DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m. today:

Barometer reading at 6 a. m., 25.48 inches; temperature at 6 a. m., 22 degrees; maximum, 44; minimum, 32; mean, 38, which is 3 degrees above normal.

Excess of daily mean temperature since the first of the month, 93 degrees.

Accumulated excess of daily mean temperature since January 1, 797 degrees.

Precipitation for the 24 hours ending 6 a. m., .28 inch.

Precipitation since first of month, .83 inch, which is .35 inch above the normal.

Accumulated excess in precipitation since January 1, .72 inch.

FORECASTS TILL 6 P. M. WEDNESDAY.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:

Snow tonight and Wednesday.

Forecast for Utah, made at Denver, Colo.:

Rain or snow tonight; probably fair Wednesday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A storm of considerable energy is central over Kansas and Oklahoma, while a trough of moderately low pressure extends from the Gulf of California northward to Idaho. An area of moderately high pressure lies along the northern border of the country west of the Great Lakes. Precipitation has occurred over Washington, Oregon, Nevada, western Montana, northern Utah, the Dakotas, Minnesota and adjacent parts of Nebraska and Iowa. It is colder over Nevada, and warmer over southern Utah.

L. H. MURDOCH,
Section Director.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURE.

10 a. m., 32; 11 a. m., 32; 12 o'clock noon, 31; 1 p. m., 31.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The school book ordinance has been vetoed by the mayor.

Principal Albert S. Martin of the Grant school is sick with appendicitis at St. Mark's hospital, with the chances favorable for his recovery.

Twelve men and two teams yesterday started to work on one of the new city ditches in Mountain Dell. The new ditch is to run two miles west from the head of the old Naylor cut.

The construction gang of the Telluride Power company has resumed operations after waiting several days for supplies. They are now working south from Fourteenth South street on Highway No. 20.

The report of Superintendent Christensen for November shows the following figures in the public schools: Total enrollment, 12,175; cases of tardiness, 2,153; percentage of attendance, 93.6.

Those who anticipate cutting Christmas trees in the canyons are forewarned that Land and Water Commissioner Westerfield announces that anyone caught cutting shrubs or trees from the city watersheds must be prepared to pay a heavy fine following arrest.

Chairman Anderson of the county board has received a letter from Congressman Sutherland wherein he states that he favors the proposition of making a reservoir of Utah lake and will attend to the matters set forth in the communication received by him from Chairman Anderson. He also says that the outlook for favorable irrigation legislation during this session is very bright.

Sheriff Naylor has brought back A. D. McGuire from Grand Junction, Colo. McGuire was charged with defrauding James Hegney out of $18 alleged due for a board bill. The young man who was formerly employed as a machinist in the Rio Grande Western shops here, was arrested at Grand Junction on Friday. As Hegney stated last night that he did not care to prosecute the case McGuire was released on his own recognizance.

J. H. Worley of American Fork last night fell over some goods in the Continental market and landed squarely on his chest. After he got up he felt that all was not right so he went to the office of Dr. Beers, where it was soon demonstrated that he had fractured his breast bone. Mr. Worley's wife and family are residing at American Fork, and he came to town to take a position at the Continental hay scales and expected to start work this morning.

The Salt Lake Medical Society met last evening and elected City Physician J. C. E. King, president, to succeed Dr. Ira D. Lyon. The other officers elected were: E. W. Whitney, vice president; A. A. Kerr, secretary; Dr. A. C. Behle, re-elected treasurer. The officers will be installed at the smoker to be pulled off on January 13. F. H. Roley was admitted to membership and the roster now numbers sixty-five members. The treasurer reported a surplus of $39.27 on hand.

State Engineer A. F. Doremus and Bishop O. P. Miller have been re-elected by the presidents of the Jordan River Canal companies, to represent them on the board of commissioners to control the outlet dam of Utah Lake the ensuing year. As soon as the people on the shores of the lake elect their two representatives the four commissioners will meet and name the fifth, who must neither be a resident of Salt Lake nor Utah county.

