

ENTERTAINING OLD FOLKS AT SMITHFIELD

Smithfield, May 19.—The annual reunion of the Benson stake old folks will be held in Smithfield June 1. Under the supervision of the Smithfield Second ward old folks committee meeting to be held morning and afternoon, and a banquet will be served at noon in the Union Hall. The day's pleasures ending with a grand ball in the evening.

The Smithfield Sentinel is nicely located in their new home on Depot street. The building is 18x35 feet giving plenty of room for a nice office as well as plenty of room and splendid lighting for the commodious work shop.

The first ward operetta company will present on Friday evening at the Hillyard opera house, The Persian Princess. This operetta promises to be very good as a great deal of time and work has been spent to prepare the young people in their different characters by Mr. E. B. Lundquist of our city.

Wednesday, May 24, is the day decided upon by Mayor Joseph J. Richardson for a general cleanup of our city.

Tuesday night Mrs. Robert Griffith, Mrs. George Romney, Mrs. T. A. Hillyard, Mrs. Mae Cantwell and Master Robert Griffiths went to Logan to attend the dancing exhibition at the Nibley Hall and while there their auto was taken by some boys for a joy ride.

Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Merrill have announced the marriage of their daughter Gladys to Mr. Jack Shillings of Los Angeles.

Mr. A. E. Merrill and Mrs. Gayle Lewis attended the party given at Logan by the Sigma Alpha Fraternity Thursday evening.

Miss Lavon Cragun is visiting in Ogden this week.

Mrs. A. J. Merrill and Miss Nellie Pilgri were Richmond visitors on Tuesday evening.

The Second ward choir will give a musical program in their tabernacle Sunday, May 21 at 2 p. m.

Mr. A. M. Smith left Tuesday for a visit in Salt Lake City and American Fork.

TRANSFERS IN REAL ESTATE

The Stewart Real Estate and Loan Company of this city, reports the following real estate transfers for the past week:

The Riverside dairy ranch to Peter E. McCombs, 397 acres. Consideration \$16,000.

Peter E. McCombs to L. F. Mechem, 30 acre farm at North Logan. \$8000.

John Barfus to Joseph James, 40 acres of land in Newton, \$2400.

A residence in Providence to John Barfus, \$2000.

THE SUPER-SIX

Owing to increased material and labor costs, the factory has added \$100 to the price of the Hudson Super Six, but all customers who gave their order with a deposit for this wonderful car, will be protected and will buy at the old price.

The Grant Six is also a great car for the money and it, too, will advance in price. If you desire one of the finest light six cars that was ever put on the road at \$895, you must speak quick.

Your order with a deposit will protect you from any advance in price. LOGAN GARAGE & SUPPLY CO., North Main street, Logan, Utah, C. M. Harris, Manager.—Adv. 5-25

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Mary D. Smith, wife of J. P. Smith of Grace, Idaho, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Fifth ward chapel. Bishop J. H. Anderson and Elder Joseph E. Cardon were the speakers. A solo was rendered by Miss Myrtle Batt. Mrs. Smith died last Tuesday in the hospital. She was 48 years of age and leaves a husband and four children.

COUNTY ROADS TO BE GREATLY IMPROVED UPON

If the citizens of the towns of the county are as enthusiastic over the coming Good Roads Day, Wednesday May 24th, as the citizens of the county seat, we are sure to accomplish much toward the building of passable highways, roads that will be a pleasure to travel on, roads that will make it easier for marketing the products of the farm and garden.

In Logan already certain business men are contending with each other as to who knows the best methods of road construction and there will be a great many squads organized, the object of the captain over each squad to build just a little better piece of road than his neighbor.

The problem now before the committee in charge is to know just how to handle all the teams which have been promised for the day. Shale will be hauled from the canyon and put on the road where most needed between the Desert Mills and the mouth of the canyon. It is possible that some work will be done here needed on the canyon road above the State dam in the canyon. At any rate, it is up to every loyal booster of Logan and Cache Valley to join in this state wide movement for better roads and do their little part along with the others to make a showing worth while.

BASEBALL HERE MEMORIAL DAY

Memorial Day will be fittingly observed in Logan, both from the standpoint of the significance and purpose of this day and from the standpoint of its being a holiday to be celebrated.

