Pestiferous Fish Subject of Discussion in the Senate Today.

THE HOUSE UP TO CALENDAR

With Fortieth Day Coming Tomorrow A Rushing Business is the Promise-Game Warden Gets Mere Pay.

A matter which will mean much to the fishermen of Utah and will solve the problem of diminishing the number of carp and suckers in the Utah lake is now being taken up by the legislature. The plan is to require the fishermen

desiring to use seines to furnish a bond of five hundred dollars. This bond is to guarantee that they will not take with seines a game fish. In the past fishermen have been compelled to bire a game warden at \$3 a day and the result is that little or no wining has been attempted. It is the hope of those behind the present plan to re-establish the business and get as much seining done as possible wherever carp and suckers exist.

To arrange the exact terms of the

proposition a special committee of pix to serve as a sub-committee of the fish and game committee was appointed this morning. On this committee are Senators Marks, Stookey and Horsley and Representatives Haycock, Russell

fish and game committee of the The fish and game committee of the senate and house in joint session is going over the entire proposed fish and game measure. This morning they showed their friendliness to the fish and game commissioner by raising his salary from \$1,200 to \$1,500 per year, and allowing him travellag expenses of \$2,000 for the biennial period. A great deal of the bill is yet to be considered as it is being taken up paragraph by paragraph and no report will be made until it has been thoroughly gone over.

HOUSE UP TO CALENDAR.

For the reason that the house had caught up on its enlendar at the clusse of yesterday afternoon's session, it was decided to hold no session of that body this morning. The several committees, however, have been exceedingly busy all morning, and when the hour for meating arrived this afternoon, 2 o'clock, mather grind had been prepared for ing arrived this afternoon, 2 o'clock, another grind had been prepared for the edification of the legislators. The senate has been even less busy, necording to the number of measures handed down to the lower body, in cansidering naw bills. The fortieth day, the last upon which new measures may be introduced into the house except by consent is here tomorow, and today and tomorrow are expected to be theavy days in the presentation of measures. It is thought the 200 mark will be passed in the house, and perhaps the 150 mark in the sonate.

IN THE HOUSE.

New measures introduced in the house today were as follows:

H. B. 173. by Pope, appropriating \$5,000 for the purpose of investigating the agricultural resources and the encouragement of the agricultural nevelopment of the Unitah basin.

velopment of the Uintah basin.

H. B. 174, by Pope, appropriating \$8,000 for constructing and improving roads and bridges in the former Uintah Indian reservation in Wasatch county.

H. B. 175, by Russell, by request, relating to officers performing duties without fees and providing that propersons shall not be required to furnish costs bond.

H. B. 176, by the committee on manufacturers and commerce, a substitute

BACE SUICIDE.

H. B. 178, by Hammond, to encourage the prevention of race suicide

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within the State of Utab. It is as fol-

lows:

"He it enacted by the legislature of the State of Utah:

"Sec. I. That there is hereby appropriated out of any of the state funds not otherwise appropriated, the sum of tion to every woman within the State of Utah on her becoming the mother of twelve children, and \$25 for each additional child born thereafter.

"Sec. 2. Said number of children shall be evidenced by the affidavit of the doctor or midwife, corroborated by at teast one competent witness, and on presentation of said affidavit to the county clerk where said nother resides. inty clerk where said mother resides, clerk shall certify the same to the te auditor, and thereupon he shall

ii. This get shall take effect

"See. 3. This act shall take effect upon approval."

H. B. 179, by Bower, by request, relating to the statute of limitation.

H. B. 180, by Bower, by request, relating to poll tax.

H. B. 181, by Porter, appropriating \$2,000 for the improvement of roads and bridges in Morgan county.

TWO PURE FOOD BILLS. Two PLRE FOOD BILLS.

