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AN EXCLUSIVE PASSENGER SERVICE

LINE OF SOUTHERN UTAH AND THE CASTLE VALLEY.

Line of the Utah Coal Railroad from Mohrland to Castle Gate will be for heavy traffic along branch lines paying investments for express and mail.

For the announcement some weeks ago, exclusively in "the moral and religious," that the Coal railway had let the contract for an entirely new line from coal mines at Mohrland in Emery county to a point just east of the Gate in Carbon county, some fifty-eight miles, there were those who predicted all kinds of calamity for Price. They went so far as to say that the rails would be taken from the Southern Utah and the Castle Valley roads.

Nothing, however, of the kind is to happen. On the other hand, these two branch lines of railroads are to be made better than ever and in a few months hence will do greater benefit to Price than have ever been. It is the idea of F. N. Cameron, general manager of the Utah Coal railway and the branches into Price mentioned, to make the road from Mohrland to the Gate an exclusive coal line, doing nothing else, and the roads of Price operated for passenger service almost entirely.

The passenger business of the Southern Utah and the Castle Valley runs into thousands of dollars a month, to say nothing of express and mail contracts. Again, considerable freight is going to Price, for points further into the interior of Emery county, cutting a long wagon haul as against a short rail haul.

It is General Manager Cameron's plan to put on after the completion of the new line to Castle Gate, a daily round trip passenger service to Hiawatha, Black Hawk and Mohrland. Price is the natural point for passengers going to these camps to the south because of its hotel accommodations and depot facilities could not be had and will probably never exist at the junction of the Utah Coal railway and the Dooland Rio Grande. Secondly, the line now building would not be the annoyance of a passenger, nor would the passenger be on the roads out of Price be hampered by coal traffic.

TURNER BOUND OVER

Charge Against Him Will Be Heard in February Next.

J. Turner was this (Thursday) morning bound over for trial at the beginning of the February term of district court under bonds of a thousand dollars to answer to the charge of using money under false pretenses, while acting as state road commissioner.

DEMANDS BIG SUM FOR LIFE OF KINSMAN

The administrator of the estate of M. Kipora, George M. Kipora, has suit in the district court at Salt Lake City last week against the Utah Railway company, asking fifty thousand dollars damages for his kinsman's death.

According to the complaint Kipora was killed in a wreck on the Utah railroad near Dragon, October 1, 1911, when the train on which he was riding plunged over a broken bridge into a ravine.

The company is charged with negligence in allowing its train to pass over the bridge without ascertaining whether the track was safe.

DRIVING AWAY THEIR BEST FRIEND.



ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MILLION TONS IN SIGHT

Relative to the Carbon and Emery county coal mines recently acquired at Castle Gate, Hiawatha, Mohrland, Black Hawk and elsewhere in this section of the state by the United States Smelting, Mining and Refining company, William G. Sharp, president of that corporation, gave out this interview at Boston, Mass., a few days ago to the Associated Press, which has sent it to the country over:

"We are making gratifying progress toward the construction of our new ninety-mile line of railroad. Final surveys are being perfected, and contracts for two sections of road, involving about thirty-seven miles, have been placed. We should have the entire line in commission by the end of next year.

"We are now producing from three mines between sixty and sixty-five thousand tons of coal a month, and by the time our road is completed we should be in position to ship at the rate of a million tons per annum. The experts tell us

that we have in this coal property at least 150,000,000 tons of coal. The seam varies in width from twenty to thirty feet and will require no timbering.

"While the cost of coal mining will be higher than in the East by reason of the higher wages paid in Western camps, we should be able to more than compensate for this increased cost of production in the higher selling prices for our product.

"After we have brought our production up to the basis of a million tons per annum it should not be a difficult matter for us to increase our output at the rate of between 15 per cent and 20 per cent per annum, so that within five years I hope to see our output up to 3,000,000 tons.

"It has been estimated that the profit on this tonnage should carry our ten million dollar investment, as well as yield profits substantially equal to the present preferred and common dividends paid on the stocks."

MAIL ROUTE DISCONTINUED

No service from Price to Vernal after November 30th.