This is the announcement of the Outdoor Sports committee of the Commercial Club who are planning a program.

A baseball game between a Logan team and the fast Stall and Dean team of Salt Lake will be played here. The Stall and Dean team is the old Retail Clerks team, well known in this end of the State.

The Logan team will furnish a very good exhibition of the national game. Following are some of the men to be in the lineup:

Eklund, Brig Johnson, George Holmstead, Squires, Stewart, Mason, Dewey, Allan, Kidman Skanky, and Woodward.

To conclude the program on Memorial Day the Logan company of the state militia will give a grand ball in the Auditorium in the evening. The Logan Military Band will also give a concert.

IMPROVEMENTS WHICH COUNT

The following editorial was taken from yesterday's Ogden Examiner:

"Cache county people are making elaborate arrangements for bringing about permanent improvements which will contribute to furnish development of the rural sections and bring the richly producing lands closer to the profitable markets. Next Wednesday those backing the movement estimate 25,000 men will be at work improving the public highways. This will be a practical celebration of Good Roads day that will be of the great benefit to the northern part of the state.

The enterprise thus demonstrated clearly outlines the progressive spirit which will force Cache county to the front. The people responsible for the movement are the kind who will be valuable in a broader field of co-operation and that fact justifies the plans of the Ogden members of the Utah Manufacturers' Association to cultivate closer business relations with these neighbors to the north.

F. A. Mitchell of the Seventh ward is getting along nicely after an illness of some time.

TRIUMPH IS SCORED BY MISS GATES

Press Clipping, Philadelphia Record, February 14, 1916, On Her Eastern Tour

To say that Miss Gates scored a triumph would be putting it mildly. The 4000 music lovers who packed the big auditorium simply went mad over her. Her voice is strong and clear and sweet, with a remarkable range and a sureness that speaks well for her training. It is a voice of more than ordinary grand opera calibre. Hundreds in the audience who are regular attendants at the Metropolitan opera performances said she was easily superior to half the regular leading sopranos. It was stated that she had refused two offers to go into grand opera, preferring to remain on the concert stage.

She sang only two songs, refusing to encore, although called out again and again by prolonged applause. Her first selection was the Bell Song from Lakme, a most difficult aria, the prelude to which has to be sung without the orchestra. Throughout this song, the singer must imitate the notes of a bell, without singing any words. The manner in which Miss Gates accomplished this was truly extraordinary.

Not only were the music lovers in the audience enthralled, but a squad of reserve policemen, who were on duty in the opera house, adjourned after the song to the basement where they discussed the singer and music with fervor and appreciation.

Her second song was, Cara Nome, from Rigolette, and aria in which Tetraxini is supreme, and she approached the Tetraxini mark so closely that the audience went wild.

SALT LAKE EXCURSION TO MENDON

The Cache Valley Oil Company, an organization started in Salt Lake City, for the purpose of drilling for oil in Cache Valley, has launched an excursion to Mendon from Salt Lake today.

The purpose of the excursion is to acquaint stockholders in the company as to the location of the drilling rig. A gas well flowing natural gas from a depth of seventy feet has been dug and from the blaze of this gas, a beer will be roasted and the cooked product will be served free to all who go to the well site. C. H. Gustavson and C. E. Allen of Salt Lake have been in Mendon and Logan making the preliminary arrangements to receive the excursionists.

The company has announced that it will commence drilling today. This will be an attraction itself to see the operation of a drilling outfit that is capable of going to a depth of five thousand feet if necessary.

RECORD DRIVE TO FRISCO FROM LOS ANGELES

San Francisco, May 18.—T. J. Beaudet in a Cadillac eight, seven passenger touring car, equipped with Goodrich Silvertown cord tires, broke all records between San Francisco and Los Angeles this morning over valley route, time nine hours thirty seven minutes.

The Cadillac was driven the entire distance through fog with three passengers and one hundred and forty miles through rain. The actual speedometer reading was four hundred and sixty miles. The best time the fastest express train can make on this same run is fourteen and a half hours.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Johnson of Newton, were in Logan yesterday on shopping business.