The protection of the people from poisoned food and fifthy game offered for sale is the object of bills offered today in the senate by Senator Williams, the first providing that any person who offers for sale any poultry, game, fish, batter or eggs, "which are not properly labeled "cold storage" if they have been kept within cold storage for three months prior to being offered treey have been kept within cold storage for three months prior to being offered for sale, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor." The other bill provides, that the offering for sale of any poul-ity which has not been drawn and all the offensive parts removed immediate-y after killing, shall constitute a mis-lemeanor.

demeanor.
Senator Sevy this afternoon paid his respects to the editor of the Salina Call. This paper had written to Fred. J. Kiesel that it could control Senator Sevy's influence, and that while it was working for prohibition, it was willing for \$200 to circulate a petition against prohibition. Senator Sevy says that he never met the editor of the Call but once, that he thinks him wholly contemptible, and that he must have thought that he, Senator Sevy, was a nighty cheap man to be for sale at such a figure. uch a figure.

LEGISLATIVE SIDELIGHTS.

Two petitions from residents of Was-atch county were presented to the house yesterday, one asking that a new county be formed of the eastern part of that county, and another asking for the establishment of an experiment dation at Roosevelt.

A petition was also presented by the county commissioners of Sevier coun-ity, asking for an appropriation of \$8,000 for the improvement of the roads of

H. B. 176, by the committee on manufacturers and commerce, a substitute for H. B. 29, by Hansen, and S. B. 6, by Badger, pehthiting the unauthorized use of the name or pleture of any public institution in this state or of any public officer or private person for the purpose of advertising.

H. B. 177, by Hansen, and S. B. 6, by Badger, pehthiting the unauthorized use of the name or pleture of any public officer or private person for the purpose of advertising.

H. B. 177, by Hansen, and S. B. 6, by Badger, pehthiting the unauthorized understional bills, advocated the abolization of the free text book system in the state schools. He said be did not think his motion to strike out the provision authorizing the state to buy school books would carry, but he thought it was time for a change in that direction. His motion lost by a decisive vote.

NEW ELSINORE FIRM.

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Elsinore, Seviere county, filed it arti-ries of incorporation today in the sec-retary of state's office. Its capital stock amounts to \$10,000, which is di-vided into shares of \$25 each. The of-ficers are: E. A. Morris, president; W. E. Morris, vice president; and A. F. Morris, secretary and treasurer.

Recalls Historic Affair in 1855

Reopening of Social Hall Friday

The opening ball at Social Hall, which army officers within its borders. Fol-ecently has been rehabilitated and renrecently has been rehabilitated and renevated, will be given tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Genealogical society of Utah, which was responsible for the restoration of the historic building.

A hot supper will be served at 6 o'clock, and at 7 o'clock a grand march will be led by Presidents John R. Winder and Anthon H. Lund. Old-time dances will be interspected with songs. rechations, etc., after the custom of pioneer days. The Cilve orchestra will furnish music, Veteran Joseph E. Taylor will be prompter and Bishop Joseph Christenson will not as floor manager. Invitations have been limited to members of the denosingual moderty, and all who filled to receive a card are requested by the commutative to call at

The function will be reminiscent of one given in the same building New Year's day, 1855. The heats were thegovernor of Utah, President Brigham Young, and the legislative assembly, and the guests of homer were the federal officials of the paritory and the

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On Monday, January 1, 1858, 2 p. 10.

On Monday, January 1, 1855, 2 p. m. H. C. Kluttall, Lorenzo Snow, I. M. Grant. H. S. Eldredge, Sannel W. Richards, Cononfites, Supper at 8. 11. S. L. City, Doc. 27, 1854.

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PUBLIC UTILITIES UNDER DISCUSSION

Banquet Held at Commercial Club For Consideration of Proposed Bill.

IT IS NOT REVOLUTIONARY

Senator Badger Declares Measure Is Framed in a Spirit of Fairness Toward All Concerned.

An opportunity to exchange ideas as to the need in Utah for a public service commission was what was sought last night in a banquet tendered to the legislature of Utah by the Commer cial club traffic bureau. The banquet emmenced at 6:30 p. m., and fasted antil li o'clock. Gov. Spry spoke brisfly declaring that he had advocated a comdeclaring that he had advocated a com-mission in his message to the legisla-ture but not with any intention of be-coming a fire-brand towards the cor-porations. Senator Carl Bacger was present with a copy of S. B. 85, the public utility commission measure. For the traffic bureau a speech was mad-by S. B. Babcock at some length, and in addition brief talks were made by W. J. Hadoran, Georgo N. Lawrence, atterney for the traffic bureau, stephen H. Love and Charles N. Strevell, who acted as toastmoster.