Postmaster Galtwitz received information this (Thursday) morning of the discontinuance of the mail route from Price to Vernal and in consequence, on the 30th of this month, November. The mail will after that date go to the reservation country presumably from Cotton, as well as Mack, Colo., and Dragon, over the Uintah railroad. Of course this will do away with the stage line from Price.

RECOMMENDS USE OF UTAH ROCK ASPHALT

Use of Utah paving materials in preference to others is urged by the report last Tuesday by the board of governors of the Salt Lake City Commercial club. The report adopted was that of a special club committee on Utah rock asphalt which investigated the paving question some time ago.

By the action of the governors, the club does not go on record as favoring any particular Utah product to the exclusion of other Utah products. The board merely recommends that paving materials to be found in this state be given the preference, other conditions being equal.

This action on the part of the commercial club at Zion, backed by prominent business men, contractors and others, is expected to result in the development on a very large scale of the deposits above Sunnyside in Carbon county.

APPOINTS A COMMISSION TO PASS ON TEXT BOOKS

Five members of the state text book commission which will select text books for the next five-year period for state schools in all districts outside cities of the first and second class were appointed this week by Gov. William Spry. Those named are D. H. Christensen, Salt Lake; Joseph Eckersley, Wayne county; Alfred Reese, Sanpete county; David Broadhurst, Wasatch county; and Carl Hopkins, Lehi. As ex-officio members are A. C. Nelson, state superintendent of public instruction, President J. T. Kingsbury of the University of Utah; John A. Widtack of the Agricultural College of Utah at Logan and William M. Stewart of the state normal school.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE MARRIED AT SALT LAKE

Milford Mungwin of Price and Miss Dee Wing of Tucker were married at Salt Lake City last week and came to Price Friday, where they will make their home. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wing of Tucker, while the groom is employed at the S. C. Mines tonorial parlor. On the arrival of the young couple in Price they were tendered a reception by a number of their friends. They are at present stopping at the Oxford.

JOHNSTONE'S BAIL FIXED AT \$10,000

Expected That He Will Be Out On Bonds This Present Week—Chris Sonberg Found Guilty of Adultery.

Judge Albert H. Christensen reconvened district court at Price for Carbon county last Friday forenoon, after having adjourned over election time for about two weeks. Edward H. Johnstone, charged with murder in the first degree in the killing of Brigham Taylor at Helper several weeks ago, was admitted by the court on Monday last to bail in the sum of ten thousand dollars upon application of D. D. Houtz, his attorney. Johnstone has been suffering from a severe case of rheumatism ever since his incarceration in the county jail, and his liberty until the time for his trial would be but a humanitarian act were there no law points involved.

"That the evidence failed to show Johnstone's guilt of a capital crime is evident," says Attorney Houtz. "Neither does it raise a strong presumption of guilt of a capital crime. The statute provides that where the proof is not evident nor the presumption strong, a person is entitled to bail, although charged with a capital offense." Attorney Houtz expects to be able to secure bonds for Johnstone this present week. It is expected E. L. Carpenter, F. N. Cameron and others at Salt Lake City will become his sureties.

In the case of the state vs. Chris Sonberg, charged with adultery committed at Helper, the jury yesterday brought in a verdict of guilty as charged. Sentence will be passed by Judge Christensen tomorrow (Friday) morning. This case has been in the courts over a year, and it is to have its disposal in some way. There were some six witnesses for the state and seven or eight for the defense. Taken in its entirety, it is about the filthiest ever heard in any court in Utah.

The cases against R. W. Snyder, former county treasurer, and Gwyn Jones, late county clerk and recorder, were set for hearing last Friday, but are now continued over until the December term of court. Each is charged with embezzlement of county funds on several different counts.

State vs. H. Allen, charged with assault, jury trial and defendant found guilty. Allen waived the statutory time for sentence and was given a year in the penitentiary. This was the first criminal case of Thomas Fouts, recently admitted to practice by the supreme court. He was appointed to defend Allen by Judge Christensen.

State vs. Perry Curtis, charged with killing game out of season, and appealed from a justice's court. Continued for the term.

