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RANDOM REFERENCES

Dainty Pastry. Charles Cafeteria.

New Chief Forester—E. A. Sherman, supervisor of the Hot Springs, California, forest, is expected here Monday morning to take the position now held by Chief Forester Clyde Leavitt.

Mr. Sherman was formerly at the head of the forestry service at Missoula, Montana, and is an exceptionally competent man. Mr. Leavitt will remain at the Ogden office for a few weeks to aid Mr. Sherman in getting acquainted with the affairs of the office.

The remodeling of the front and the installing of the new Iceless Fountain which is one of the very latest in design at our 25th street store will not interfere with the business. At all times the entrance will be open so that the public may pass in and out. Wards. Manufacturers of goods there to eat.

Woodcraft dance at the Royal Washington's Birthday.

Dr. Hill's Visit—Dr. T. C. Hill passed through Ogden on the way to Salt Lake City, where he preaches Sunday morning, coming to Ogden to preach at the evening service of the Methodist church. Dr. Hill is still in vigor and has retained the old-time fire for which he was noted in his youth and prime. He is a great favorite. Special music will add to the attractiveness of the service.

Vegetarians like Charles Cafeteria—High grade fancy apples at wholesale prices. Phone 667 K.

Ready for the Rubbish Heap—In the reconstruction of belief now going on it is a matter of concern what is to

Orpheum THEATRE BOTH PHONES 323 ADVANCED VAUDEVILLE MATINEE WEDNESDAY, 3:30; SATURDAY, 2:15. Wonderful New Show Starting Tomorrow Night BROTHERS PERMANE. Those Eccentric Clowns in Novelty Offering. "Nightingales Making Love." J. W. CLARK'S SIMIAN COMEDIANS A Troupe of Monkeys That Will Amuse Everybody A Great Act for the Children. SISTERS McCONNELL, Neat and Eccentric, Grotesque Singing and Dancing Comediennes. BERRY and BERRY Eccentric Comedy Musical Duo. CARREY BROTHERS, Artistic Steppers. MARVELOUS HILTONS Premier Comedy Cyclists—Marvelous Hit. ORPHEUM MOTION PICTURES—LATEST NOVELTIES. ORPHEUM ORCHESTRA. PRICES—Night, 10c, 25c and 50c. Matinees, 10c, 15c and 25c. Special Matinee Tuesday Washington's Birthday.

son of Ogden and took a number of articles valued at \$12. The case was presented to the court by the prosecuting attorney upon evidence furnished by the Union Pacific detectives.

Automobile Show at Salt Lake Feb. 21st and 22d. Round trip rate \$1.10, via the D. & R. G. Butcher.

The Melting Pot—Israel Zangwill's new book, "The Melting Pot," is the patriotic book of the year, which will furnish the illustration for the evening service in the First Presbyterian church Sunday night, the theme being, "The Message and the Warning of the New Christian Spirit of Americanism."

Spoke in Cache County—Rev. J. E. Carver returned this morning from spending a week speaking in Cache valley. An address was given each night of the week, and on Thursday Rev. Carver spoke at the assembly of the students of the Agricultural college at Logan upon "The Development of the Will."

Ministers Meet—Rev. Dr. Christian F. Reinsner, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal church of Denver, passed through the city Saturday morning, and by pre-arrangement met and had a visit with Rev. G. W. McCreery between trains. He is one of the rising young men of the church, who is well known because of several valuable books that he has written.

David O. McKay to Talk—Apostle David O. McKay will be the speaker at the Sunday evening at the Sixth Ward chapel. The service begins promptly at 7 o'clock.

Case Appealed—The case of Herbert W. Dunn against the Salt Lake & Ogden Railway Company has been appealed from the lower court to the district court by the defendant. The action is to recover \$175 for the killing of a horse belonging to Dunn, by the defendant's train, two miles south of the Lagoon, on July 16 last. In the lower court judgment for the full amount was rendered.

Tout Family Arrives—Edwin F. Tout and his daughter, Miss Maggie Tout, will arrive in Ogden this afternoon from London on the Overland limited. They will be guests at the home of B. A. Ensign, 2684 Lincoln avenue.

Probate and Motion Calendar—The regular probate and motion calendar for the month was heard by Judge Howell in the district court this morning.