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Gov. Spry arrived late and was called on snortly before the close of the
banquet. He called attention to the

banquet. He called attention to the fact that there is hardly an insignificant town in Arizona but what is lavored with better rates than Sair Laks.

At the opening of the banquet President Halloran invited the legislators to make themselves at home in the club rooms, and then former state Sensior Lawrence was invited to speak upon the subject of the state and its duty to protect its interests.

ITS POWER AND DUTY.

"The power and duty of the state to regulate and prescribe the limitations upon corporations controlling public utilities and by adequate legislation to relieve the citizens of the state from unreasonable and extortionate charges, is primary and fundamental. The State of Utah has provided in its constitution direct authority to the legislature to adopt measures for the control of common carriers and to correct abuses and prevent discrimination and extortion in rates of freight and passenger tariffs and making it mandatory upon the legislature The power and duty of the state ing it mandatory upon the legislature to pass laws establishing a reasonable maximum rate of charges for the transportation of passengers and

In about 40 out of 46 states in the Union there are now established, by legislative enactment, state commissions of various kinds, under whose jurisdiction complaints by citizens are received and attempt made, through authorative channels, looking to an adjustment of the rates and tariffs charged by such corporations to their In closing Mr. Lawrence urged that a

spirit of fairness govern the policy to-wards the railroads.

BABCOCK IS HEARD. Mr. Babcock was introduced with the statement that he would tell the story of freight traffic in the west. He narrated the story of the building of the Rio Grande Western, of its plans, and of its system of charges for freight, of the entrance of Harriman and the day of big mergers that came with him, and then of the "water competition" system of making high charges for intermediate points.

"Are these things right in the face of the earnings these railroads are making?" asked the speaker. "You have stood it for 22 years, and you have slmply been sleeping. The remedy is largely in the hands of such men as you, state legislators. Rates outside the state, between other states, are Mr. Baboock was introduced with the

you, state legislators. Rates outside the state, between other states, are not in your control, but in your state you, as legislators, are supreme." WOULD ENCOURAGE INDUSTRY

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Preceding the final talk by Gov. Spry,
former state Senator S. H. Love declared that to put the utility commission bill upon the statute books would
be to encourage industry of every
kind to open new mines, and to save
a tremendous amount of revenue to
the state. This revenue, he thought
would be of startling proportions and
would far surpass the cost of maintaining the bureau. Senator Badger
discussed S. D. 85, declaring that it
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saught he revolutionary and destruc-tive ends but was a measure conceived in fairness and curried out in a spirit of heipfulness to all concerned. The banquet closed after a number of questions had been answered by Mr. Babcock and Mr. Love, following the final formal talk.

SHOCKING SUICIDE.

Alma Bunting, Son of Prominent Fam-Hy of Kanab, Shoots Himself-

Kanab, Kana Co., Utah, Feb. 12 .- At 9 o'clock this morning, Alma Bunting, son of one of Kanab's eidest and most respected citizens, committed suicide by shooting himself in the left breast with a 25-35 rifls. No cause yet known for his cash act. He is a married man about 15 years old

BASKETBALL FRIDAY.

Busketball games will be played Friiny evening at the Granito stake. emusement ball as follows: Senior league, Farmers ward vs. Mill Creek, Big Cottonwood vs. Murray Second ing Cottonwood vs. Military Second ward, Junior league, Farmers ward vs. Mill Creek; Big Cottonwood vs. Murray Second ward; Murray First ward vs. Taylorsville. The games will be played under the Mutual Improvement schedules.

culture trainers of the state will be in attendance to conduct special work for the classes of young ladies.

RECEPTION AT ALTA CLUB.

A reception will be given Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at the Alta chile by they, Spry and staff to Col. Walter Scott and staff of the Fifteenth infantry. It will be a full drass affair.

