

SOCIETY

BLUE BELL'S CLUB DANCE.

One of the big social events planned for next week will be the fifth annual ball of the Ogdens Blue Bell's club, the social organization of the girl employees of the local branch of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph company. The "Hello" girls in the club number 70 and all of these have been assisting the committee in distributing the invitations to the ball.

The committee is composed of the Misses Esther Anderson, president of the club, chairman; Vivian Carroll, Myrtle Cooley, Eleanor Nelson, Ethel Maycock, Louise Brotherton, Annette Sherman and Kathryn Greenwell. These young ladies have arranged a fine program of entertainment for their prospective guests, this to include more than a score of modern dances with music by Lillian Thatcher's orchestra, and refreshments. The ball is to be given in the Berthana hall, Tuesday evening, Feb. 26, and invitations may be obtained by applying to any employee of the telephone company.

ACCOMPLISHED MUSICIAN LEAVES.

Miss Helen Hunter, youngest daughter of Mrs. and Mr. R. P. Hunter, has taken up the study of the cello with Bruno Stendal of Chicago. Stendal, who is a cello soloist with the famous Thomas orchestra, is one of the best known players in the United States, and always limits the number of his students to three or four. Miss Hunter's acceptance as a student is considered by Ogdens musicians to be a high honor.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Misses Florence, Erma and Nellie Stratton were hostesses at a surprise party at their home in Staterville Monday evening in honor of their guests Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stratton whose marriage took place Feb. 7 at Salt Lake temple. An enjoyable evening was spent in music and games. At a late hour refreshments were served. The guests of honor were the recipients of many good wishes and a generous supply of rice. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stratton, Mrs. Rae Stevens, Mrs. Florence Manning, Misses Blanche Perry, Josephine Hill, Marie Hutchins, June Thompson, Myra Bartholomew, Myrtle Slater and Florence, Erma and Nellie Stratton. Messrs. Jerome Wheeler, Clarence Wheeler Earl Knight Delosa Holly, Wm. Smout and Harold Slott. Mr. and Mrs. Stratton departed for their home in Idaho, Tuesday morning.

MRS. JOESTEN, HOSTESS.

Mrs. Frank W. Joesten entertained Wednesday afternoon at her apartments at the "Melrose," 2639 Jefferson avenue. A delightful afternoon was spent in needle work, social chat with vocal and instrumental music by Mrs. Walt E. Lloyd and Mrs. Herbert H. Snyder which was enjoyed by all present. After which Mrs. Joesten assisted by Mrs. Walter Zimmerman served a delicious Valentine luncheon, the color scheme being carried out in red and white. Place cards with comic verses were laid at each plate. The invited guests were Mrs. Billy Ferree, Mrs. Charles P. Carlson, Mrs. Herbert H. Snyder, Mrs. Brig. Robertson, Mrs. Walt E. Lloyd, Mrs. Edna Webb, Mrs. Nevin Edgington, Mrs. Walter Zimmerman and Mrs. Joesten.

ON COAST TRIP.

Mr. Charles Hunter of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph company and Ray Riddough of the Union Depot company will depart on No. 5 this afternoon for an extended trip through California. They expect to visit many places of interest while away.

COLONIAL TEA.

A committee of the following ladies of Miriam chapter No. 14, O. E. S., will entertain at a colonial tea in the masonic parlors Monday, February 19, from 3 until 5:30 o'clock: Mesdames Mabel T. Foor, Eunice E. Bowman, Emma M. Kelley, Eva T. Lewis, Mrs. th A. Wattle, Grave La Forrest Howes, Myrtle L. Dinsmore, Leona Kirkendahl, Ethel L. Corey and Frances M. Glen.

All members of the order are cordially invited and the committee will be pleased to see as many as possible attired in costumes of colonial days—the days which formed the most picturesque period of our national life.

REMBRA CLUB.