A number of the members of the Viking league met with Councilmen Whittemore and Hewlett of the board of control of the city and county building, last night to explain to the latter why they had withdrawn their support from Nightwatchman Axel Ulrstrom, who secured his position on their recommend. Mr. Lawson, acting as spokesman for the Vikings, submitted testimony by affidavit and parole charging Ulrstrom with intoxication and neglect of duty together with a number of other shortcomings.

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SALVATION ARMY LEADERS COMING

Commander Booth-Tucker and His Wife Arrive Here Next Week.

WILL APPEAR AT THEATER.

Daughter of Founder of the Army Will Deliver Her Illustrated Lecture, "Love and Sorrow."

Commander Booth-Tucker and his wife, Emma Booth-Tucker, the two chief spirits of the Salvation Army, will arrive in Salt Lake on December 18, and in the evening of that day they will appear at the Salt Lake theater where Mrs. Tucker will deliver her famous illustrated lecture, "Love and Sorrow." She is the daughter of General William Booth, the founder of the Salvation army, and is one of the most widely known and eloquent women in the world. It will be her first visit to Salt Lake, an event she has looked forward to with pleasure for some time. Her husband was here two years ago and spoke in the theater. The Tuckers will be accompanied by Chief Secretary Higgins and a number of the army's soloists, and national staff band. The party is traveling across the continent in a special car furnished gratuitously by one of the eastern railroad companies.

Mrs. Booth-Tucker possesses a most striking personality and is one of the most beloved women in America. She is at the head of all the women's work of the Army in this country. The rescue home for girls and fallen women and the slum work of the great cities are under her direct supervision. She has a wonderful executive faculty, and she often goes through the poor districts of New York where everyone seems to know and to love her. The impression that she is not an educated woman is entirely erroneous. She was brought up under the charge of a private tutor and aside from the learning that she acquired that way, her experiences with the world and humanity have been so broad and so far reaching that few women are equipped as she is.

Commander Booth-Tucker, her husband, resigned his position as judge in India to join the Salvation army. College bred, of good birth, and drawing a handsome salary he entered the land of India as an emissary of the Salvation army. Like the native priests he went bare-footed with scant clothing with his cup hanging at his side and going from door to door begging as is the custom there. Immortalized by Rudyard Kipling in his latest novel. The nations quickly marked the self-sacrifice he was subjecting himself to and they began to believe in him. The result was that whole villages rallied to his standard, and temples of idolatry were turned into Salvation army halls.

CHURCH NEWS.

A special meeting of the High Council of the Jordan Stake will be held at Sandy, Wednesday next. A full attendance is earnestly requested.

The monthly meeting of the officers of the Y. M. M. I. A. of Salt Lake Stake will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the L. D. S. University.

A change of time and place of the semi-monthly meeting of the High Priests of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion having been decided upon, the next meeting will be held in the Assembly Hall, Salt Lake City, on Friday, December 13th, 1901, at 7 p. m.

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SALT LAKE STAKE CONFERENCE.

The quarterly conference of this Stake of Zion will convene in the Assembly Hall, Salt Lake City, on Sunday, December 15, 1901, at 10 a. m., and in the Tabernacle at 2 p. m. and 7 p. m. A general attendance of all the officers and members is requested.

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THAT CUT RATE BIG SENSATION

Local Railroad Men Say It Is All News to Them.

USUAL CHRISTMAS STORY.

Prominent Officials State That Yarn Printed in Morning Paper is Without Foundation.

This morning Herald's pyrotechnic typographical display on the serio-comic drama of "Cut-Rates," or "Now You See It, and Now You Don't," has stirred up some indignation in local railroad circles, and the condition of things as set forth under more or less lurid headlines is severely criticised as not merely at variance with facts, but calculated to set jobbers and the freight men by the ears when there is not the slightest occasion for it. A number of jobbers called up the local freight offices today to inquire if there was any truth to the alleged facts as set forth in the Herald, and were informed it was another case of a bubble blown only to be punctured. The jobbers replied that they did not really believe the story when they read it, but thought they would just call up and see if there was anything really on.