GLANDERS AMONG PONIES.

The bureau of animal industry reports glanders emong Indian horses in Emery and Carbon counties. There. are two government veterinarians on the ground to kill the affected horses, and prevent further spread of the dis-case. No money indemnity is made the Indians as the horses were given them in the first piece by the governin the first place by the govern-

RAILROAD NEWS.

WORK ON WESTERN PACIFIC

Information from Coast Says Road Will be Completed Sept. 1.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The Union Pacific railroad is pre-paring to build a new 25-stail round-louse at Evanston, Wyo.

J. M. Davis, general superintendent

of the Oregon short Line, returned from Idaho lust evening on No. 10.

H. O. Curtis, general agent for the Nickel Plate road at Oronha, is in Salt Lake, on his way to the west.

I. T. Dyer, superintendent of tele-

raph of the Sait Lake Route, with lendquarters at Los Angeles, is in the dity on his way home from a trip east

Kenneth C. Kerr, district passen-or agent of the Salt Lake Route is own the line on business today.

E. B. Erwin, traveling passenger agent of the Sail Lake Route, expects o leave tenight for Grand Junction. Colorado, on a bushiess trip.

That Henry H. Wehrhaue, repres-

enting Dutch capitalists, will finance the completion of the Moffat road from Denver to Sait Lake, is denied by D. D. Moffat, head of the road. Wehrhane,

however, is now on a tour over the Mot-fat road.

"Rod" McDonald, mayor of Green

dver, and E. T. Merritt, V. C. Ward and W. G. Wimmer of the same place

were in Sait Lake yesterday, boosting or the new bridge asked for by the people of that section across the Green

The Frisco system has issued a

The Denver & Rio Grande railroad

The Oregon Development Congress,

hich holds a series of meetings in plac, Ida., Feb. 26 and 27, has for its

surpose the object of building a rall-oad from Baise to Coos Bay, on the Oregon coast. This road would open

up to the Bolse market nearly a bun-ired million feet of fine timber, as well

P. H. Reynolds, of the Yellowstone Transportation company, was a visitor a this city yesterday. Mr. Reynolds a arranging for a unique trip through alifornia the coming season, for the

causorma the coming season, for the purpose of advertising the park. He will take one of the famous Yellowstone coaches and three pairs of the finest gray horses owned by the company, and frive from one end of California to the

COURT NEWS.

THREATENED TO KILL HER.

Such is the Charge Esther Brockle-

bank Makes in Divorce Bill.

Mrs. Esther Byrnes Brocklebank in-stituted suit for divorce yesterday in the Third district court against George

Brocklebank on the grounds of inhuman treatment. Since he threatened to kill her on Jan 2, 1909, she says she has

been living separate from him and has in her charge her three children, John,

in her charge her three children, John, James and George, whom he also threatened. In her prayer she asks for a divorse, \$25 for the support of the children, \$25 alimony and costs of the suit. They were married in Hurley, Wis., on Oct. 28, 1887, and have lived in Suit Lake for several years.

MUST AMEND COMPLAINT.

Because the complaint was improper-drawn, the case of William Burns

he New York Central lines, o Idaho on a business trip.

Will be Completed Scpt. I.

Definite information has been received from San Francisco, to the effect that the Western Pacific railrond will be completed by Sept. I, or in less time than at first predicted, says the White Pins News. An additional \$5,000,000 has been received by the Western Pacific officers with which to finish the line to the \$12,130,000 already advanced by the Denver & Rio Grande system, which has taken a similar amount in the new read in second mortgage bonds. It is road in second mortgage bonds. It also announced that the Gould official will contract if necessary for more of the same basis. The total which if

will contract if necessary for more on the same basis. The total which the Rio Grande railroad has let to its western terminal line amounts to \$17,130,000. In a recent letter issued by President E. T. Jeffry of the new Gould line, he says that the company has issued \$75,000,000 in stock, two-thirds of which will be held as an asset of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad company. The Western Pacific has also sold \$30,000,000 cash, all or these bonds being secured on the \$27 miles of system from Oakland, Cal., to Sait Lake City, as well as on some of the 360 acres of terminal grounds, much of the latter having already heen improved and which are now practically ready for use, besides valuable water front property privileges in Oakland.

