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## EXPOSITION FUNDS ARE APPROPRIATED

### UTAH WILL SPEND THE LARGER AMOUNT AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Apportionment of the funds between San Francisco and San Diego and the selection of committees to have charge of the respective exhibits were the principal items of business transacted Monday by the Utah exposition commission, which held a lengthy session in the office of Governor Fry. The selection of a permanent secretary to the commission was deferred, probably for several months. For the present L. S. Merrill will act as secretary, and the commission granted him permission to engage an office assistant until a permanent secretary is named.

It was finally decided that 50 per cent of all funds up to \$75,000 will be used at San Francisco and 40 per cent at San Diego. All money above \$75,000 will go to the San Francisco exhibit, according to the decision of the commission. The state appropriated \$50,000 and the commission hopes to raise an additional \$25,000 or \$40,000 from county taxation. Each county has been asked to levy a special assessment of 2 cents on every \$100 worth of taxable property in 1914 and again in 1915. The majority of the county commissioners have responded so favorably to the request of the commission that the members felt warranted in going ahead on the assumption that such a fund would be raised.

Buildings will be constructed at both the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco and the San Diego fair.

Committees were appointed to have charge of the exhibits as follows:

At San Francisco—Glen Miller, Dr. G. B. Fouts, D. E. Spencer and George Austin, all of Salt Lake.

At San Diego—Lewis A. Merrill of Salt Lake City, J. Will Knight of Provo, Dr. H. M. Howe of Ogden and John Q. Critchlow of Salt Lake.

These members of the commission will be in full charge of the exhibits, under the direction of the commission. Tentative plans for buildings will be drawn up at once by the architects who have been employed for the work.

## FEDERAL EMPLOYEES MUST NOT ENGAGE IN POLITICAL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 5.—The danger of political activity on the part of any member of Uncle Sam's vast army of employees, either in the classified or unclassified service of the civil service department, is emphasized in an announcement made public by the commission today.

Violations of the laws preventing federal officers or employees generally, from engaging in political work, the commission declares, will not be countenanced.

A copy of the warning has been ordered furnished every person appointed under the civil service rules and in order that the executive departments may be assured that none has been furnished a blank receipt is attached. This is to be signed by the individual employee and submitted to their respective bureau chiefs, who, in turn, are ordered to forward them to the department for purposes of record.

## ITALIAN WOMAN KILLED AT HIWATHEA COAL CAMP

An Italian woman, wife of one of the miners at Hiwatha, was run over and instantly killed at that camp Monday afternoon. The unfortunate woman was walking up the gravity tramway toward the mine and stepped from one track to the other immediately in front of a descending trip of nine cars. Three of the cars passed over her before the trip could be stopped.

## \$15,000 In Bounty Claims.

Bounty claims to the amount of \$15,000 are being paid off by the state auditor and treasurer. These are claims that were filed with the state up to the first of the present year and are for coyotes, wolves and other destructive animals killed or captured in the various counties of the state.

## McWHINNEY MAKES ANSWER

### Files Affidavits With Governor and Attorney General.

In answer to the charges recently preferred by the county commissioners before the attorney general by which the former seek to institute impeachment proceedings against him, C. C. McWhinney, county attorney, this week filed counter affidavits in the matter. Corroborating affidavits were also contained in Mr. McWhinney's answer. The affidavit sets forth that there is absolutely no ground for the charges made against him and that the only purpose of the commissioners is to attempt to force his resignation as was done in the case of the county clerk and county treasurer elected on the republican ticket at the last general election.

From a morally standpoint the affirm and corroborative affidavits state that Mr. McWhinney's accusers have not come before the governor with clean hands, and specific instances and acts are referred to in supporting this claim.

In one of his affidavits, W. H. Fry sets forth that the commissioners have acted hastily and impetuously in many instances and as an example cites that while serving in the capacity of assistant county attorney he was instructed by the commissioners to prepare impeachment proceedings against the governor because certain state money was withheld during the Midland trail mixup.

The commissioners and Attorney Nelson are in Salt Lake this week to further prosecute. It is understood, the case against Mr. McWhinney.

