bronson, *Advance*, Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McBride, and Mrs. Burke, *Democrat*, Aberdeen.

A. D. Thompson, *Republican*, Aberdeen.

T. J. Martin, *Enterprise*, Valley Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bliss, *Journal*, Pierre.

E. B. Miller, *Signal*, Pierre.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams, *R. Porter and Farmer*, St. Louis.

J. W. Parmer, *Hero's*, Boyce.

E. L. Bates, *Courier*, Birmingham.

E. A. Nichols, *Blizzard*, Corp.

H. S. Douglas, *Advocate*, Artesian City.

O. E. Dewey, wife and daughter, *Dakota*, Watertown.

Frank J. Meyer, superintendent of the St. Paul House of the A. N. Kellogg Newspaper Union.

E. Mellette, *Courier-News*, Watertown.

H. L. Henry and daughter, *Dispatch*, Redfield.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cory, *Journal*, Redfield.

Mrs. S. L. Holbit, *Gazette*, Raymond.

John Haskins, *Journal*, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dix, *Times*, Aurora.

W. H. Stapley and Mrs. B. A. Wade, *Star*, Hot Springs.

F. L. McCre, *Sentinel*, Madison.

Wm. Ward, *Journal*, Ogden.

L. L. Bancroft, *Times*, Manchester.

George C. Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Wardell, *Gazette*, Aberdeen.

P. T. Youngblood, *Tribune*, St. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Pendar, *Special*, Salem.

C. V. Van Hise and J. M. Gass, *Indicator*, Millville.

F. E. Smith and Miss Mae Addington, *Press*, Red Heights.

Rev. E. Murray, *News*, Woonsocket.

A band accompanies the party, the following being the members of the organization: Pinckney Gaylord, drum major; S. F. Lockwood, leader; F. J. Adams, manager; Charles E. Allen, T. W. Mellette, Fred Baker, Philip Langdon, Eugene Parker, Bert Young, Jay Lattimer, Ole Kautson, R. E. Mills, Lyle B. Smith, Otto Johnson.

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Third District Court.

Proceedings before Judge Elliot Sandford today:

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CITY COUNCIL.

Municipal Matters Considered at Last Night's Session.

The City Council met in regular session at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, Mayor Armstrong presiding.

H. M. Winter and thirty-two others residing in the southwest part of the city asked that the old surplus canal be filled up. Referred to the committee on streets.

Joseph Adams represented that some time ago he had been exempted from paying for extending the water main on Fifth Street, but had been assessed for the extension on N Street. As he was already supplied with water, and was not benefited by the extension, he requested that the tax be remitted.

George W. Groves asked permission to lay a private pipe from the mains to his residence. Referred to the committee on water works.

The president of the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society represented that the center wing of the

UTAH EXPOSITION BUILDING was rapidly approaching completion, and would be ready for use in October next, when some of the choicest live stock in the Territory would be on exhibition. It would be necessary to have water for them to drink, and as the fair would be given for the purpose of encouraging home production, the funds of the society were exhausted, he asked that a four-inch pipe be extended from the mains to the grounds, a distance of two and one-half blocks. Referred to the committee on water works.

The Grand Brothers Company asked for an extension of the water mains along West Temple Street from First South to South Temple streets. Referred to the committee on water works.

N. Bernards asked that the unexpired portion of his license as restaurant and beer be transferred to W. C. West. Granted.

The city marshal presented his report for the quarter ending July 31st, showing the expenditures in his department during that period to have been \$1,048.56, leaving a balance to be appropriated of \$108.96. Referred to the committee on police.

The city sealer presented a report showing the expenditures on the cemetery during the past quarter to have been \$275.00, leaving a balance of \$1,048.56 to be appropriated.

The city recorder reported that the advertisements for bids for the construction of a sewer in District No. 1 had called forth three sealed bids. Laid on the table and the bids were unopened.

Alderman Ritter presented a report from the committee on streets in reference to the petition of the

SALT LAKE & PORT DOUGLAS Railway for the right of way along Fourth West Street. He asked Councilor Young to make a statement regarding the right of the city in the matter before the report was read.

Councilor Young would not make a brief statement, presenting only a few generally accepted principles and facts. He was the attorney for the petitioner, he would not distort those facts for the benefit of the railway.

