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MR. HAMMOND'S FEES.

THE LAW REQUIRES THE SECRETARY OF STATE to account for all fees received in his office at the end of each quarter. Secretary Hammond is behind two whole terms, and the funds are held by the bank of which Governor Wells is an official, although they should be in the state treasury.

Mr. Hammond explains his dereliction by saying he has not had time to make his statement—a puerile defense for a man to make who has ample office assistance and finds plenty of time for personal recreation.

No matter what the excuse, the statute is plain, and admits of no evasion. The state has a right to demand prompt compliance with the law, and the people expect it of the men who occupy high official positions as administrators of public business.

The governor is ex-officio fiscal trustee of the commonwealth, and is specifically charged with the supervision of the state's finances. He knew for some time that his secretary of state was not obeying the laws governing his office, and yet made no move toward securing an accounting.

Spurred on by The Herald's publication of the facts, Mr. Hammond has at last completed in short order a statement that should have been made by Dec. 31 for that quarter, and by April 1 for the succeeding three months. This tardy recognition of his duty is better than indefinite delay, but it does not atone for a disregard of duty which is unpardonable in such an office.

OIL BOOM IN EASTERN UTAH.

AN OIL BOOM HAS BEEN STARTED in eastern Utah which bids fair to mark the beginning of an era of unprecedented development and industrial activity in that portion of the state. An expert from California en route to the Colorado oil fields stopped over in Uintah county, and was so impressed with the possibilities of striking the fluid mineral in large quantities in Utah that he gave up the Colorado trip, and is now engaged in locating lands and preparing to sink wells. In his opinion the Utah fields are more promising than even the Kern river district of California, where the oil industry gives employment to 10,000 men.

If these expectations are anywhere near realized it will mean great things to the eastern portion of the state. If oil is struck in paying quantities railway transportation will become a necessity that will quickly follow. The result will be that the coal and other mineral deposits of this region which have remained untouched because remote from lines of traffic will be developed. This development will also be aided by the large influx of population that always follows an oil strike.

Should oil be found in large quantities it will not be important to the eastern part of the state alone. Salt Lake and all of Utah will be greatly benefited, for it will attract the attention of the entire country to the state, bring capital into it and hasten development of all its resources.

HOLLAND'S LABOR INSURANCE LAW.

A RECENT LAW ADOPTED BY HOLLAND in the interests of the working classes provides for the insurance of laboring people in nearly all branches of industry against injury or death caused by accidents occuring during the time they are prosecuting their work. From a copy of the act obtained by the government the department of labor publishes a summary of the provisions of the new law.

A state bank is established for carrying on the insurance business, having a board of directors and a supervisory board. The funds necessary to cover the expenses of the business come solely from the employers of insured labor, and they are forbidden to make any deductions from the workmen's pay on this account. The employer has three alternatives in fulfilling his obligation. He may pay regular premiums, graded according to the size of his payroll and the degree of risk assigned to his particular line of trade; he may undertake to pay the compensations that may become due his employees by putting up sufficient security with the insurance bank of the state, or he may put the matter in the hands of a regular insurance company, provided it deposits the necessary security.

Every man, woman and child in the assured branches of labor is entitled to necessary medical attendance and medicine or a compensation in lieu of these whenever injured. If unable to return to work within three days after the accident the workman will receive for all the time he is away up to forty-three days, in addition to medical services and medicine, a compensation equal to 70 per cent of his daily wage. In case of permanent injury he receives an amount varying from 70 per cent of his wages down, according to the nature of the injury. If death results an amount is set apart for his funeral expenses and his widow gets 30 per cent of his wages until her death or marriage. Each child gets 15 per cent, and if the other parent is dead 20 per cent until 16 years of age. Parents, parents-in-law, grandparents or grandchildren, if the decedent contributed to their support, get as much as he contributed, but not to exceed 30 per cent of his total wage. In calculating all pensions under this act any amount in daily wages in excess of $1.61 is not considered, and the total amount of the pensions paid out must not exceed 60 per cent of the total wage, so that where there are a large number of children the pension going to each is considerably reduced. Accidents due to intoxication entitle the injured to only a half-rate pension, and in case of death the survivors get nothing.

The adoption of this law by Holland, together with the fact that there is now being considered by French law-makers a bill to provide pensions for all old and decrepit working people, shows that the laboring classes of Europe are securing recognition undreamed of a century ago.

PHENOMENAL RISE OF WOMAN.