EXPERTS ARE SOUGHT FROM SENIOR CLASS

Sugar Beet Seed Experts Are Wanted by the Sugar Manufacturers Over the Country

During the past week three beet companies have sent representatives to the Agricultural College to select men from the Senior class to enter their employ. The Amalgamated Sugar Company wants a man to go to Seattle to test the germinating qualities of the seed that is being brought from Russia by Supt. Quinney. The Utah Idaho Sugar Co., are seeking two men to go to Idaho Falls to assist in raising beetseed. The Great Western Sugar Company of Denver has given up its policy of educating men and is now seeking new men among college graduates. Messrs Lippert and Mendelsohn have been visiting different colleges in the west and interviewed 12 Agricultural College graduates at Logan last Thursday, from whom they will select two or three men to enter their employ. Although they pay only a living wage at the beginning, to the men who makes good, the opportunities for advancement are remarkable.

PLUMBING JOBS NUMEROUS IN SOUTH CACHE

H. P. Bair, the Hyrum plumber, was in Logan yesterday on business and says that he is kept busy with work which is coming to his shop from the towns in South Cache, including Providence, Millville, Hyrum, and Wellsville. Mr. Bair recently purchased a large shipment of Kohler bath room sets just previous to the recent raise in prices and from the fact that he is able to give his patrons the benefits of this raise he is receiving a good share of the patronage.

The shop managed by Mr. Bair is known as the Hyrum and Wellsville Plumbing and Heating Company with the principal office at Hyrum.

A full set of plumbing tools are carried and able mechanics are employed on all jobs, thus insuring absolute satisfaction to all patrons.

The shop at Hyrum in fact, is a model plumbing shop and it is surprising how loyal the local people are to a proposition which they consider part of the community. About eight jobs are being handled at present at Wellsville, one in Millville, one in Providence and several in Hyrum.

The people of South Cache are finding Mr. Bair a hustler and a mighty fine gentleman to do business with. He has had the kind of training that fits him for his chosen profession. He has had perhaps more experience than any other man in Logan on the home connections to the Logan City sewer and is thoroughly conversant with all plumbing problems.

CITIZEN DIES AT THE AGE OF 94 YEARS

John Andrews, one of Logan and Cache Valley's oldest veterans, a pioneer of this state and valley, died at his home in the Fourth ward yesterday following a short illness.

Mr. Andrews was born February 24, 1822 in Ireland. He is survived by a wife and a large family of children.

Funeral services will be held in the Fourth ward meeting house on Sunday at 12 o'clock.

Charles Hendy, manager of the Denver branch of the Ford Automobile Company, was in Logan Thursday and was taken around the valley by the officers of the local Ford agency. Mr. Hendy says that the Denver branch is 2500 cars short of their orders.

POSTMASTER TAKES SHOT AT MR. DAINES

We are in receipt of a communication from Hon. J. M. Blair of Logan City in which he takes issue with a recent statement in this paper wherein the county administration, the postmaster, and some of the county officials were "touched up." As a real nifty example of genuine shiftiness, the postmaster's letter is in a class by itself, and would be awarded the blue ribbon and sweep-stake by any committee of awards, whether judged from an ordinary or technical standpoint. This is what the postmaster says:

"In a recent issue of The Republican, I was charged with having criticized County Treasurer Daines because the street numbers were not placed on envelopes containing tax notices, and an effort was made to show that I was working with what was called a 'Shifty Democratic Administration' in this county, to place the treasurer in a false position before the public.

As a matter of fact I criticized no one and have sought to blame no one for the fact that piles of letters containing tax notices remain in the Logan postoffice and are returned unclaimed to the treasurer's office because the carriers cannot find the people to whom they should go.

I did suggest that if there were a law requiring the street address to be placed upon the envelope, it should be enforced and if there be no such a law then one should be passed.

Just how that reflects on the treasurer of Cache county is not clear to me. Instead of trying to injure Mr. Daines I have endeavored to help him where I could. When I found that he was violating the rules of the Postal Department, I called his attention to the matter in order to save him some embarrassment, and in other ways I have tried to assist him.

And, when talking of "shiftiness," the thought occurs to me that none of the Democrats in office in Cache county now can compare with this same treasurer in that respect. He has "shifted" about as much as any one can politically and it ill becomes his champions to question the sincerity of anyone else."

Notice how he did and he didn't, he does and he doesn't, he will and he won't, and your damned if you do and damned if you don't. In paragraph 2 he criticises no one and in paragraph 3 he did suggest some criticism. In paragraph 4 he could not see how he reflected on anyone, while in the same paragraph he did call attention to some infractions of law and set the offender right.