Suit for Divorce—A suit for divorce upon the grounds of non-support was filed in the district court this afternoon by the attorney for Ella Taylor against D. C. Taylor. The couple were married at Pueblo, Colo., January 4, 1902, and have three children, of which the plaintiff asks the custody of, together with general relief.

Suit for \$587—J. W. Overton has brought suit in the district court against Fred J. Kiesel and W. B. Weddell, owners of the Kiesel-Weddell block, to recover damages in the sum of \$587, alleged to be due on the balance on a contract for work in remodeling the building.

Death of His Father—Edgar A. Stevenson, finance clerk at the post-office, has just received a telegram announcing the death of his father, who had reached the advanced age of 80 years and had been a resident of Arroyo Grande, California, for the past 25 years. James G. Stevenson was a Civil War veteran, having enlisted from Ohio. Cause of death, pneumonia.

Plain City Surprise—John A. Taylor and wife of Plain City, pioneers of Weber county, were happily surprised at their home last night by about fifty of their friends and members of their family. The evening was joyously spent by the assembled guests, among whom were Samuel Page and two sons of Montana; Mrs. Mary Hyatt, a sister of Mr. Taylor, of Ogden; Bert Green and John M. Hemple and families of Kanabville; Mrs. Sam Eccles of Ogden; Bishop and Mrs. Taylor of Harrisville and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor of Harrisville.

Fell Down Stairs—While going up the stairs in his home on Adams avenue, at an early hour yesterday morning, a man named Doran slipped and fell and sustained a number of painful injuries. At first it was thought he had fractured his skull, but an examination at the hospital proved otherwise.

Club Organized—The Holland-American Republican club of Weber county, at a largely attended meeting at the court house last night, effected the organization of the club with the following officers: C. J. S. Abel, president; John Roghaar, secretary; and P. J. Kammeyer, treasurer. Captains in more than half of the election districts of the city were appointed. There was much enthusiasm at the meeting and many women were present.

Obtains Logan Contract—J. P. O'Neill has returned from Logan where he has been during the past few days. Mr. O'Neill has contracted to finish the work of putting in sewer district No. 1 for Logan city, which was authorized by a Salt Lake firm that failed. The city is spending about \$50,000 in sewers at this time.

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THAT BIG CITY DEBT

Is "Nothing," Says Julius Caesar Nye—He Pats the Merchants on the Back, Tackles the Waterworks Buyers and Says "In Time" Waterworks May Pay Out—Wants People to Pay Off the \$100,000 Debt and Just Boost—and Then Boost Some More.

Editor Standard: In your issue of February 16th is an article with flowing headlines, which reads as follows: "THE BIG CITY DEBT. It Was over One Million Dollars on January 1st of This Year. Takes One-Hair of the City Tax to Pay the Interest on the Debt. Auditor's Report Presented Shows the Above Facts Enough to Make Every Citizen Think Twice and Then Tell How to Meet the Situation."

Now, I am a citizen and a taxpayer, and I take the liberty of answering this article, telling how I would do it. While I do not intend to enter into any controversy over the matter, I feel that I must criticize the article, which I do not think is true in fact, but in my judgment is misleading, inasmuch as the situation is not fairly presented.

The increase of \$150,000 in the bonded indebtedness as everybody knows, was for the purchase of the city waterworks, and is considered BY ALL (7-Ed.) to have been a wise movement on the part of the administration that consummated the deal.

This waterworks system is a valuable asset of the city, from which a revenue is derived sufficient to pay the interest on the \$450,000 bonds (if it does not, the city must pay it—Ed.) make necessary repairs and extensions, and in time (the words "in time" are appropriated) create a sinking fund for the payment of the bonds. This feature of the question was carefully avoided in the article referred to (and properly so—Ed.), which assumes that the entire amount of interest must be met by tax levy, whereas only a small amount of the amount due from the city must be so met.

Now, all there is to this question, looking at it in its worst feature, is that Ogden city has about \$100,000 of a floating debt, which is nothing, in my opinion, to cause alarm or get excited over. (Think of it, Mr. Nye says that a \$100,000 probably illegal debt is "nothing." He must carry such little sums in his vest pocket—Ed.)

The writer of the article, "THE BIG CITY DEBT," says in substance: If the merchants of the city would assume this indebtedness they could pay it off in two or three years, but not wishing to misrepresent anything, we will quote just what he did say: "A merchants' license of \$100 to \$500 for each business house would wipe out this debt in two or three years."