The members of the Rembra club were delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. E. Webb at her residence, 1823 Washington avenue. The usual game of 500 was played, honors being given to Mesdames B. Gilchrist, J. Welch and F. Vogel. The hostess in her charmingly served a delicious luncheon. The ladies were greatly surprised when informed that Miss Grace Crites, a popular member of the club, was quietly married on St. Valentine's day. Mrs. B. Gilchrist will be hostess to the club members March 1st at her residence, 1823 Washington avenue.

MEET AFTER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS.

Two sisters, Mrs. M. J. Lewis of Mason City, Ariz., and Mrs. J. C. Young of Portland, Ore., met last week, for the first time in thirty-five years. They are the daughters of C. C. Christian, one of the early pioneers. Mrs. J. T. Ritter of Riverdale, is the niece of the two ladies.

Mrs. Lewis, who is seriously ill, came to Ogdens last week and went to the home of Mrs. Ritter. Her sister was called to her bedside when it was feared that the illness might prove fatal. However, she is so much improved that Mrs. Young returned to her home in Portland yesterday afternoon.

Of twelve children in the Christian family, these two sisters are the only survivors. A curious fact is that Mrs. Young is the oldest and Mrs. Lewis is the youngest child.

The Christians came to Utah in 1847. At that time Mrs. Christian was but 16 years old, and her husband was a very young man. He set up the first grist mill in the state of Utah, in the fall of 1848. He has been dead for more than twenty years and Mrs. Christian died a number of years ago.

SILVER TEA.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Agnes Kennedy, 2603 Madison avenue, Tues-

day afternoon. A number will dress in colonial costume and refreshments will be served.

VALENTINE PARTY.

The Railway Postal clerks gave St. Valentine party at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Manning, 606, Seventh street, February 16th.

MIZPAH CLUB.

The Mizpah club was entertained very delightfully by Miss Meda Parry at her home on Brinkley avenue. Five tables of 500 were played after which a luncheon was served. Those present were Mrs. Mary O'Brien and Misses Erma Moore, Arleen Stevens, Lucile Wilcox, Ruth White, Elizabeth Blair, Marjorie Browning, Gladys Budlong and Jessie Whitmore, and Messrs. Robert Goodman, Harold Perry, Frank Williams, Walter Hadlock, James O'Brien, Wm. Gounley, Leo Squires, Albert Squires, Ernest Wilson and Earl Pingree.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY FITTINGLY CELEBRATED.

A more congenial, happy crowd of people would have been hard to find, on February 12th, Lincoln's birthday, than the ones that assembled in the parlors of the Methodist church, in acceptance to the invitation of "Lincoln Circle," ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic.

An invitation had been extended to the W. R. C. and Dix Logan Post, G. A. R., and the generous response was most gratifying.

No other decoration for the parlors was in evidence except "Old Glory," and no other was needed.

The program, literary and musical was patriotic throughout, and was most generously applauded.

The serving of appetizing refreshments, was an enjoyable feature of the afternoon's program—that is if one may judge by the many encomres received by the refreshment committee.

The following was the program rendered:

- Program.
- "The Star Spangled Banner," Francis Scott Key.
 - "Hodie to the Flag," Viola and Lillian Thiel.
 - "Valse," August Durand, Miss Theresa Draffe.
 - Readings:
 - (a) "Union and Liberty," Oliver W. Holmes.
 - (b) "Just Smiling," Mary J. Lee, Mrs. Frank A. Dodge.
 - Vocal solo.
 - (a) "Absent," John N. Metcalf.
 - (b) "Love's Old Sweet Song," John L. Molloy, Mrs. George H. Thiel.
 - Address, "Lincoln," Judge J. D. Murphy.
 - Vocal solo.
 - (a) "O, Time Take Me Back," Carrie Jacobs Bond.
 - (b) "One Flag—One Country," C. C. Mora, Mrs. George O. Bartlett.
 - Reading, "O Captain, My Captain!" Walt Whitman; Mrs. J. C. Nye. "America," Audience.