One prominent freight official that east of the river there was likely at times to be slight disturbances in the matter of rates, as might be expected, with so many competitive interests, but that to make such sweeping assertions, and include the roads entering Salt Lake was untrue and uncalled for. Another freight official said: "At this time of year there is always such a yarn started, just as most merchants have got in their winter's stock of goods, and there is as regularly a scare among jobbers. But the cloud clears away immediately, as will be the case in this instance. I am ready to believe that some tradesman after he sees his competitors have got in their supplies, deliberately starts these stories in hopes of knocking down rates and then getting the benefit of the same in shipping in his own winter's goods. No, there is nothing to the claim that the roads entering Salt Lake are cutting rates."

TRANSCONTINENTAL MEETING.

S. P's Withdrawal from Military Agreement Causes a Disturbance.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 10.—The first session of a meeting of the transcontinental passenger association that will probably take up the time of the next three or four days, began here today, with the representatives of most of the roads present. Chairman Carlton submitted a long docket of subjects to be considered and acted on. General passenger agents of western roads have been much disturbed by the decision of the Southern Pacific to withdraw from the military agreement and interpret it as indicating a combination or alliance with the Santa Fe to control all Pacific coast passenger business. In announcing its intention to be no longer a party to the military agreement, the Southern Pacific stated that its action was not dictated by any desire to cause a disturbance in rates on military business but by conditions having changed since the agreement was made. Its object is to bring about at this meeting a reconsideration of the entire situation and the adoption of methods that will meet present requirements.

Colorado Southern Gets the Business

(Special to the "News.")

Cheyenne, Wyo., Dec. 10.—It is asserted here that there is no truth in the report that the Burlington railroad, by entering the Hartville and Sunrise iron fields, will secure a portion of the ore-hauling business. Although Burlington interests own large tracts of valuable iron lands the property has not been developed to any great extent, and the only work that is going on is on the lands leased and owned by the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, which corporation has, it is asserted, entered into a 20-year contract to deliver its output to the Colorado & Southern for transportation to the smelters at Pueblo. During the past summer the Colorado & Southern ran short of ore cars and some of the shipments of iron ore were turned over to the Burlington at Sunrise. In future, however, the Southern will handle the entire output of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, having secured a large number of new cars. In all probability crews and engines will be put on and haul the ore through Cheyenne over the Denver Pacific, instead of turning the trains over to the Union Pacific at this point as heretofore.

THROUGH STEPTOE VALLEY.

Slight Change in "The Route" of the San Pedro Railway.

The White Pine, Nev., News claims that the San Pedro road will build through Steptoe Valley, thence via Bristol and Pioche through Clover Valley and then on to Los Angeles, thus making, with but one slight deviation, a very direct line from Salt Lake to Los Angeles. The idea is that after entering Steptoe Valley a line can be built through to Bristol and Pioche over a country that offers no obstacles to railroad building. The engineer who has made this survey for the road is believed to be O. M. Parsons of this city who spent some time in October last in Steptoe valley.

The News further says:

"It is known that the importance of Ely has been recognized by the San Pedro people for some time past, and now that there is no longer a question as to the permanency of our immense copper deposits it could not be regarded as good business policy for them to leave out the most important point between Salt Lake and the coast.

"The line thus proposed would be almost a direct one from the point of entrance into Nevada to Los Angeles, and in addition to securing the business of Ely it would pass in close proximity to such well-known districts as Deep Creek, Muncy Creek, Aurum, Queen Springs, Duck Creek, Warm Springs, Ward, Taylor, Saw Mill Canyon, Troy, Broom and many other camps, the mines of which are only awaiting the advent of a railroad to become heavy producers, and the tonnage of which would alone warrant the building of a road."

BRINGING THEM TO TIME.

Texas Railroad Commissioners forcing Companies on Schedule Time.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 10.—The railroad commission reached an agreement and will today issue an order with reference to the hearing that was held in regard to the Texas roads failing to operate their passenger trains on schedule time.