Now, I want to ask, in the name of all that is fair and just between man and man, why the merchants of our city should be asked to pay this debt? (Ask the legislature. It said we might do it.) They are to pay their full proportion with all other property owners of all money raised by tax levy, besides they are constantly being called upon and daily contributing to various benefits, most of which are calculated to be a public benefit to our city. (Think of it, Mr. Nye says that most other property holders escape.)

I ask again, why try to shift this debt on the shoulders of our merchants? (It would be easy if they would stand for it—Ed.)

The writer of the article goes on to say that without a high merchant license "there is nothing to do other than double the taxes or repudiate the debt."

This means, of course, to pay the debt in one year. Now, why not be consistent, and give the taxpayers two or three years to pay their bill, as well as the merchants, which, in my opinion, is the very thing to do? With the increasing value in the property of the city a levy of 2 or 2½ mills will pay this debt in three years, and no one will feel it, and this is just what I expect to see done by the level-headed business men composing the present administration.

And I expect to see them go about the business cheerfully and with a smile on their faces, as there is nothing serious about the situation, and I do hope we shall not see this matter referred to in print again.

Why not join the Ogden boosters instead of trying to make it appear that our city is on the verge of bankruptcy? (Signed) C. N. NYE.

Here we find a man who thinks The Standard did wrong in telling the people that the city was in debt over one million dollars on January 1, 1910. Suppose Mr. Nye had a manager of a big store and this manager should run Mr. Nye in debt only a hundred thousand dollars, and should conceal the deficit until the sheriff started to sell out Nye's store, how would Mr. Nye feel? And if Mr. Nye should complain of the manager's extravagance, what would he say if his manager should put him on the back and say, "Oh, that is nothing. Just boost, old man. BOOST?"

Whenever the people of this city grow ashamed to have the conditions of the city's finances printed in the newspapers then it is time the conditions that bring such results should be changed. This paper purposes to give all the news, good, bad and indifferent; we shall conceal nothing.

The present conditions were brought about by those who have been promised better things, and they should not complain when their broken promises are exposed.—The Editor.

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when the motion was denied by the court. The case is known as the case against Frederick Rickerzcker, L. V. Curry and Mrs. L. V. Curry, and the charge is criminal conspiracy.

Upon the denial of the motion, the defendants, through their attorney, entered pleas of "not guilty." The case is set for trial March 3.

NEW OGDEN THEATER Theater-goers will welcome the reopening of the New Ogden Theater on Sunday evening after ten days of darkness. The closing has enabled the management to put a few finishing touches on the building that will be appreciated by the public. A new check stand has been installed with an attendant in charge. The ladies' retiring room has also been completed, as has the gentlemen's smoking room. No theater in the west is better equipped for business in the unanimous opinion of players and managers.

The patronage up to the present time is all that could have been expected.

The house opens tomorrow night with the great New York and Chicago success, "The House with a Thousand Candles."

Popular prices will prevail on account of Sunday.

ACCIDENT IN RAILROAD YARDS

THE NIGHT WATCHMAN AT MONTELO IS KILLED.

Crushed Between Two Cars and His Body Later Found Horribly Mangled.

While passing between two cars on the repair track at Montello, Nevada, shortly after 3 o'clock this morning, H. J. Waller, night watchman for the Southern Pacific Company at that point, was crushed to death between the bumpers of the cars. The accident was not known until about an hour later, when a passing switchman discovered the body held fast between the two cars. That the man was instantly killed, there appears to be no doubt, as the body was terribly mangled.

From the information received at the office of the superintendent at Ogden, the accident occurred on what is called the repair track. A switch engine had pushed a string of box cars on to the track and it is supposed that Waller met his untimely death by passing between two cars at the moment they were bumped together by the cars.

Waller was about thirty years of age and survived by a wife and one child. His wife, formerly an Ogden girl, is the daughter of Night Watchman McIntyre of Sparks, Nevada, yards of the Southern Pacific Company.

RAIN FALLS WEST OF OGDEN

SNOWSTORM CONFINED TO THE SALT LAKE VALLEY.

Railroads Have Been Free from Trouble—Japs Busy Clearing the Depot Platform.

That the snowstorm of last night and today seems to be confined wholly to the northern portion of the Great Salt Lake valley is apparent from reports that have been received at the local railroad offices. Trains from the east, west and north are all practically running on their regular schedules, and any track trouble that is encountered is in this immediate vicinity.