The committee having the program in charge were Mrs. G. N. Thiel, J. C. Nye and F. A. Dodge.

The committee on refreshments were Mrs. W. N. Crossman, Mrs. B. F. Thomas, Mrs. E. A. Littlefield, Mrs. B. S. Chandler, C. W. Hadley, Mrs. Sarah Way, Miss Jessie Minis.

CARD PARTY AND DANCE.

A very pleasant party was given by Mrs. Nellie C. McDonald at her home at 2276 Wall avenue, Monday evening, February 12, complimentary to Mr. J. F. Holmes of Alta, Utah, who has been in Ogdens for the past few weeks on a combined business and pleasure trip. Cards, games and dancing were indulged in until a late hour. Mrs. L. Anderson and Mrs. H. C. Parrish assisted Mrs. McDonald in serving a delicious lunch.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hickok, Mrs. and Mrs. John Wallin, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Parrish, Mrs. E. Greenwood, Mrs. H. C. Parrish, Mrs. L. Anderson, Mrs. Nellie Bidwell, Miss L. Reelia Shugrue, Miss Erma Parrish, Miss Annie M. McDonald, Mr. John F. Holmes, Mr. John Madden.

ON COAST TRIP.

Mrs. G. T. Donaldson and children left this morning to visit relatives and friends in Oakland and San Francisco.

NURSES BALL IS PRETTY EVENT.

As patrons of the Ogdens Graduate Nurses benefit ball, nearly 300 persons danced from the curfew hour last night until the first of the morning, in the Berthana hall. One of the finest programs of music that has been heard at the hall this season was provided by Miss Lillian Thatcher's orchestra and twenty-eight dances, with one or more encores each, were danced with keen enjoyment. It was a select and happy crowd, a goodly percentage of the Ogdens doctors and all of the graduate nurses being included in its membership.

The party was delightfully informal, the nurses making a pleasing appearance in their natty uniforms, and the vari-colored evening gowns of their lady guests making the scene more picturesque. Waltzes, fox trots, one steps and three steps made up the intermissions, the dancers were served with tasty punch and confectionery by Caterer Arne Sumner, at the refreshment fountain on the ballroom floor.

The affair was arranged for the purpose of raising funds, to be expended in furnishing the new nurses home at the Dee Memorial hospital and though the crowd at the party was not as large as was desired, a number of unused tickets were sold, making the benefit ball a profitable venture.

LINCOLN CIRCLE OF G. A. R.

Lincoln Circle No. 2, Ladies of the G. A. R., will hold their regular meeting on Thursday, February 22, at 2:30 o'clock sharp. It is most important that all members and officers of the circle be prompt upon their occasion. The "Washington Party" by the Ladies of the W. R. C. will follow the meeting of the Circle, in the I. O. O. F. hall.

CRITES-STANLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Crites announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace Lorette to Mr. Earl Stanley of Evanson, Wyoming. The wedding occurred last Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of Father Cushman after which a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's parents at

3731 Monroe avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley will be at home in Evanson after March 1.

MRS. NORWOOD, HOSTESS.

The Ladies' Aid of the Grace Baptist church meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Norwood's 2572 Van Buren. Mrs. Norwood was assisted by Mrs. J. Herschler.

After the meeting dainty refreshments were served and the ladies adjourned to meet again on March 1, 1917, at the home of Mrs. Era Hansey, 1824 Grant avenue.

Those present were Mrs. Norwood, J. Herschler, J. M. Preshaw, Myrtle Bushwell, Will Crites, W. B. Lona, Jennie Davis, Hillstead, Crowfoot, Eva Hansen, J. F. Lawson, W. B. Reed, and the Misses Mattie Preshaw, Era Wardley, Emma Herschler, Edith Long, Alice Wardley, Grace and Bonnie Bushnell and Lula Pechart, of Salt Lake.

FROM NEVADA.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holt of McGill, Nev., are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Christensen, 2950 Lincoln avenue.

COMOS CLUB.