The order directs the railways to operate their trains according to the schedule time at each station unless delayed by unavoidable accidents.

It also provides that passenger trains shall not wait for other trains at junction points longer than thirty minutes and railroads will be required to post on the bulletin board at each station thirty minutes before schedule time for the train to arrive, the time the train will arrive and that the bulletin be corrected every thirty minutes up to the time of the arrival of the train. The order will go into effect Jan. 1, 1902.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

The Burlington has cut the time between St. Louis and Denver three hours.

The Union Pacific's frame depot at Borie, between Cheyenne and Laramie, was burned up the other night by locomotive sparks.

Sixty Pullmans will make up the Overland limited trains of the Union Pacific and Northwestern roads after January 1, and all will be lighted by electricity.

The new multiplex tickets devised by General Passenger Agent E. L. Lomax of the Union Pacific will be used on that road on and after Saturday next, simplifying the work of agents.

Governor Van Zandt of Minnesota will not call a meeting of the governors of states through which the new railroad combination runs until legal machinery he has set going has had time to bring about some result.

The names of the stations on the new Salmon River branch of the Short Line are: Moreland, Tabor, Cerro Grande, Powell, Arco, Lost River, Darlington, and the two terminals, Blackfoot and Mackay.

General Manager W. J. Bateman of the Salt Lake and Los Angeles line has returned from his easter trip. He had a pleasant time and found the railroads with a vast amount of business on their hands.

Vice-President Bancroft and General Superintendent Calvin have returned from a Calientes trip. They found the joint survey progressing satisfactorily, but the company is doing no construction work at present.

The sixty-pound steel rails between Allen and Hanna, on the Union Pacific, are being replaced by eighty-pound rails. The line to Hanna was formerly a branch, the main line going by the way of Carbon. The old rails will be turned over to the Laramie rolling mills as scrap.

"Business Openings on the Union Pacific Railroad" is the name of a carefully prepared booklett published by the freight department for general circulation. It gives the principal centers on the system with various interesting data and business openings for each place and will prove of much practical value.

It is ascertained that W. B. Leeds, who is slated for the presidency of the Rock Island, was, a number of years ago, a division superintendent on the Pennsylvania system with headquarters at Richmond, Ind. He has since been an official in the American Tin Plate company, and is reported to be interested in Standard Oil.

The Short Line has just completed a new locomotive at the Pocatello shops of a different type from the engines generally turned out by the road. It has four drivers of 69 inches diameter, with 18½ inch cylinders. The boiler is 60 inches at the smallest ring, and has 244 flues 2 inch in diameter. All of this engine was manufactured at the Pocatello shops, the castings coming from the Salt Lake shops. She will have an electric headlight.

For the nine months ended September 30 leading systems report gross earnings that aggregate $934,742,540, as against $832,135,289 in the same period of 1900, or a gain of 12.1 per cent in favor of this year. On the other hand, net earnings attain the sum of $308,443,229, 15.8 per cent over the nine months of last year. These gains are progressive, they mark steady accretions since 1895.

The Short Line has issued the new time card for the Mackay branch, and trains will leave Blackfoot at 10:40 a. m. Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays, connecting with train No. 9, which leaves Salt Lake at 10:50 p. m., and with No. 10 from Butte. The train reaches Mackay at 4:30 p. m. Returning, the train leaves Mackay the following days at 12:30 p. m., arriving at Blackfoot at 5:20 p. m. in time to connect with No. 7 northbound and No. 8 southbound.

The San Pedro officials at this end do not know O. M. Parsons, the civil engineer referred to in the White Pine News as probably representing the company in making a survey through the Steptoe valley. They also state that a line has been run from Calientes straight through to the California line, but in Utah several lines have been run from which to select a final route if desired; also, that if thought advisable, the final and accepted line might run through the Steptoe valley as suggested by the News.

AMUSEMENTS.