In paragraph 2 he says he criticized no one, and blames no one for the "fact that piles of letters containing tax notices remain in the Logan post office and are returned unclaimed. Is it not about time that Postmaster Blair was criticising some one and take steps to fix the blame for such conditions? Is it not service the people want and not a postmaster who permits letters containing tax notices to pile up in such a way with out placing blame or even criticising some one? Again, ought not the postmaster to be advised as to whether or not there is a law requiring the street addresses, etc., and not find it necessary to "suggest that if there were a law it should be enforced and if not, such a law should be passed?"

As to paragraph 4 we beg to advise the postmaster that we are not the guardian of the county treasurer, and if the treasurer is at fault it is no concern of ours how much he is criticized, consequently we can not see why the postmaster should write to us in such an apologetic way, and we respectfully refer him to the treasurer himself for the delivery of any apology that he may have to deliver.

And now just smile at the last paragraph and then frame it as a remarkable example of "shiftiness." The postmaster will please be advised that no one in connection with this office, and no stockholder in this paper had anything whatever to do with the election of the present county treasurer and if we remember correctly, the postmaster was city chairman of Logan City, and had a great deal to do with the election of the present administration, the treasurer

LIVE LOCALS FROM TOWN OF LEWISTON

Lewiston, May 18.—The Primary officers of the Third ward gave a party in honor of Mrs. Millie Wood. Mrs. Wood is leaving for Burley, Idaho and has acted as counselor in the Primary for several years. She was presented with a beautiful silver berry spoon.

One of the Lewiston Japs team ran away on Main street Tuesday. The Japs wife and child were in the wagon when the man lost control of the team. The horses dashed into an electric light pole smashing the tongue of the wagon. No other injury however, was done.

Miss Lulu Telford was in Logan on business last Tuesday.

Claude the little 6 year old son of George Lewis, fell from a horse on Tuesday injuring his arm. It was thought that it was broken but upon examination it was found by the doctor to be a bad sprain. This is the second time within the month that the little fellow has injured his arms.

David West is driving a new Maxwell car about the town.

Mr. Joseph Wood had the serious misfortune to wreck his automobile. Mr. Wood and other gentlemen were loading cars at Cornish preparatory to moving to Burley an incoming train frightened a span of horses hitched to a wagon and they dashed onto the auto smashing in the entire front of the car doing a great deal of damage.

Mr. Young the agent at the O. L. and I. depot is leaving Lewiston.

Mrs. Maud Stocks and children are visiting at Wellsville, guests of her mother Mrs. Esther Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harrison of Logan spent the week end at Lewiston.

The Pope family pleasantly surprised Mrs. Mary Rawlins of Cornish, Monday. The occasion was the lady's birthday. All the members of the family residing at Lewiston were present and a very enjoyable time was had.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis left by auto Thursday for Idaho. Mr. Lewis is going for the purpose of locating a ranch and expects to be away for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Eva Parkinson will entertain the ladies of the Les Bon Amie Club at her home Friday afternoon. The lesson to be treated is Woman's part in civilization.

Mrs. Vida Karren is visiting at Hyde Park with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Reeder.

Mr. Steve Cantrell was in Lewiston on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Louisa Mower who has just returned from the Utah Idaho hospital is now able to get out and around.

A number of men are engaged in Lewiston working on the pavement and removing the electric light poles from the center of the streets. Lewiston furnishes a great deal of employment to outsiders as well as to our own men.

Contractors have begun work upon the new bungalow which Horace Cutler is erecting. Excavation has been completed and when the erection is finished Mr. Cutler expects to have one of the most modern and up to date homes in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Choate were at Logan on Wednesday.

John Telford and family motored to Logan Wednesday.

Mrs. Rebecca Wisner was shopping in Logan Wednesday.

included, and if we remember correctly, he together with his democratic brethren worked early and late in order to capture several hundred shiftless fellows in order to place his party in power, and we think it ill advised for a federal official, under a United States Post Office head, to be politically criticising some of his fellow creatures. On the other hand, would it not be more in order for him to defend and build up rather than to criticise and tear down. On the whole, the last paragraph had better never have been written. It is entirely beneath the dignity of the occasion and the conditions.