CHARLES DANA GIBSON, who created the celebrated "Gibson girl," claims to have positive information that, owing to the popularity which athletics and outdoor sports have gained among the fair sex, the average height of American girls has increased two inches in the last ten years, and it is now five feet ten inches. He and other experts on feminine tallness are inclined to think that this increase will continue so long as golf and other forms of club swinging continue in vogue. Hence the beginning to the next century ought to see the average Easter bonnet elevated to an altitude of some seven feet six.

On the other hand we find that the American man is shrinking. The rules of army enlistment have had to be changed in order to admit smaller men because there were not enough large ones to go round. There are some who say that this, too, is due to feminine athletics. The girl who dallies with the Indian clubs and the horizontal bars all morning and who follows the golf ball all afternoon hasn't much spare time to devote to the study of the gentler art of dough kneading. Consequently the bread and the biscuits and the cake are not such as mother used to make, and their normal concomitants are indigestion and a reduced manly stature, which is also likely to continue. Thus, if in the course of a hundred years the American girl succeeds in golfing and gymnasticizing herself to seven feet six, she will probably have reduced the American man to some four and a half feet of dyspeptic humanity.

If these theories are correct the question of the emancipation of woman is forever solved. When one recalls what the old-time five-foot parcel of femininity collaborating with a broomstick has been able to do to some six-foot men, there can be no question as to what will be the status of a four-foot-six male biped in the days of seven-foot-six women and iron-shod golf sticks. It will be the man that will need emancipation and the problems that will confront the legislators of the future will be such as putting a legal limitation on the amount that may be extorted from a husband for a spring bonnet or in granting him one evening off each week from his domestic duties.

Now that St. Louis has established a new record by getting a couple married just fifty-nine minutes after they became engaged, it will be up to its ancient rival, Chicago, to show a divorce within thirty-nine minutes after marriage.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer says that its automobile expedition was "a success as far as it went." The man that runs that paper is certainly entitled to be called a philosopher.

The czar of Russia doesn't think our Teddy looks like a peace advocate. But then the czar didn't see Teddy the day he was up in the tree making goo-goo eyes at the coyote.

There should be a first class opening in New Haven for a specialist on fractures of the jaw. The Laryngological association is holding a congress there.

The pipe line that Mr. Dougherty's oil company is to build into Salt Lake should not be conflicted with the San Pedro road. It is altogether different.

Senator Clark would better be looking after his fences in Montana. Recent advices indicate that Butte is trying to slip away from him.

Senator Kearns' proposition to go out into the desert looks as if Tom might have a scheme on foot to corner the hot-air market.

With the formation of a shirt trust man finds himself standing between the satanic dickey and the deep blue sea of shirt waists.

There is a roof garden in New York called "The Paradise," probably because it is a place where joyous spirits abound.

Reports from the ribbon and white-goods counters indicate a large crop of sweet girl graduates.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox Says: Theatre-going Is Helpful.

"Advice."

I MUST do as you do? Your way I own
Is a very good way. And still
There are sometimes two straight roads to a town,
One over, one under the hill.

You are treading the safe and the well-worn way,
That the prudent choose each time;
And you think me reckless and rash today,
Because I prefer to climb.

Your path is the right one, and so is mine.
We are not like peas in a pod,
Compelled to lie in a certain line,
Or else be scattered abroad.

'Twere a dull old world, methinks, my friend,
If we all went just one way;
Yet our paths will meet, no doubt, at the end,
Though they lead apart today.

You like the shade, and I like the sun;
You like an even pace,
I like to mix with the crowd and run,
And then rest after the race.

I like danger, and storm and strife,
You like a peaceful time;
I like the passion and surge of life,
You like its gentle rhyme.

You like buttercups, dewy sweet,
And crocuses framed in snow;
I like roses born of the heat,
And the red carnation's glow.

I must live my life, not yours, my friend,
For so it was written down;
We must follow our given paths to the end.
But I trust we shall meet—in town.

Dear Mrs. Wilcox—Kindly give your advice on the following: Do you consider it demoralizing to attend high class theatres? I enjoy witnessing plays whenever I get the opportunity, but my family are very much against it and continually nag me about it, saying that it destroys one's character and morals completely. My sister's could not be induced to attend a theatre, and we occasionally have arguments concerning the matter.

By giving me your opinion on this you will greatly oblige,

A READER OF YOUR COLUMN.

This letter is written by a man who ought to have a little more mind of his own that he seems to possess in this matter. I can imagine a young girl yielding to the wishes of her family, even when her convictions stimulated a desire for liberty; but a man should be independent and self-reliant enough to break out of such a narrow environment as he describes; and follow the bent of his own judgment in a matter which includes no sacrifice of any principle. In this age the man or the woman who has never attended a theatre lacks a certain phase of education. I have witnessed plays which have aroused my ambitions, my courage and my faith, and increased my respect for all the great virtues. I have witnessed others which have amused, rested and refreshed me as an entertaining book might do or an outdoor game, and I have gone away from others with what our American humorist, Bill Nye, used to call "a dark brown taste in my mouth."