The city had a perfect right to grant rights of way along its streets. The public had an interest in the streets, and the city of New York owned the streets, and had the power to grant rights of way along them.

The citizens of this city owned only the land they occupied, while the streets and alleys were in the city. It could grant rights of way, and the citizens had no right to object to the company from accepting the grant.

The gentleman cited several cases which had been decided by the courts, showing the city's right to make such grants, and referred particularly to the case of the Carriage estate, where the city had opened a public street, and its action was sustained by the courts.

Alderman McCornick asked if the citizens of New York had not recovered damages for injury done to them by the railroad.

Councilor Young replied that they had, but the damages had been paid by the railroad, not by the city.

Alderman McCornick said that he would like to hear the opinion of the city attorney upon the question.

Mr. Richards said that he had been informed by the attorney for the people that a decision had recently been rendered by one of the Associate Justices of the Territory in which his position was sustained, and before giving an opinion, he would like to see the opinion. His view was substantially the same as Mr. Young's.

Councilor Young stated that the decision referred to did not touch upon the subject under consideration at all.

The Oregon City Council had seen proper to operate a steam railroad. They were enjoined, but the city's right to grant a right of way was not disputed. The question was whether the city itself could run a railroad.

The following report was then read, and on motion of Alderman McCornick action was deferred for one week:

Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Salt Lake & Port Douglas Railway for a right of way along Fourth West Street from a connection with that company's track to the Utah Railway depot, beg leave to report that they have no legal reasons why the petition should be granted, and in the light of providing facilities for our citizens to do business when such business is legitimate and beneficial, it is our duty to grant this petition. Therefore we recommend that said petition be granted, subject to such limitations, conditions and restrictions as may be necessary to properly guard the rights of the city and protect the streets from any unnecessary obstruction or burden.

And that the city attorney be requested to draft said franchise to effectuate the above named purposes.

W. W. RITCHIE, BOLIVAR ROBERTS, THOS. H. JENSEN, JR., Committee on Streets.

The superintendent of waterworks, to whom was referred petitions for the

EXTENSION OF THE WATER MAINS, submitted the following estimate of the cost:

Michael Earl and others, one half block on G Street, \$130.

S. J. Coombs and others, one block on G Street, \$260.

George Radford and others, three lots, covering a district bounded by Fourth and Fifth Streets, twenty-three lots in all, \$8,600.

W. T. Coombs and others, two blocks on H and Third Streets, \$320.

C. O. Whitmore and others, four blocks on Fifth Street, \$2,080.

The report was adopted.

The committee on public grounds, to whom was referred the proposition of G. W. Hill, to remove the old mill near the Warm Springs, provided the city would grant him a small strip of ground, recommended that the proposition be not accepted.

The committee on irrigation, to whom was referred the petition of Wm. Sargison and others protesting against the return from J. R. Morris' proposed sanitarium being emptied into the Seventh West Street canal, and asking that the canal be filled up, recommended that action on the first part of the petition be deferred, and in regard to filling up the canal, recommended that it be not granted.

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ELECTRIC RAILWAY FRANCHISE, and the resolution was taken up on its second reading. The route of the proposed road was changed from First East Street to Third East Street, and northward from the Utah Central depot to Ninth North Street, thence northwesterly to the Hot Springs.

Councilor Young moved that the use of L. rails be required on the road, but the motion was voted down.

Mr. J. Wilkes' objection to Section 15, wherein the city reserves the power to alter or amend the franchise, was read.

Councilor Sowles was in favor of striking the section out.

Councilor Young said that Mr. Wilkes and his associates were engaging in the enterprise for their own benefit, and he did not see why the section should be stricken out. He did not think it proper for the city to grant franchises without reserving the absolute right to alter or amend the franchise.

The councilors were familiar with the system which the gentleman proposed, and he thought it eminently proper in such a case for the city to reserve the right to amend the franchise.

The closing proviso of the section was stricken out, and further consideration of the resolution deferred for one week.

On motion of Councilor Dooley, the

three bids for constructing sewers in the first district were referred to the committee on streets to examine and report the lowest and most desirable bid to the Council.