Of the complete distance of the new line, \$27 miles, 750 miles have been graded, and the remainder is being rapidly pushed to construction. In this work more than \$2,000,000 can and the remainder is being rapidly pushed to construction. In this work more than \$2,000,000 can and the remainder is being rapidly pushed to construction. In this work more than \$2,000,000 can and the remainder is being rapidly pushed to construction. In this work more than \$2,000,000 can and the remainder is being rapidly pushed to construction.

rapidly pushed to construction. In this work more than 25,000,000 cubic yards of earth have been required. Ninety per cent of the tunnel work has been completed, the aggregate length of which excavation of the 43 tunnels will be 45,535 feet.

Several are more than a mile in length. The largest is that under Beckwith Pass, at the aummit of the Sierras, its length, when finished, will be 6,006 feet. The Flower lake tunnel which has already been timbered, is also over mile large. The Speine Garden tunnel has already been timbered, is also over a rolle long. The Spring Garden tunnel is nearly a mile and a helf long and the Niles tunnel near Oakland, already completed, is nearly four-fifths of a mile long. The Spring Garden tunnel, according to railroad officials, will be completed in three months. The other tunnels not yet finished will be the heaviest proposition in completing the work, taking up nearly all the allotted lime which the road requires for completion.

The tunnels indicate the greater part of the project, and many obstacles have been encountered. But the bridges, all steel, have been found another great expense, as also the grading in the mountains. Forty bridges comprise the total in steel construction, and a dis-tance of 8,369 feet. Twenty-two of the oridges are already finished, the others being nearly so.

AGAINST SALT LAKE.

Fight Between Hill and Harriman Disastrons to Truffic Via This City.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Taking of testithe Harriman relirends in the Pacifi Northwest was begun in this city to day by Interstate Commerce Commis sloner Prouty. The contest, which i regarded as one of the most importan sion in years, is to enforce an order of the commission directing the Northern Pacific railroad to participate with the Harriman lines in making a through rate from Missouri and Mississippi river points into Portland, Or. One of the important points involved in the

river points into Portland, Or One of the important points involved in the controversy is the right of the commission to compel competing railroads to join in making through rates.

There were 75 railroad officials and lawyers present when the hearing began, C. W. Bunn appearing for the Hill lines and C. W. Dillard representing the Harriman interests. J. J. Woodworth, general traffic manager of the Northern Pacific, was the first witness. With maps and time tables in front of him, he compared the running time of the Northern Pacific and the Union Pacific, between the Missouri and the Pacific coast, and the service given the public. Beginning April 30, he said, the Northern Pacific will operate its passenger trains on an entirely ate its passenger trains on an entirely

A new train between St. Paul and eattle will be added to the service and one daily through train will run between Chicago and Seattle, by way of St. Paul, over the Burlington route. The running time between St. Paul and Seattle, he said, will be reduced 3 hours and 40 minutes. Another new rain will be operated between Kansas

'Are these new trains to be put on for the Yukon exposition next summer, or are they to be permanent?" asked

or are they to be permanent?" asked Commissioner Prouty.
"It is Intended that they shall be permanent," the witness replied.
E. L. Lomax, general passanger agent of the Union Pacific road, has been unable to obtain a concession.
"The result is," said the witness, "that the Union Pacific says to a man living in Cincinnadi, for Instance, that he may go to Puget sound points by way of St. Paul, by way of New Orleans and Los Angeles and by way of Colorado and Sait Lake City."

Speaking on this point, Commissioner

Speaking on this point, Commissioner Prouty said: "I think that a large number of persons desire to go to Puget sound points by way of Salt Lake City. The gate-way should be open to all. It is not fair to allow one road to go through and to bur another."

The hearing will be resumed tomor-row.

PETITIONS ARE RECEIVED.

Commercial Club Traffic Bureau Receives Acknowledgments.