Members of the Comos club were the guests of Mrs. G. A. Lashus, Thirtieth and Jefferson avenue last Wednesday. The afternoon was pleasantly spent and the hostess served tempting refreshments.

GET ACQUAINTED MEETING.

Clara Barton, D. 237 G. A. to D. of L. E. will hold a "get acquainted meeting" on Tuesday, February 20, at 2:30 p. m. All G. A. members invited.

AT NINTH WARD HALL.

Last evening in the Ninth ward amusement hall a dancing party was given by Camp L. Daughters of the Pioneers. The program was arranged for the pleasure of those who enjoy old-time dancing and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present both old and young. At 8 o'clock the program of musical and literary numbers began and at 9 o'clock dancing was indulged in until a late hour. The ladies brought lunches and the dainties were served in old-time style.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Albert announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara to Dr. S. Joseph Z. Gantz of Ogdens, the wedding to occur in the near future.

POINSETTA CLUB.

The Poinsetta club held a delightful meeting at the home of Mrs. G. D. Jost last Thursday afternoon. The ladies brought their needle work and spent a busy hour after which refreshments were served by the hostess. A pleasing feature of the meeting was the musical selections given by Mrs. Maude Farley Lloyd. The luncheon table was prettily decorated for the occasion with violets and roses.

The club will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. T. A. Jost, Thursday, February 22.

Those present at the home of Mrs. G. D. Jost were Mesdames Harry Allen, A. H. DeWitt, C. G. Crawford, Guy Richison, T. A. Jost, John Neimoyer, Arthur Small, J. H. Worthington, and G. D. Jost.

HOME CULTURE CLUB.

The Home Culture club will meet at the home of Mrs. O. M. Lloyd 2673 Van Buren avenue, on March 1st.

DEPART ON VISIT.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wall departed yesterday for the northwest, where they will spend a short time visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Wall will also visit on down the Pacific coast.

UTOPIA CLUB.

The Utopia club will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Tribe, Tuesday, February 20, at the Utopia home, 3189 Washington avenue.

RED CROSS TEA.

One of the most interesting and delightful events of the week in social circles was the Red Cross tea given on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Edmund Orson Watis at her home on Twenty-sixth St. The affair was given for the purpose of creating interest in the recently organized society in Ogdens with Rev. J. E. Carver as president and Mrs. R. B. Porter as secretary and treasurer. At the tea Rev. Carver was present and gave a splendid talk upon the aim of the society. He was followed by Mrs. Porter who gave a short, concise talk along similar lines.

During the afternoon tea was served. In the dining room the decorations were carried out in red and white, symbolic of the Red Cross.

Altogether the event was one of the most delightful affairs held in Ogdens for some time past. Seventy-five guests were entertained during the afternoon.

ALL BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

Monday evening at the Owl's lodge rooms the local All-British association will give an entertainment which will undoubtedly be one of the most delightful ever given by the local order. A musical program consisting of the following will be given:

Miss Florence Wallace, piano solo; Ninth ward quartette, song; Miss Minnie Coffin, song; Master Leonard Taylor, song; Professor Sawyer, song; Miss Florence Fisher, song; Professor Sawyer, violin solo.

Refreshment will be served and a social time enjoyed.

CHILD CULTURE CLUB.

The Child Culture club held a delightful meeting at the Berthana last Wednesday afternoon.

A pleasant program was given with Mrs. John Culley giving the first number on the program scheduled. Mrs. Culley delivered a lecture on "Community Music" and the Ogdens High school girls string quartet composed of Miss Fischer and Gladys Richardson, violinist; Winifred Hutchinson, viola; Avon Rich, cello and Vera De Lamater, pianist, played "Festal March" (Mendelssohn) and "Lamento," a cello solo was given by Miss Rich, with string accompaniment.

A tempting luncheon was served by the hostesses and the club adjourned to meet again in two weeks at the Berthana.

THE MISSES THOMAS ENTERTAIN.

