

UTAH TERRITORY.

CAPITAL, SALT LAKE CITY.

EXECUTIVE AND TERRITORIAL OFFICERS.

Name.	Office.	Residence.	Term Expires	Salary.
George W. Emory.....	Governor.....	Salt Lake City...	At will.....	\$2,500
George A. Black.....	Secretary.....	" " "	" " "	2,000
Zerubbabel Snow.....	Attorney General.....	" " "	" " "	Fees.
J. D. T. McAllister.....	Marshal.....	" " "	" " "	"
James Jack.....	Treasurer.....	" " "	January, 1876	400
William Clayton.....	Auditor.....	" " "	" " "	400
O. H. Riggs.....	Sup't Common Schools.....	" " "	" " "	Fees.

FEDERAL OFFICERS.

Name.	Office.	Residence.	Salary.
S. B. Lowe.....	Chief Justice Supreme Court.....	Salt Lake City.....	\$3,000
P. H. Emerson.....	Associate Justice Supreme Court.....	" " "	3,000
J. S. Boreman.....	Associate Justice Supreme Court.....	" " "	3,000
William Carey.....	U. S. District Attorney.....	" " "	\$250 and fees.
George R. Maxwell.....	U. S. Marshal.....	" " "	250 and fees.
Nathan Kimball.....	Surveyor General.....	" " "	2,500
J. P. Taggart.....	Assessor.....	" " "	2,500
O. J. Hollister.....	Collector.....	" " "	2,500
Oliver A. Patten.....	Register Land Office.....	" " "	500 and fees.
V. Silvers.....	Receiver Land Office.....	" " "	500 and fees.

DELEGATE IN CONGRESS.

Name.	Residence.	Term Expires.
George Q. Cannon.....	Salt Lake City.....	March 4, 1877.

AREA AND RESOURCES.

By the war with Mexico in 1846-48, the United States acquired possession of the Territories of Alta California and New Mexico, the former including what is now portions of Colorado and Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, California and Arizona north of the Gila River. The Mormons settled upon the present site of Salt Lake City on the 24th of July, 1847, and established an ecclesiastical government, and in 1850 the Territory of Utah was organized. The limits then embraced what is now Nevada and part of Colorado and Wyoming, but now are included within the forty-second and thirty-seventh parallels of latitude, and the one hundred and ninth, and one hundred and fourteenth degrees of longitude, with one square degree taken from the northeastern corner. Utah is bounded north by Idaho and Wyoming, east by Wyoming and Colorado, south by Arizona, and west by Nevada. Area, 83,460 square miles. Population, 150,000. Twenty counties comprise its political divisions, viz: Beaver, Box Elder, Cache, Davis, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Morgan, Piute, Rich, Salt Lake, San Pete, Sevier, Summit, Tooele, Utah, Wasatch, Washington and Weber. Capital, Salt Lake City. Principal towns: Alta, American Fork, Bingham, Brigham City, Corinne, Fillmore, Logan, Monte, Nephi, Ogden, Provo, St. George, Springville and Tooele City.

The general features of the Territory are of precipitous mountains and arid plains, presenting, in its native conditions, a sterile and uninviting appearance. The lofty Wasatch Range, that as the poetess of the region has said "Heaves her white breasts nearest the sky" rises from the Idaho line, and sinks away near the borders of Arizona, forming the eastern rim of the "great basin" and separating it from the valley of the Colorado. East of the Wasatch are the Uintah and spurs of the Rocky Mountains, and west the Oquirrh and Iron are the principal ranges. East and west of the great dividing range are two distinct river systems, the eastern belonging to the Colorado, formed by the Green and Grand, with their numerous branches, as the Uintah, White, San Juan and others, and in the extreme southwest the Rio Virgen; and the Basin system having the Bear, Weber, Cottonwood, Spanish Fork, American Fork, Provoor, Timpanogos, Jordan, Salt Creek and Sevier, with many other streams. The many rivers flowing from high

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