With a brilliant bill with which to open the week in at least two of the places of entertainment last night, the Tabernacle and the theatre, public patronage started out surprisingly light. The truth is that the town is getting altogether too much entertainment in a bunch. Its capacity has been overestimated, and if the purveyors do not kill the goose that lays the golden egg, they will certainly enfeeble the health of the bird to an extent that will seriously interfere with the exercise of her functions.

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At the Tabernacle there were probably not more than 700 or 800 people present, and this number, in such an auditorium had almost a beggarly appearance. When one thinks of the notable bill provided, he can scarcely repress a feeling of exasperation that its sweetness should have been wasted upon the desert air. The Italian band of fifty, the great choir of 400, and the grand organ, in a single evening's entertainment, amount to the sort of thing that in other cities is only witnessed once in several years, and then is dubbed a "musical festival." In Salt Lake such big events are becoming so frequent that they unfortunately excite only passing attention.

Creatore's band is a marvel, and Creatore himself is not the least part of it. To see this eccentric artist with his Svengali like head, wildly gesticulating and clawing the air like a madman one moment, and the next indulging in a soothing gesture like he had fifty babies to hush to sleep, is alone worth the price of admission. He would have had his audience in an uproar of laughter if the effects that followed his contortions had not been so wonderful. For every movement he made, however, he brought forth some astonishing combination of sound. Nothing quite like the tremendous fortissimos of his clamaxes has ever been heard in that building. Both Sousa and Gillmore fade into insignificance in comparison with this band in those tempestuous bursts; in delicacy and in the combination effects, however, they excel it. Indeed, if we were to criticise the work of an undoubted master like Creatore, we would say that he scatters all artistic traditions to the wind with the tempo with which he attacks numbers like the "William Tell" overture. The ear of man is scarcely able to follow the frightful velocity of such bursts of speed; but there is no gainsaying that they are calculated to sweep an audience off its feet with enthusiasm. Creatore did this half a dozen times last night, and each time he responded with some light and charming Italian number which was to the highest degree dainty and finished. The Giaconda number was a great performance. Nothing like its fantastic effects has ever been heard here before. The Rusticana numbers were exquisitely beautiful, while the sextette from "Lucia," although taken in somewhat slower time than we have been accustomed to hear it, was a whole flood of beauty in melody and harmony. The soprano of the evening, Madam Barili, was ill and did not appear, but it was announced that she would do so tonight.

The choir gave several numbers and was at its best in the "Hosanna" and the "Norma" numbers given as an encore. It gave a selection from Rusticana, but has done the same thing better. It was finished in brilliant style however, and being encored, the choir rendered the "Hallelujah" chorus. This was its finest achievement of the night, and the Italian band led in hearty demonstrations of applause. Mr. McClellan accompanied at the organ in his usual effective style.

Tonight the band will be heard in German selections and a rare treat awaits those who attend. The program includes numbers from "Tannhauser," "Schubert's Serenade," "The Poet and the Peasant," and a Beethoven number for reeds only. Tomorrow evening will be "French night," and among the selections will be several from "Faust," and "Carmen." The choir will rest tonight, but will be heard tomorrow night in the "Waltz Song" and the "Soldiers chorus" from "Faust."

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At the afternoon concert yesterday, the members of the band were thoroughly charmed with the work of the Juvenile Choir. It was impossible to keep perfect order with 10,000 youngsters upon the floor, so the program had to be hastened. It would be hard to say, however, whether the band or the children were the more greatly entertained.

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The Frawley company came back to us last night, after an absence of nearly a year, and it is in all ways regretable that they could not have been greeted by the same sort of business to which Mr. Frawley once played with "Secret Service," but the stormy night, the Tabernacle opposition, and the recent congestion of amusements, all combined to his injury, and the turnout was only respectable.