## UTAH DEMOCRATS MAY WAIT FOR U. S. LAND OFFICE JOBS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12.—Inquiries at the general land office here have brought forth the information that the heads of that branch of the government service are in as much of a quandary as their colleagues in other branches over the question of what to do in regard to Utah appointments. It was ascertained that no recommendations for appointments to the U. S. land office posts in Salt Lake City had been decided on as yet, nor was it likely that any choice would be made in the near future—not until the Utah democrats had settled their mixup, or it had been settled for them. And this, it was indicated, was not likely to happen speedily.

## DAUGHTER OF D. D. HOUTZ UNDERGOES AN OPERATION

The Salt Lake papers Tuesday contained the information that the 12-year-old daughter of D. D. Houtz, attorney for the Consolidated Fuel company, was operated upon Monday for appendicitis and that she came out of the ordeal in excellent shape.

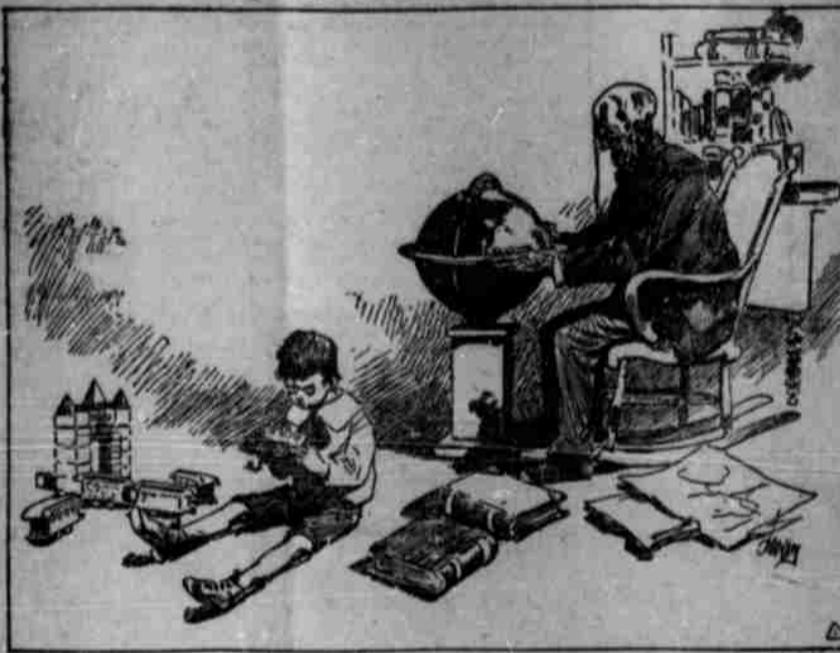
## DID YOU FORGET

### Have You Overlooked Your Advocate Subscription?

In starting the new year and in the settlement of your accounts at the beginning of 1914, have you overlooked your subscription to The Advocate? Just because the amount is small, \$1.50 for an entire year, possibly you have neglected this little item. From our standpoint, however, more than a thousand of these little accounts go to make up quite a share of the business of the paper. Your expiration date is plainly printed on your paper, or if you get the paper enclosed in a wrapper you will find it there, directly after your name. We would at this time very much appreciate your remittance if you are in arrears.

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## "I WONDER WHAT MAKES IT GO?"



## FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY FOR H. LAWRENCE BEEMER

### FOR H. LAWRENCE BEEMER

The body of H. Lawrence Beemer, formerly at Kenilworth, Winter starters and Castle Gate, who died in Tucson, Arizona, January 6, arrived in Salt Lake Sunday last and funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock the same afternoon with interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

He was a member of Salt Lake Council No. 1517, Royal Arcanum. Rev. P. A. Simpkin conducted the services and the Royal Arcanum members were held at the cemetery. The pall bearers were Leonard G. Evans, Ray Underhill, Herman Erdman, Charles Richmond, E. R. Gibson and R. D. Pomeroy.

The deceased was well known in Price, where he had many friends and acquaintances. He came to Carbon county from the auditor's office of the Utah Fuel company. For several years he occupied the position of clerk at all of this company's mines. Later he went to Kenilworth and afterwards to Hiwatha with the Consolidated Fuel company. Last September he resigned his position with the Consolidated and went to Arizona in search of health. He was accompanied by his wife, baby and mother. Mrs. Beemer is the daughter of George Wallace of Winter Quarters.

