## Correspondence.

FRANKLIN, CACHE Co., Dec. 31, 1867.

*Editor Deseret News;*—Your valuable paper is read, and thought well of, by its subscribers. The interesting articles that appear on its pages are seasonable and calculated to make the readers of the NEWS alive to the times. A lively interest is manifested in it and in the *Juvenile Instructor*, by the reading portion of our community, who are fond of such useful publications.

Our new school house 40x25 is completed, excepting a few finishing touches. The building is a stone one, walls 21 inches thick,—with six double windows, 20 panes of glass in each. It is about 13 ft. from floor to ceiling, and is comfortable for school and meeting purposes.

A literary institute is started for lectures, essays, recitations, songs, &c., The first meeting of this society was held on last Thursday evening. Discourses on Free Will, or the Agency of Man, were delivered by Elders John Frew, William T. Wright and Bishop L. H. Hatch. The meeting was well attended.

The meeting house is nearly shingled. This building is of stone, 40x60 in the clear, and is a monument of the enterprise of Bishop Hatch and those who have taken a lively interest in this edifice. The roof has a third pitch, and it takes upwards of 40 thousand shingles to cover it.

Sunday school commences next Sabbath. For several weeks this good institution has been suspended for want of a place to meet in. This want has now disappeared.

A desire for mental culture appears to be increasing. Love for reading, knowledge of truth and the developement of those things that are beneficial, are receiving more attention among the people.

Dirt roofs are at a discount; shingles have grown in favor with the people. This rainy portion of winter may stir up our citizens to general improvement. Snow is now off the ground. Winter is capricious, and instead of good sleighing, wagons have to be used.

Grain is scarce. Grasshoppers appropriated the largest portion of our crops. Peas, corn and potatoes appeared to suffer least from the effects of the armies of grasshoppers in this place.

The mail arrives regularly and is a credit to Hon. Peter Maughan, contractor, and a benefit to the citizens of our settlements. Considerable fall plowing has been done, and we are hoping for good crops another season, we need them.

WILLIAM WOODWARD.

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Six hours was all the time that a Nevada man found necessary to get drunk, kill a friend, and be hanged to a convenient tree.

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There are in Japan 20,000 Roman Catholics descended from the Christian converts, left there two huudred years ago, at the time Japan was closed to foreign intercourse. They are scattered throughout the Empire, and there are no new converts. A large portion of these Christians reside in the Island of Sin Kin, and Nagasaki is their central point, where there is a Roman Catholic Bishop and several priests.

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The Quincy *Whig* is responsible for the following: An Irish girl in the employ of one of our first families was sent by the lady of the house one day last week to a dry goods store with instructions to bring home a bed comforter. She returned after a short absence with one of the clerks.

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A young man named Regan died in Albany, Ga., recently from having a mole or wart cut by a razor while being shaved. The wart was on the left cheek, and while the whole right side was paralyzed, the left leg and arm became rigid, and the face turned over the left shoulder.

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Land speculation has broken out in Walrussia, shrewd speculators thinking that in a dozen years Sitka will be a town of 50,000 population.

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A politico-religious daily, to advocate Ritualism, is to be started in New York as soon as the necessary means can be raised. Half a dozen reverend doctors are named as its editors.

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A New Haven paper says more men are out of employment in that city now than before within the last ten years, and that the leading manufacturers are reducing ther forces.

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A San Francisco paper looks forward to the time when the grapes from California, by the Pacific railroad, will be retailed in the Atlantic States for five cents a pound.


**LOOK OUT!**

When you go to Market for NICE and TENDER MEATS, Look Out For No. 11, as I have removed from Stall No. 3 TO STALL No. 11.

d27tf J. H. PICKNELL.

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JEWELRY, FANCY GOODS, LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS, DRESS BUTTONS, LADIES' FANCY NECK-TIES, and a Host of FANCY NOTIONS Suitable for Presents for the Holidays,

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☞ Christmas and New Year's Holidays being near by, now is the time to order your Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Fish, Celery, Potatoes, Candies, Flour, &c., and last, but not least

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BY VIRTUE of an Execution to me directed, from the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Utah, I have levied upon and will offer at Private Sale, for thirty days, commencing SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14th, at the house lately occupied by Morse, Walcott & Co., one door south of the Western Union Telegraph Office, the following described goods, to wit:—One Steinway Piano; one set of Silver Ware; one set of China; Bed; Blankets; Linen; Boots and Shoes; ready made Clothing; sixty-four dozen Condensed Milk; Nails in kegs; and other articles too numerous to mention.

d19-td. J. D. T. McALLISTER, Territorial Marshall.

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**VOCAL MUSIC.**

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The Course of Study will consist of the Theory and Practice of Music in the new and old notation, Voice Training, and the Art of Conducting.

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d2-tf J. BIRCH, General Agent, Washington Utah.

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**A CARD.**

*To the Inhabitants and purchasing Community of this Territory:—*

Owing to the great decline in the prices of goods in the Eastern Markets (being determined to keep IN RATIO with them,) I have made a further reduction in the prices of goods, which upon examination will speak for themselves I have also on hand a great many articles that have laid over for one and two years—which I will sell, REGARDLESS OF COST, even lower than the present rates in the Eastern Markets will permit of; viz: Table and Pocket Cutlery, Spades, Shovels, Scythes and Snaths, Bake Skillets, Locks and Latches, Tea and Table Spoons, Carriage Bolts, Cast, Blister and Plough Steel, Soap, Lye, Tobacco, and an immense variety of other goods, which are necessities for every day use. Farmers and Country Merchants would do well to call and examine the stock and prices, and as Greenbacks are scarce in the country, I will take for pay, Cattle, Wheat, Flour Barley, Oats, Pork, &c., for which I will give a price that will guarantee satisfaction.

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