A very pretty dancing party was given at the Maids' and Matrons' club last evening, the Misses Marjory and Dorothy Thomas acting as hostesses to about seventy of their little friends. In addition to the dancing, refreshments were served.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The Historical society is meeting to-

day at the Maids' and Matrons' club with Mrs. G. W. Perkins as hostess, after March 1.

ENTERTAIN AT CARDS.

Mrs. Eugene H. Smith and Mrs. C. C. Hetzel were hostesses to a number of their friends on Thursday afternoon at the Maids' and Matrons' club. Card games were played and luncheon enjoyed.

TEA PARTY.

Mrs. Alexander Walker entertained at tea at the Maids' and Matrons' club last Tuesday, February 13.

1916 500 CLUB.

The 1916 500 club met with Mrs. Luddington Wednesday evening, February 14. The house was prettily decorated with Valentine hearts and carnations. The members were dressed to represent Valentines, their appearance creating much merriment. Mrs. Baker represented St. Valentine's wife and carried Mrs. Furniss gave a few lessons in step-dancing which were well enjoyed. Several games of 500 were played, honors being given Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Shipley.

The center decoration of the table was a vase of carnations. The hostess served a dainty three-course supper and all departed at a late hour, after having spent an enjoyable evening.

The club had as their guest Mrs. Edith Browning of Salt Lake City.

TO CELEBRATE WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

The Kensington of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. G. Gebhardt, 2621 Barlow avenue, Thursday, February 22, with Mesdames Gebhardt and Zimmerman as hostesses. The affair will be in celebration of the birthday of George Washington and will undoubtedly be a pleasant one.

BETHEL UNION OF W. C. T. U.

Bethel union of the W. C. T. U. will meet on Thursday, February 22, at 7:30 p. m., with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Preshaw, 446 Twentieth street.

CARD PARTY.

Mrs. P. F. Kirkendahl entertained a number of ladies at cards yesterday afternoon. Refreshments were served following the games.

MUSICIANS ARRANGING BALL.

The first annual ball to be given under the auspices of the Ogdens musicians local order, No. 356, will be given on March 13. Committees have been appointed and are making plans for a splendid event. Those named are:

Arrangements, Charles C. Thatcher, J. Cameron, A. L. Acee, A. E. Thomas, Alden Nicholas, music, E. Larson, Lillian M. Thatcher, James Rackham, J. Jagers, Guy Gardner, advertising, H. H. Atwood, Fred Williams, Paul M. Lee.

COSTUME POETRY.

Mrs. Rolla S. Farnsworth will give a program of "Costume Poetry" Tuesday, February 20th, at 4 o'clock, at the Maids' and Matrons' club. The following girls will act as Incease Midens: Dorothy Herrington, Ruth Boyd, Mildred Smith and Lenore Sorsby.

LITERARY PROGRAM.

A novel and unique literary program will be given at the Maids' and Matrons' club Tuesday, February 20th, at 4 o'clock, under the direction of Mrs. Rolla S. Farnsworth. Poems by Noyes, Wilfred Gibson, Robert Browning and others will be interpreted by Misses Eleanor Gibson, Fay King, La Vern Robinson, Rosa Mostellar and Ruth Winter.

CONFESSION OF GUILT BY HARRY WOOD, BANDIT.

Out of the shadows, at a lonely spot at the end of the Washington avenue car-line, at 7:30 p. m., October 31, two sinister looking young men emerged, just a streetcar came to a halt. The motorman was busy transferring his controller and reversing his trolley and did not notice that he was being followed by a man who had no one on the car except Conductor C. A. Wood and the motorman. The conductor glanced casually at the approaching pair.

The two men stepped briskly upon the car. They stood facing the conductor. Suddenly one of them leveled a revolver at the conductor, and with an oath demanded his money. The other robber stood beside his pal, hands down, one hand behind him as if he held a club, ready to assist.

The conductor, pretending to yield, reached for his money, but brought forth instead a snub-nosed automatic and began firing. He killed one of them. The other man escaped, desperately wounded.