We might as well say we would never read any books, or play any games, because some books and some games were pernicious. We might as well say we would never make acquaintances with our fellow-beings, because some acquaintances we have known turned out badly. The young man who cannot attend a theatre and retain his morality and his principle needs to go into a desert or a hermit's cave and live the life of a recluse. He ought not to associate with his kind. Richard Le Gallienne has said "that which we dare not look upon must finally overcome us."

People who had as useful and moral lives as this young man's family attend theatres. Parents cannot live their children's lives for them. Teach your children the great virtues of life, and impress upon them the benefit of clean, high thinking and unselfish living. Then let them go into the world and have their jousts with fate. It is useless to undertake to hide them away from all the shadowy places of earth—all the unsavory features of life. They must meet them and ponder over them.

Instead of trying to veil the eyes of the young from the evil in the world, fill their souls with the light of goodness and love and faith in God and man, and send them forth to add to the sum of the world's worth.

Keep your ideals high, your mind clear, your heart right, young man, and attend the theatres when you please. Do not be carried away by what you see, but look upon it as a study, and analyze the play and its influence as you would criticise a book. The theatre will not harm you unless you want to be harmed.

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SOCIETY NOTES.

The wedding of Miss Emily Katz and Governor Heber M. Wells will be solemnized this evening at 7 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alma Katz. A reception will be held from 7:30 to 11 to members of the governor's staff, the state officers and friends of the bride and groom. At 11 o'clock the governor and Mrs. Heber M. Wells will leave for the east, visiting New York, Philadelphia, Buffalo and other large cities before their return.

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The Bee Hive house was the scene of a large reception last night, tendered the visiting stake officers by the general boards of the Y. M. and Y. L. M. I. A. The old historic house, with its decorations of American flags and thronged with gayly dressed ladies, presented a brilliant appearance.

Electric lights were strung on the lawn and to the music of Christensens' orchestra dancing was indulged in to a late hour. The members of the general board formed the reception committee.

In the dining room, which was artistically decorated in pink roses and syringas, Mrs. Augusta Grant, with a bevy of young ladies, served refreshments. On a side porch lemonade was served to the dancers.

During the evening a musical programme was rendered under the direction of Professor Evan Stephens, among the numbers being solos by Mrs. Lizzie Thomas Edward, Mr. Alfred Best, Horace Ensign, Heber J. Grant and Le Roi C. Snow; a character song, which caused much merriment, by Maurice Young, and a charter duet by S. B. Clawson and George E. Margetts.

Among the well known people present were President Lorenzo Snow, Joseph F. Smith, Heber J. Grant, B. H. Roberts, Angus M. Cannon, Mrs. Elmina S. Taylor, Mrs. Maria Y. Dougall, Martha H. Tingey, Ann M. Cannon, Mrs. Susa Young Gates, Mrs. Mary A. Freeze, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Talmage, Mr. and Mrs. Rulon S. Wells, Mr. Frank Y. Taylor and others.

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Miss Mary Snyder and Mr. Frederick Kimball were married yesterday by Rev. Father Cucran.

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The Utopia Card club will be entertained by Mrs. Della Tarbet this afternoon.

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Miss Kate Brockbank was the recipient of a happy birthday sunrprise last evening at her suburban home in Big Cottonwood. As a mark of their esteem, Sheriff Naylor and all of his deputies appeared at the young woman's home and presented her with a handsomely bound set of poems by Bryant, Lowell, Goldsmith, Whittier and Meredith. Deputy Sheriff Sloan made the presentation speech, and then each of the deputies regaled the office stenographer with large bouquets of roses. Mrs. Brockbank served the guests a tempting luncheon, and the party broke up by wishing the hostess many happy returns of her birthday.

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One of the first June weddings to which society has been looking forward with interest was solemnized last evening, when Miss Mary Burke and Mr. Roscoe Henry Channing, jr., were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Burke. It was a quiet wedding, beautiful in its simplicity. The spacious rooms were aglow with roses. Loose clusters of the queen of flowers adorned the house in profusion.

The ceremony was performed at 6 o'clock by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Scanlan and was witnessed by only members of the family.

The bride was unattended and was charming in a tailor-made gown of dark gray cloth, with hat to match. She carried bride roses.

The ceremony was followed by a wedding dinner, the table being dainty in pink roses and ferns.

At 8:30 Mr. and Mrs. Channing left for an extended bridal tour of the east.

