



2008 National Library Week Quiz

The Utah State Courts Yesterday - Answers

1. Who was the first chief justice of the Utah State Supreme Court?

- a. Zerubbabel Snow
- b. Lilburn P. Palmer
- c. Charles S. Zane
- d. Daniel N. Straup

Answer: Charles S. Zane, 1896-1899

2. When did the number of Utah Supreme Court justices increase from three to five?

- a. 1896
- b. 1917
- c. 1944
- d. 1973

Answer: 1917. See Laws of Utah, ch. 54, §2 (1917).

3. What was the juror fee in 1896?

- a. \$2.00
- b. \$4.00
- c. \$6.00
- d. \$8.00

Answer: \$2 per day. See Laws of Utah, ch. CXXI, §148 (1896)

4. When was the Utah Judicial Council created?

- a. 1896
- b. 1925
- c. 1973
- d. 1986

Answer: 1973. See Laws of Utah, ch. 202, §4 (1973)

5. How many State Court Administrators have there been since the establishment of the Administrative Office of the Courts?

- a. Two
- b. Four
- c. Eight
- d. Twelve

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