The identity of the slain youth remains a mystery. He lived only long enough to rasp that his name was Charles McCullen.

Sleuths Lose the Trail.

The sleuths, immediately on the scene, found the dying boy and pursued the escaping bandit to a stubble field, where they lost the trail of blood in one place they found a large pool of blood.

The conductor said afterward, as did many others, that the escaped bandit had doubtless died somewhere in the brush; that he was food for the magpies. The snows came and the search was abandoned.

Weeks later Harry Wood, a Salt Lake laborer, inebriate and degenerate, a product of the old reform school, applied at the police station at Salt Lake for treatment for a wound in his side. All wounded men of his class were being carefully examined as possible suspects in the Ogdens hold-up. He wouldn't explain how he got the wound in the side and was brought to Ogdens, where the conductor identified him as the bandit who shot him. Another witness identified him as one of two men who had followed him late at night for the evident purpose of robbery.

Expert Testimony.

Attorneys David L. Stine and Reinhardt L. Gideon, appointed by the court, conducted a brilliant defense in addition to the witness, they proved by Dr. Frank K. Bartlett, who gave expert anatomical evidence, that the prisoner could not possibly have received his wound in the manner de-



ROSE STAHL in Scenes from "Our Mrs. McChesney"

Miss Stahl comes to the Orpheum Theatre Next Monday Night in her latest American Comedy Success which is a Dramatization of Edna Ferber's widely read Emma McChesney Stories. Miss Stahl is under Charles Frohman Management and is supported by a large and capable company.

James Chambers, Early Pioneer, Called BY DEATH.

Resisting all appeals of his attorneys for an honest explanation of how he received his wound, the prisoner sullenly refused to testify in his own behalf, and, as a result, he was convicted.

Prior to the trial, Charles Chambers, a fellow-prisoner with Wood in the county jail, whispered to the officers that Wood had confessed to him his guilt, telling in detail how he escaped; that he had succeeded in slitting his wound, returned to Ogdens, where he begged 60 cents from one man and 40 cents from another and, with this money, bought a ticket to Salt Lake, where he obtained a job at Bingham at Dixon's labor agency; that he held the job several days, when his wound began troubling and he sought treatment at Salt Lake and was caught.

Who is Chambers?

Charles Chambers is serving a sentence for obtaining \$25 at the First National bank on a worthless check for \$600. He is a stranger here, supposed to be from Butte, or somewhere in Montana. His evident motive in "slitting" on his fellow-prisoner was to curry favor with the authorities. The Standard's representative was informed of his story a week before the bandit's trial and dismissed it as unworthy of notice, for obvious reasons.

The district attorney also had Chambers out of the cell-room and heard his story of the bandit's alleged confession, but was advised not to introduce Chambers as a witness, because of his rule disregard testimony of that kind.

To Chief Deputy Sheriff Charles Pincock and others, before and after conviction, the prisoner declared he was innocent of the Ogdens crime. He never would explain, however, how he received his wound.

The alleged confession to Chambers was quoted in this morning's newspaper. The Standard again discarded it yesterday, for the same reason that the district attorney refused to introduce it as evidence in the case.

Who is Harry Wood?

When Wood, alleged bandit, was brought to Ogdens, a Standard representative, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Curtis Allison, visited him in jail. Mr. Allison and the prisoner instantly recognized each other. Mr. Allison is a son of the former superintendent of the reform school. He knew Wood as a boy, when Wood was an inmate of the institution. He said Wood was remarkable for his utter lack of spirit; that smaller boys were always whipping him, that he wouldn't fight. He also said Wood apparently had changed in personality.

Wood said his mother lived in Salt Lake. Desperate bandit, or not, there was a sob in his voice and a look of dumb appeal in his eyes—the hopeless, despairing look of a tortured animal—when he replied to the reporter's questions concerning his mother. She didn't know of his troubles, he said.