## "MOTHER" JONES RETURNS TO TRINIDAD; IS ARRESTED

TRINIDAD, Colo., Jan. 12.—"Mother" Jones, strike leader who was deported from the southern coal fields January 4th by the militia, returned to Trinidad this morning from Denver. As soon as her presence here was learned by the military authorities she was arrested and taken to the San Rafael hospital, where she was held incommunicado. "Mother" Jones left the train at the outskirts of Trinidad and later appeared at a local hotel. She was arrested shortly before noon by a detail of state troops, hurried out of the hotel, placed in an automobile and whirled through the streets with a cavalry escort galloping at full speed in front and behind the machine.

Several hundred coal mine strikers lined the streets on either side and cheered wildly while "Mother" Jones waved her hand in response.

## H. F. CAFFEY CELEBRATES FIFTY-SECOND BIRTHDAY

Mrs. B. F. Caffey entertained at dinner last night at her home, 1927 First avenue, in honor of Mr. Caffey's fifty-second birthday. The table was effectively decorated in pink. Pink carnations formed the centerpiece and a carnation marked the place of each guest. Covers were laid for twenty. The guests were Mrs. John Earle, Mrs. Leelle Earle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Caffey, Mr. and Mrs. William Gaby, Mrs. George Smith, Miss Edith Gaby and J. Allen Morehouse.—Tri-bune.

## THOUSANDS KILLED IN VOLCANIC ERUPTION

### TIDAL WAVE ADDS TO TERROR OF JAPANESE.

#### Starving in Northern Part of the Island and Seismic Disturbances in the South Constitute Greatest Calamity in History of Japan.

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—Japan is heroically meeting a double affliction—famine in the north and earthquake and volcanic eruptions in the south.

Ten million people are in need of food in Northern Honshu and Hokkaido and there have been many deaths from starvation. In the south the islands of Kjusiu and Shikoku are in the grip of seismic disturbances. Craters have suddenly discharged great volumes of flaming rocks and ashes, carrying destruction and terrifying the southern empire. Ashes are falling as far north as Osaka.

Although the fate of the inhabitants of Sakura island is not certain, it is believed that the great majority of them have escaped in boats to the mainland. Many of the people of Sakura have escaped from the danger zone in a maimed and burned condition.

While definite information is lacking, it is believed that thousands of Japanese have met death and the survivors are in a state of terror over the possibility of a tidal wave, which invariably occurs after a volcanic eruption.

## MAYBE WE WILL ALL BE IN BAREFOOT CLASS SOON

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—In the opinion of speakers at the annual convention of the National Shoe Retailers' association, which closes with a banquet tonight, the retail price of shoes may soon reach \$10 a pair.

"Pure shoe laws," already adopted in twenty-five states and several measures of the same nature now pending in congress were given as the chief reasons for increasing the price of footwear.

## Dr. Hutchinson's Creed.

"Ignorance and dirt are the most expensive luxuries in the world." This is a statement from Dr. Woods Hutchinson, the famous New York physician who is to lecture in Price on February 6th. He comes as the fifth number on the Price School Lyceum course. Dr. Hutchinson is one of the really big men in America. The people of Price should take advantage of the opportunity of hearing him.

## RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

My residence is for sale. Part cash and balance on time. LARS FRANDSEN.

## OSCAR HANSSON'S FATHER LEAVES VALUABLE ESTATE

A Salt Lake paper Sunday contained an article to the effect that the father of Oscar Hansen of Price, the Salt Lake Hardware company's representative, after having been missing for a period of twenty-six years, it had been ascertained, had died recently in the state of Washington leaving a large fortune.

The facts surrounding the matter are about as follows: M. P. Hansen was married in Denmark before coming to Utah. His wife in that country had been converted to the Mormon faith. The couple arrived in this state during the fervid religious epoch of Utah's early history when the lines were sharply drawn between Mormons and non-Mormons.

Mrs. Hansen became more strongly allied to the faith of Mormonism while Mr. Hansen was an equally opposed to it. Their views on religious questions were so radically different that a separation was mutually agreed to. Turning over his property to his wife, Mr. Nelson in the capacity of a civil engineer, became an employe of the interior department. Neither afterwards married. The children, Oscar Hansen, and a daughter, the wife of Bishop Walgren of Salt Lake, remained with the mother.