The extension of the mains on East Temple and Seventh South Street was taken up and the recorder stated that the value of the property offered by those asking for the improvement amounted to \$27,200, while the property to be benefited was estimated at \$44,000. The improvement will be made.

The meeting of the Board of Equalization was postponed until Friday evening. The Council then adjourned for the week.

HONEY.

Bees, Well Cared For, are Profitable.

MANTI, Sanpete County, August 30, 1888.

Editor Deseret News:

Very little has been said about bees or honey of late. There is an old saying, "Anything far brought and dear bought is of the highest and eagerly sought." We have seen the time when honey "far brought" from California, was "bought and dear" at the enormous price of \$1 per pound. We have paid that price for it, for medicinal purposes. After a time it was reduced to 75 cents, then to 50 cents, and so on down to the low price of from 6 to 8 cents per pound, at which price it now goes begging, not because it has depreciated in its medicinal, healthful and life-giving qualities, but it has become so cheap and easily got.

My advice to beekeepers is to store up their honey. It will not spoil, as it soon becomes candied and solid. I have a 200 pound keg of a 800 pound barrel of real old, the contents of which are solid.

Honey may be consigned in large wooden tanks, made of light. We may see the time when it will bring 30 cents per pound, and it will be used to spread the honey upon. Utah has become one of the best of honey fields, and I fear the beekeepers of no many who pretend to keep bees, but sadly neglect them, that there will be a critical seasonally connected with bee-keeping.

Many lack understanding concerning the WINTERING OF BEES, which is one of the greatest arts in the science of bee farming. I was lately conversing with one of the oldest beekeepers of Utah, who is now becoming converted to a different mode of wintering bees. He said that he had 100 swarms out of 110. "You well know," he said to me, "how I make my bees light, neat and like a soldier. But these are Braithwaite Brothers, who have 30 hives of bees, and lose about 100 hives of bees, and lose about 100 hives of bees together."

"Last January," said William Braithwaite, "I lost almost about my bees when the thermometer ran down to 40. I got up in the night, ran my hand through the cloth next to the cloth which covered my bees. They were warm and dry. I retired; my bees were anxious to get out. That I have not lost any bees wintering for the past ten years, and if I had not sold my bees, they would have been worth a fortune."

The process of wintering with success, is using chaff as an absorber of moisture or sweat from the bees. In a close hive with scarcely any ventilation, the bees become condensed and as a consequence frost and even ice forms in the hive, which is made to contain a frozen lot of bees. I have a large supply of frozen honey on hand.

Brother Braithwaite adopted the plan of covering his bees with muslin, gunny sack, or something of the sort; then he put five or six inches of chaff over the bees, and the bees were the sides and back of the hives, and he has learned to have no fears of the coming winter.

He makes a hole in the hive and cloth and puts a small piece of wire over it, so that the bees can prevent the chaff from passing down among the bees. Now if this plan is adopted and frost brood is kept down, we will be able to ship our honey to England with good success, when railroad competition becomes what it soon will, as honey in England brings at retail from 24 to 36 cents a pound.

Now we will conclude this article on sweet, by giving some facts relative to one hive of our own make, containing 23 frames, 9 in the lower story and 14 in the upper story. The action was almost exclusively from the upper story. The amount of honey extracted was as follows: June 25, 45 pounds; July 3, 70; July 8, 70; July 15, 55; July 23, 60; July 30, 50; Aug. 10, 50; Aug. 14, 50; Aug. 25, 35; Sept. 12, 21; Total 624 lb. total 66 pounds, worth at that time 10 cents per pound, making \$6.60 realized from one hive.

Now are not bees worth as good care as a frugal husbandman gives his horse, cow, and other useful animals? Why should we neglect our useful "deserted," or honey bee? It was carefully introduced into America by the Jesuit missionaries, and has since the great waters in barges, hundred of bees have been introduced into the country. Let us bee-keepers think of these things, and reform in wintering bees. Let us consider the thousands of swarms sacrificed to cold, frozen weather.

E. S.

Arrested.

On Saturday Bishop John Spencer, of Indianapolis, Sanpete County, was arrested on a charge of unlawful cohabitation. He gave bail to await the grand jury's action. His plural wife also gave bonds to appear as a witness.

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THE PUTNAM NAIL