Even now the old mother, who is totally blind and deaf, is groping about in her cheerless little home at Salt Lake, wondering why her boy doesn't come home.

Two reputable citizens of Salt Lake, who have known the alleged bandit from childhood, testified for him. One of them said to the Standard representative: "That poor wretch is a victim of drink. That was his only fault, as far as we know. We know his character so thoroughly, however, his physical and mental characteristics, that we could not believe him guilty of a holdup, even though he himself confessed it. He is physically and mentally incapable of such a crime."

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank all who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our dear little daughter; also for the beautiful singing, speaking and the lovely floral offerings, and ask God to bless them all in their hours of trial.

MR. AND MRS. T. C. SHERMAN.

A GREAT LECTURE BY N. C. HANKS.

Don't fail to hear the "Man Who Laughs at Fate," by Mr. N. C. Hanks the sightless and handless lecturer and entertainer. He will be at the I. O. O. F. hall, Fraternity block, Wednesday evening, February 21, at 8 o'clock. His subject will be "An Hour of Optimism." Given under the auspices of the Modern Woodman of America. Admission 25 cents.—Advertisement.

FUNERAL SERVICE FOR B. VAN DER SCHUIT SUNDAY.

The funeral of B. Van der Schuit, who died early Tuesday morning at his home in Price, Utah, after being fatally wounded by his wife, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Fifth ward meeting house, Bishop J. W. Ure will officiate and the lodges of which the deceased was a member will take part in the services. Mr. Van der Schuit was a member of the

JAMES BURCH, EARLY PIONEER, CALLED BY DEATH.

In the recent death of James Burch in Los Angeles, where he was passing the winter with his son, James E. Burch, Ogdens lost one of its first pioneers. The deceased came to this city in September, 1848, and had made it his permanent place of residence ever since. He was born in Hamilton County, Ohio, December 10, 1835, the son of Daniel Burch and Ann McCallan. His parents joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in their home town in his early days and he often told of being held up by his father so that he might see Joseph Smith while the prophet was addressing the people.

Mr. Burch came to Utah with his parents in Captain Snow's company, arriving here with three teams, variously composed. Though but thirteen years of age, he drove some sheep across the plains, tending part of the way barefooted. The first saw and gristmill in Weber county was built by his father, when cottonwood trees were found here two and three feet in diameter.

The Burch family first lived in a house with a dirt roof near what is now Twenty-ninth street and Pacific avenue. In the spring of 1849 a house of lumber, with a shingle roof, was built on the farm.

James Burch married Nancy L. Stewart, who came to Utah in 1847 and to Weber county in the spring of 1848, on the 18th of December, 1861. She passed away December 31, 1915.

Mr. Burch held a number of positions of responsibility during his lifetime. He was appointed first counselor to Bishop Benjamin C. Hamilton when the First ward of the Weber stake was organized. This event took place on December 28, 1878, and the deceased was a member of the bishopric until February 10, 1890. He was then made a member of the stake high council, in which position he was active until advanced age made it advisable necessary at the time of the division of the old Weber stake.

Mr. Burch was the father of ten children, the following of whom survive: Mrs. David Stowell, Rexburg, Idaho; Mrs. Jos. B. Whitehead, Salt Lake City; Mrs. Lucius A. Humphrey and Mrs. James H. Brown of Ogdens; Mrs. Thomas H. Clifford, Antelope, Idaho; James E. Burch, Los Angeles, Cal., and George M. Burch, Ogdens. Twenty-six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren also survive.

While it was known he was falling in health and despite his advanced years, the news of his death was a shock to many friends and relatives. Funeral services will be held in the First ward chapel, the date to be announced later.

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The highest attainment of the coffee roaster's skill, always that smooth, rich, full, uniform flavor.

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Ogdens lodge of Elks, Woodmen of the World, Scottish Rite Masons and the Odd Fellows. Representatives of the orders will lead the procession from the meeting house to Ogdens City cemetery, where interment will be made. The remains were accompanied