The snowstorm extends as far west as

IN FOOD What a Clergyman's Wife Found.

The wife of a Minnesota clergyman found the solution of her troubles in a simple change of food, of which she says:

"My case proves that proper food will cure almost any ailment. For years I suffered from dyspepsia which became chronic, and was treated by some of the most skillful physicians, but was not cured.

"Medicine would help for a time, but the old troubles would always return because the cause was still there, and kept me weak and sickly most of the time. I had the grip every year for five years, always suffered from colds, and my whole constitution showed that I did not get the proper nourishment from food.

"Finally I began eating Grape-Nuts according to directions. I may say that since that time my stomach has not troubled me at all, but a remarkable change took place. All through the long cold winter I ate nothing but a saucer of Grape-Nuts and cream in the morning, and no matter how severe the cold I did not suffer and I did not have the grip or even a cold.

Wright's A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE



a sale of skirts for Monday—drummers samples

—samples of this season's styles—not two alike—Serges, Rolls, Panamas, Taffetas, Moiré and Fancy Mixtures. —Black, Navy, Grey, Brown, Green, Cream. —Alterations will be made without charge. All stylish new models will sell for regular prices when the regular stock arrives

Table with 4 columns: Skirt Style, Price 1, Price 2, Price 3. Rows include 7.50 Skirts 4.95, 8.50 " 5.95, 9.50 " 6.49, 10.00 " 6.95, 11.00 " 7.49, 12.00 Skirts 7.95, 13.50 " 8.95, 15.00 " 9.95, 16.50 " 10.95, 17.50 Skirts 11.95, 18.50 " 12.95, 19.50 " 13.95, 22.50 " 14.95

SENTENCED TO THIRTY DAYS

Because he ignored an order of the district court and failed to pay his wife, Lillian Peterson, alimony due her, Henry J. Peterson was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge Howell this morning.

Peterson had been cited to appear before the court and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court for his failure to pay alimony as ordered in a decree of the court. The evidence showed that Peterson had neglected to follow the order of the court. Peterson said that he did not think his wife deserved any alimony, for she was working "just the same as I am." The court held a different opinion, and Peterson was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

OGDEN MAN WINS VALUABLE TROPHY

William Evans, manager of the Grand Union Tea Co., was very much surprised on receiving a message from the company's headquarters in Brooklyn, N. Y., stating that he had been successful in winning a beautiful solid silver loving cup, offered by the company to the manager showing the biggest percentage of increase of business during the year 1909. The contest was open to thirty-three managers of the company throughout the western states, and resulted in the Ogden manager coming out the winner.

Mr. Evans is the first manager of the Grand Union Tea Co. in this city, and has proved himself a very capable business builder, since their opening on Washington avenue three years ago, he has established an extensive business, and also handles a heavy shipping trade to points north of here to Idaho and Nevada, where he has a force of twelve salesmen working continually. He wishes to thank their numerous patrons very kindly for the hearty support given him in the past.

SEAT SALE OPENS MONDAY

The sale of reserved seats for the Elks' Imperial Minstrel will open at the Ogden Theater box office on Monday at 10 a. m. As there is a considerable change of program at the second and third performances many people are arranging to attend at least two of the performances in order to see "everything that happens."

UNDESIRABLE COLORED WOMEN

There was practically nothing on the hand in the criminal division of the Municipal court this morning. Whether the city is free from sin cannot be said, but it is certain that but few bad men are prowling around the city, bent on crime.

Mamie Brown, Kate Harris, Belle Love, Dora French and Charles Roovers, colored women, charged with vagrancy, forfeited bail in the sum of \$10 each because of their failure to appear and answer the charges against them. Detective Pender states that a number of colored women were sent out of Salt Lake within the last few days, and that some of them are stopping off at Ogden. They are bad people, he says, and they do not hesitate

STREET CAR STRIKE

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—A strike of the Union street car employees was ordered here today and shortly after noon the men began turning in their cars.

OTTO MECKES

Telling of his trip to the Seattle Exposition, and explaining the meaning of some large words.

Nothing has been overlooked to make this engagement the most pretentious ever played by the local Elks. As no show is complete without a big street parade, the Elks will appear on the streets on Wednesday with a parade that will make all previous parades look like "thirty cents." Don't forget the seat sale opens Monday.



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