The petitions recently sent out to the presidents of the various reilroads centering in the intermountain country by the Sait Lake Commercial Club Traffic bureau have been received, and in some instances acknowledged in courteous replies. That the petitions will receive thorough consideration at the hands of the hands of the Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line and Southern Pacific railroads, is evidenced by the receipt of a letter from Alex, Millar of New York, secretary of the Union Pacific railroad, and representing Mr. Harriman, and from J. C. Stubbs of Chicago, traffic director of the Union Pacific, Scathern Pacific, Oregon Short Line and Oregon Railway & Navigation company. Both letters were receiver Wednesday.

Mr. Miller states that he has pendirected by E. H. Harriman to acknowledge the receipt of the petition, and states that he will give the matter attention as soon as possible. The letter is dated Feb. 16.

Mr. Stubbs acknowledges the receipt of the petition, commitments the bureau apon the manner in which the petition is gotten up, comments upon the magnitude of the question involved, and expresses the wish that some understanding in the matter may be reached in the near future.

COLORADO LANES NOW OPEN. The petitions recently sent out to be presidents of the various rellroads

COLORADO LINES NOW OPEN.

Denver, Pels, 17 -The Colorado rail-ouds which have been so badly thed up

roads which have been so badly thed up-by the round starms are rapidly open-ing their lines, and the effects of the starm will have entirely disappeared within a few days.

The Denver & Hlo Granda lifted the blockade of Durango late vesterday, and got its first truln into that town in eight days. The famous Marshall Pass route was opened today, and the

road over Cumberes mountain will probably be opened tomorow.

The South Park line of the Colorado & Southern is still blocked, and will not be open for a day or two. Another storm arose today, further interfering with the wek of lifting the blockade.

The udmission of evidence. Ten days a were given the plaintiff to file an amended complaint.

"THE DEVIL" IS SUED.

Miss Callie Gates, a young and pretty actress with the Willard Mack stock "THE DEVIL" IS SUED.

Miss Callie Gates, a young and pretty actress with the Wilaird Mack stock company, now playing at the Rungalow theater, sued Rarasey Wallace, who appeared as the Devil in the play of that name and as Jack Rance, the gambler-sheriff in "The Girl of the Golden West" at the Colonial, yesterday in the city court for the small change she had advanced him in their tour across the country. The amount of these sums is given as \$14.55. Wallace was served yesterday with a summons in his room at the Kenyon. The first toan was made to Wallace, the complaint states, at Keene, N. H., and the last she advanced him was at Winnipeg, Canada. The "Girts" company left last even-ing over the Salt Lake route for Low Angeles. Kent O. Keyes, commercial agent of in New York Central lines, has gone peg. Canada.

VOLUNTARY BANKRUPT.

James R. Jarvis, a clarifield laborer, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the fedreat court yesterday afternoon, scheduling his liabilities at \$1,577.70, with assets at \$177. Jarvis was formerly a saboon keeper, and most of the obligations are for liquors purchased.

DISTRICT COURT NOTES.

J. C. Dailey, general superintendent f the Utah lines of the Denver & Rio france railroad, is east over the line oday on a four of inspection. The case of the Pioneer Nursery con The case of the Pioneer Nursery com-pany, which seeks to recover several hundred dollars from John Walson, formerly employed as a bookkeeper, who is alleged to be short in his ac-counts, was argued and taken under ndvisement today by Judge G. G. Arm-strong. The action is a civil suit in-strong of criminal action as provinguly. tend of criminal action as previously d. R. Duckworth, commercial agent f the Missouri Pacific rallroad in this ity, has gone to Pueblo to meet his ife, who has been visiting in the east

Mrs. Clara C. Widel was granted a decree of divorce today in Judge Armstrong's court against H. C. Widel, a inborer, on the grounds of inhuman treatment. She was granted the custory of her two children, Elva 11 years old, and Wilbur, aged 9 years, and \$10 a month for their support. They were married in Gilmore, Iowa, on Oct. 2, 1895.

A decree quieting title to lot 14, block 25. five acre plat C, was granted to Kate G, Vorse against Melvin B. Sowles et al, in Judge Morse's court today.