The father corresponded frequently with his son, Oscar, and the latter has known of his father's death for several months. The estate left consists almost wholly of valuable timber lands, the value of which have not as yet been determined, or whether the elder Hansen left a will or not is not yet known.

The deceased died at Ellensburg, Washington, about six months ago.

## UTAH MOST PROSPEROUS STATE IN THE UNION

"Every time that I come to Salt Lake City I see added proof of the prosperity of the city and state," says Col. A. H. Stevens, general agent for the Frisco line, with headquarters at Denver.

"The outlook for the West for 1914 is better than it has ever been and from all that I can see and learn the outlook for the entire country for the present year is the best in its history," he continues. "The West, and especially Salt Lake City and Utah, are growing so fast and on such a sound basis that the eyes of railroad builders and capitalists, as well as homeseekers, are turned to this state as never before. Resources of Utah have not been scratched. What the future holds in store for this state and its people in the way of prosperity no one can forecast.

"I believe that the new tariff law and the new currency law will mean no trouble. The people of this country are too big and too prosperous for a panic. While the West, together with the East and the Middle West, are growing and prospering, I know of no part where prosperity is more in evidence than in Utah."

## WORK TO BE GIVEN UNEMPLOYED OF ZION

### MEN WITH FAMILIES WHO ARE IDLE WILL BE HELPED.

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 13.—On the suggestion of W. H. Shearns, water commissioner, the city commission last night appropriated \$20,000 for the immediate prosecution of several water extensions, in order to provide work for unemployed men of families. This action was taken to alleviate the conditions of the unemployed in this city, regardless of the fact that the work will not start at this time of the year than later on.

In a written communication, the water commissioner called his fellow commissioners' attention to the lack of employment in the city at present for hundreds of men, and suggested the immediate launching of public improvement work as a partial remedy of the situation.

Under the authority given, the water department will be able to employ from 150 to 200 men just as soon as the necessary pipe and other material can be received. Men of families who are not now employed will be given preference.

"I realize that to begin work right now, when the ground is frozen solid, might cost the city a little more and might result in some trouble from freezing pipes, but it would be an expenditure for a worthy cause, I believe," Mr. Shearns says.

Members of the commission were unanimous in supporting the water commissioner's suggestion. "It is up to the city to give its unemployed work, if possible, and I am in favor of doing all in our power to this end," the water commissioner says. "This morning a man came into my office seeking work. He said he had six children who were facing actual hunger because he was unable to obtain employment."

## UTAH ASPHALTUM COMPANY PREPARING FOR BUSINESS

The Utah Asphaltum company, formerly the Pittsburg-Salt Lake Oil company, are lining out for immediate shipments of asphaltum from Bear Canyon. This company has been doing extensive work in Water Canyon, but have now closed down there and are concentrating their efforts at the Bear Canyon deposits. A spur will be run by the D. & R. G. to a convenient point to receive the asphaltum. While all of the engineering problems have not as yet been worked out an aerial tramway from the workings to the loading point is being considered. The product will be largely used for pavement purposes in Salt Lake and during the coming year the company plans to handle an immense tonnage.

While this company's holdings in Water Canyon are very large the shipping facilities are not as good as will be secured in the other district.

## JOHN CARLSON.

Funeral services were held at the Kenilworth auditorium, January 7th, over the remains of John Carlson, who was injured in a mining accident on the 2d inst. and died on the 4th from the result of his injuries. The services were conducted by Mr. William Lawley, assisted by Mr. George Grossbeck and Mr. Daniel Webster. Mrs. Grossbeck and Mr. Webster sang "Sometime, Somewhere" and Mrs. Grossbeck also sang "Face to Face." A prayer was offered by Mr. Grossbeck. Speakers were Messrs. Webster, Randolph and Lawley, all of whom stated that the departed was a man of splendid moral character, always cheerful and good to his family and honest in his dealings with his fellowman. Deceased leaves behind a wife and three daughters, Hygnett, Alta and Esther. Interment occurred at the Spring Glen cemetery. Mr. Carlson was Lutheran in faith and was born Carosmos, Finland, of Swedish parents.

## Sunnyside P. M. Confirmed.

On Monday the senate confirmed the appointment of J. C. Twaddle as postmaster at Sunnyside. Other appointments confirmed were James A. Fensel, Delta; Niall Lind, Midvale, and A. Stakole, Tremonton.