Deseret Soda Water company vs. A. Theas, Gust D. Pappas and John Diument; suit on account. Set for November 15th.

Hydraulic Cement company vs. Matt Warner; suit concerning ownership of personal property. Set for the afternoon of November 14th.

W. E. Reppetto vs. Eunice E. Reppetto; action for divorce. Judgment by default and interlocutory decree granted.

J. R. Sharp vs. George C. Whitmore and others; action concerning water rights at Sunnyside. Continued for the term.

Conrad Selpp Brewing company vs. F. Paternoster; action on account. Continued for the term.

George A. Nixon vs. A. H. Hutton and Eunice Hutton; suit on attachment. Dismissed at request of plaintiff and at his cost.

Gus D. Pappas vs. George G. Frandsen (guardian for Mrs. Karen Frandsen) and Annie Frandsen Harr; suit involving title to real estate. Judgment rendered against defendants by default.

J. B. Middleton vs. H. B. McDonald; suit to enforce accounting of copartnership business. Continued for the term, owing to the illness of the plaintiff.

Castle Valley Railroad company vs. Bartola Marizani; condemnation of land. Set for today (Thursday).

Styllan Steen vs. McClure Wilson; suit on contract concerning sale of land. On trial today.

George W. DeBols vs. Ezra Branch; civil action. Continued for the term.

Judge Christensen expects to adjourn court at Price not later than Monday evening, going from here to Moab, where there will be the regular term for Grand county next week.

Several unimportant cases that have been in court for several terms are continued to February next.

OUT FOR POSTMASTER

Oliver J. Harmon Getting Into the Game Quite Early.

Oliver J. Harmon is circulating a petition in Price today to be appointed postmaster under the incoming administration. It is reported that several republicans have signed it in the belief that there is to be an immediate change, which The Advocate is informed, is not the case. Postmaster Galtwitz has yet a considerable time to serve, having been appointed for four years for his second term. It is safe to say there will be no new postmaster at Price for some time to come.

POSTAL REGULATIONS RELATING TO GREECE

Postmaster Galtwitz at Price has received word from Joseph Stewart, second assistant postmaster general at Washington, D. C., regarding postal regulations in Greece governing registered mail articles:

"The postal administration of Greece advises this department that the legislation of Greece prohibits importation by mail, under registration of any article of general merchandise having a salable value, whether in a closed or open cover, and that any article received in the mails from another country, whether registered or unregistered, which is subject to Greek customs duty, will not be delivered, but will be returned to point of origin.

"Under these conditions any article having a salable value is unmarketable to Greece under registration, either as a letter or a sample, and can be accepted for dispatch from this country unregistered only at the risk of the sender.

"Postmasters will cause due notice of the foregoing to be taken at their offices."

OWNER OF THE 'APPEAL TO REASON' TAKES OWN LIFE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 11.—J. A. Weyland, owner of the Appeal to Reason, a socialist paper at Girard, Kan., shot and killed himself last night at his home in that city.

So far as known Weyland left no word explaining his action, but it was said by Fred Warren, editor of the Appeal, that Weyland had been despondent for several days.

It was said that Weyland had been worrying over the possible action of a federal grand jury to be held at Fort Scott next week.

It was expected charges would be placed against Weyland and Warren of sending objectionable matter through the mails.

SHIFT BOSS IS DEAD AFTER MINE EXPLOSION

LAFAYETTE, Colo., Nov. 9.—By a gas explosion in the Simpson-Brooks coal mine here last night, J. W. Higgins, 45 years of age and a shift boss, was killed while supervising a fight against a fire that had started in an entry late in the afternoon.

Five others were seriously burned, but will recover. Higgins and his men had the fire practically under control, and as they started in to another entry, Higgins in the lead, the explosion occurred.

QUALITY OF VINEGAR IS UNDER SUSPICION

Vinegar is the latest product to come under the suspicion of the state dairy and food inspection department. Inspectors and deputies have been busy taking samples during the past week, and they will be turned over to State Chemist Hanna. The fact that some vinegar was being sold on the Utah market for as low as fifteen cents a gallon makes the food inspectors suspicious as to its quality.