J. M. Morrison secured judgment against the Tintle Copper King Mining company today in Judge Armstrong's court for \$1.598.45. The debt was con-tracted on Aug. 1, 1905.

The case of the Seigel Clothing com-pany against John B. Brown, a deputy sheriff, to secure judgment for \$26 on a bill of goods is being heard today by Judge Morse.

Ane Frisco system has issued a becautifully flustrated booklet setting forth the advantages in fruit growing in the Ozark valley in Arkaneas and Missouri, along the lines of that road. The booklet is being distributed in limited numbers by J. G. Doolittle, general agent for the Frisco and Rock Island lines in this city. The case of the Union Lime company against the Lime King Mining com-pany is on trial before Judge Arm-strong this afternoon. The suit is to quiet title to a right-of-way over the the Denver & 1310 Grande rallroad will run a special train between Salt. Lake and Provo Saturday for the hampionship basketball game between the L. D. S. U. of Salt Lake and the B. Y. U. team of Provo. The train will eave this city at 1 p. m., and returning will leave Provo at 10:30 p. m. Refuced rates will be effective for the rip. Grandma Stocking claim in Sait Lake

LATE LOCALS.

Local Bank Clearings Today's local bank clearings amounted to \$864. 711.78, as compared with \$766.149.70 for the corresponding day of last year.

Seventh Avenue Deal-John Morris as sold to George M. Miller, the house ad 41 4 x105 ft. lot at Seventh avenue and E streets for \$5,000.

Excavation Completed-The excavation for the new Mining Exchange has been completed, and Contractor T. J. Armstrong is expected to appear to-day at Architect Craig's office to sign the \$70,000 contract for the new build-

Seek First Contributor-An effort seek First Contributor—An effort is being made to find the youth who was the first to contribute to the building of the Y. M. C. A. structure in this city. He gave a bright, hew silver doilar, but made no display of it, and faded from public view. The management of the association would like to locate him.

PERSONALS.

Chief Draftsman Sullivan, of the Short Line, has returned from a week's absence in Los Angeles where he went to visit with his family who have been spending the unpleasant weather of winter there.

THE "REORGANIZED" CHURCH SALVATION FOR THE DEAD.

A 22 page pamphlet, by Jos. F. Smith, Jr., has just been issued from the press and is for sale by the Deseret News Book Store 30c a dozen, or 2 for 5c.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Elizabeth E. Scott, wife of George R. Scott, aged 30 years, will be held Friday at 12 noon from the Eigh-teenth ward chapel. Friends are invited to altend. Interment in city cemetery. who seeks damages against the Utah Light & Railway company for \$10,000 for personal injuries, was dismissed yesterday by Judge Ritchie when the attorneys for the defendant objected to

Victrola Concert Tonight

ADMISSION FREE

Program at 8:15

Clayton-Daynes Music Hall

109-11-13 Main St.

South Cottonwood ward house Satur-day at 2 p. m. over the remains of Mrs. Emma Godfrey. The interment will be at the South Cottonwood cemetery.

The funeral of Henry Wallace will held from S. M. Taylor & Co.'s chap 230 east First South street, Friday, 2 p. m. Interment in city cometery.

DIED.

DUMFORD.—In this city on Feb. 17, 1993, Ray Theron Dumford, little son of Mr and Mrs. Ray Dumford, aged 6 years, 8 months and 14 days. Remains will be shipped to Evanston, Wyo., Friday, Feb. 19, 1999, at 12:95 p. m., via Oregon Short Line.

CURTIS.—In this city on Feb. 17, 1909. Mrs. Sarah Curtis, aged 24 years, 2 months and 24 days, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Husbands, 825 south Main street.

San Francisco papers, please copy.

CHIARA.—At Bingham Canyon, Feb. 18, 1869. Domeneto Chiara, aged 42 years. Funeral services were held from Groomell & Co's chapel, 260-271. South West Temple, on Wedensday at 12 felock under the auspices of Salt Lake Aerle No. 65, F. O. E. Interment in family lot at Mt. Olivet.

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