Miss Burke is one of Salt Lake's most charming girls and has won for herself a large circle of friends in the musical as well as the social world. Mr. Channing is superintendent of the Highland Boy mine.

Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Channing will be at home at the Ewing house, on Fifth East street.

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Miss Ella Little, daughter of the late Jesse C. Little and Emily H. Little, and Dr. Bucher were married at 9 o'clock yesterday morning in the presence of the family and a few intimate friends. Rev. James B. Eddie, dean of St. Mark's cathedral, was the officiating clergyman. After a quiet wedding breakfast Dr. and Mrs. Bucher left on the morning train for the west, where they will remain for some time touring the Pacific coast.

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A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Lindsay last evening, when their daughter, Mamie, was united in marriage to Mr. George W. Meeks, a prominent real estate man. Rev. R. Stanton Stringfellow of St. Paul's chapel performed the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock, only the immediate families of the bride and groom being present.

The rooms were tastefully decorated in a wealth of roses and carnations. The bride was gowned in white chiffon, with trimmings of white satin ribbon. Pink roses were the flowers.

Amidst congratulations and good wishes from a host of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Meeks took the 11 o'clock train for Ogden, where they will make their future home.

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Mrs. E. S. Ferry will leave next week for California.

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Miss Edith Shearman returned Sunday from California.

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Invitations have been issued for the wedding reception of Miss Mabel Olive Hackett and Mr. Clarence Elmer Traver, to be held Wednesday evening, June 12, from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m., at the home of the bride's parents, 22 South State street.

AMUSEMENTS.

It is to be assumed after last night's showing that the Wilbur-Kirwin Opera company has struck a responsive chord in the minds, hearts and pocketbooks of Salt Lake amusement lovers. In spite of the cold, wintry wind that blew over the city, reducing the mercury to a very uncomfortable level, the Palace theatre was filled when the curtain rose on the second performance of "Said Pasha."

The bicycle races were not over until 9:30, and it was later when the overture to the opera begun. But as early as 8 o'clock people had seated themselves in the house and half the chairs were filled before the lights were turned on, which necessitated the unusual but not unwelcome procedure of sending ushers around in the dark to collect tickets.

Last night's audience was not in any sense plebeian. The company's satisfactory accounting of the night previous had been heralded effectively, and a good many regular patrons of high-class opera were in attendance.

The show went off with a great saving of time, comparatively speaking, and, while no features were cut, the audience was turned out in good time to get up town and catch the midnight cars for home.

This afternoon and evening "Said Pasha" will be repeated. Curtains at 2:15 and 8:15.

For Restlessness.

(Pittsburg Dispatch.)

Here is a new idea for curing the children's restlessness. A restless, peevish imaginative youngster, who seems equally unable to become interested in studies or pleasures, is a constant trial both in school and at home. Here is an original cure that will often prove helpful. Said a teacher the other day: "When I find a pupil restless and out of temper, with flushed face and generally heated look, I send him out to let cold water run on his wrists. In a few minutes he comes back cool and calm. The circulation is quickly effected by an application to the wrists. In a chill a nurse will put hot compresses at the pulse with excellent results, or bathe the wrist with camphor to revive from a fainting fit; and this gave me the idea of reducing the temperature of a restless, irritable pupil."

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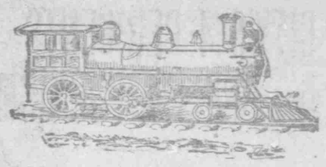

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No. 10—For Bingham, Lehi, Provo, Heber, Mt. Pleasant, Manti, Marysvale and intermediate points ..... 8:00 a.m.
No. 8—For Eureka, Payson, Heber, Provo and intermediate points ..... 5:00 p.m.
No. 5—For Ogden and the west.. 9:50 a.m.
No. 3—For Ogden and west..... 11:00 p.m.
No. 1—For Ogden and west..... 1:00 p.m.
No. 42—For Park City..... 8:10 a.m.

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No. 3—From Provo, Grand Junction and the east ..... 10:50 p.m.
No. 9—From Provo, Heber, Bingham, Eureka, Marysvale, Manti and intermediate points..... 6:00 p.m.
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*For Provo, Nephi, Milford and intermediate points ..... 7:05 p.m.
For Ogden, Butte, Helena, Portland, San Francisco and intermediate points ..... 10:50 p.m.

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*From Milford, Nephi, Provo and intermediate points ..... 9:35 a.m.
From Ogden, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and San Francisco ..... 3:40 p.m.
**From Garfield Beach, Tooele, and Terminus ..... 4:00 p.m.
From Preston, Logan, Brigham, Ogden and intermediate points. 6:55 p.m.
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