"Lord and Lady Algy" belongs in the class of English drawingroom plays in which smart dialogue, elegant gowns, and superb dressing are relied on to make the points. There is no extraordinary strength in the work, and in some places it narrowly escapes the charge of dullness, but it was admirably done by Mr. Frawley and his supporting artists, and even those who went expecting to see something stronger in the line of acting had to admit that the play had been charmingly rendered. Mr. Frawley himself in the part of Lord Algy was as careful and conscientious as ever. Miss Van Buren, in a high comedy role, deepened the old impression she made; she is a finished actress, a beautiful woman, and a charming dresser. Mr. Reynolds, another actor who made a host of friends on his last appearance, played the part of the brother capitally. Blanche Douglas, who has not been seen here since she left with the Cummings company, had a big reception and a handsome floral offering. The other parts in the cast were carefully and capably played.

Tonight Mr. Frawley presents the strong play of "The Only Way," last seen here at the hands of Henry Miller. Mr. Reynolds does the strong part of Defarge and Miss Van Buren will have the role of Lucie Manette.

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Haverly's Minstrels have a tenor with them that great things are being said about wherever the show has been this season. His name is George Morgan, and he is a product of Moore & Burgess' Minstrels of St. James Hall, London. This is his first trip to America. The Della Pringle Co. will give "East Lynne" tomorrow afternoon, and "The Pulse of New York" tomorrow night, which closes their engagement.

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Tomorrow afternoon the Frawley company will render "Brother Officers," a New York Empire theater success which has never been done in this city. It will give an admirable opportunity to both Mr. Frawley and Miss Van Buren.

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The big concert at the Provo tabernacle in honor of Emma Lucy Gates, occurs in Provo, her home city, tonight. Prof. McClellan goes down to act as her accompanist.

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Mr. Mulvey found something wild, weird, and wonderful on his hands last night when the curtain went up on the "Jolly Della Pringle" company in the "Prince of Paris." Nothing just like it has ever been seen at the Grand before, and probably Mr. Mulvey will take good care that nothing just like it is ever seen there again. The company made a considerable point of announcing that it carried its own orchestra, but if it had lost them at some point along the road, it would have scored a bigger point still. Jolly Miss Pringle announces a complete change of bill tonight, when her company will essay a rendition of "Faust." That will be jolly.

A SENSATION.

National Publishers' Association Throws Books Away—Hundreds Crowding The Auction Sale.

A sale that is more of a donation party than a genuine selling affair is puzzling Salt Lakers. There is an auctioneer in town who is selling books at unheard-of prices, and when no buyer can be found is giving them away with money on the side as an inducement to the lucky receiver to not be backward in accepting the gift.

S. A. Thomas, representing the National Publishers' association, is conducting the sale at No. 11 E First So. A crowd gathered quickly out fought shy of the tempting bargains offered. They soon saw that the sale was bona fide, and the stock first-class, however, and started in to make up for lost time.

The latest popular novels in the copyrighted $1.50 editions sold like hot cakes for prices which did not pay for the composition work of one page. "The Gentleman from Indiana," "Dri and I," "Janice Meredith," "To Have and to Hold," "Richard Carvel," "When Knighthood was in Flower," "The Master Christian," and others of the same class were sold for 5 cents, 10 cents, 15 cents, anything the buyer desired to offer. Magnificent copies of "Paradise Lost," and "Dante's Inferno" illustrated by Dore, were bought for 50 cents and a dollar.

When the bidding slackened Mr. Thomas reversed his system, and from a dollar bid would run the price down to 75 cents, 50 cents, 25 cents and then placing the amount of the last bid on top of the book would give it to someone in the crowd for nothing. Between bids he would throw books out into the crowd, causing wild scrambles for their possession.

Complete sets of the Encyclopedia Britannica sold for $9, Webster's unabridged dictionaries went as low as $2, twenty-eight volume sets of Dickens's works brought $3, sets of standard works sold for from 10 cents to $2, while single books brought prices in proportion.

The crowds which attended the auctions did not understand how the books could be sold so cheaply, but took advantage of the good thing, and more books were sold Saturday and Monday in the city than under ordinary circumstances are purchased in three months.

Today books will still go at the ridiculously low prices, and the promoters expect to leave a carload of choice literature in Salt Lake. The stock includes hundreds of volumes suitable for Christmas presents and any number that would be useful acquisitions to any library. It's a real book sensation.

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