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TERMS IN ADVANCE.

## Local and Other Matters.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, Nov. 25.

For the East.—Hon. George Q. Cannon, his wife and two daughters, left by this morning's train for Washington.

Supt. W. W. Ritter, accompanied by his wife and two daughters, also left this morning, on a business trip to the East.

Corrections.—In our article on "Procrastinating Prosecutor," last evening, the name of Alma Smith, mentioned as one of the defendants in the Potter case, should be William Smith. The name of Alma Eldredge was inadvertently omitted from the names of the accused parties.

Burglary in Willard Canon.—A correspondent at Willard City, informs us that some time between the 14th and 21st inst., the house of the Iron Chief Mining Company, in Willard Canon, was broken into and a quantity of giant powder, a pick, shovels and other articles, stolen. The theft was discovered on the 21st by the owners of the house, who had returned after an absence of a few days. Besides the articles stolen, some damage was inflicted on the premises.

In Tennessee.—A letter from Elder G. R. Hill, dated the 15th inst., at Carter's Station, Tennessee, states that he is well and meeting with gratifying success, preaching the Gospel in that locality. About 10 or 12 persons were ready for baptism and would unite with the Church shortly. The prospects were encouraging for further success. The Gospel had never reached that place before, and a spirit of inquiry was gradually spreading among the people.

Died from his Injuries.—Mr. William Lambert, who had his arm badly injured by a threshing machine, at Deseret, about five weeks ago, a notice of which appeared in our columns about that time, died on the 12th inst., at Fillmore, from the effects of the accident. His sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Treseeder, of the 12th Ward, this city, who was summoned to his bedside, arrived there about half an hour after he had expired. It was thought at one time he would get well, but the shock his system sustained was so severe that he was unable to recover.

Enquirer Notes.—The East Co-op. shipped 22,000 pounds of baled hay to Juab this week.

Ties are being floated down the Sevier River, to be used in the construction of the U. S. R. R. extension.

On Tuesday night last, the Co-op. store at Cedar Fort was burglarized, and \$800 in cash carried away. No clue to the robbers has yet been obtained.

Last week Ben Minchy was shot and killed by a party who were after him, in the mountains east of Panguitch. He was driving off a band of horses, when he was overtaken and the matter settled right on the spot, without troubling a judge or jury. Minchy was a disreputable character and was under bonds to appear at the last September term of court for perjury, but he had forfeited his bonds and was keeping out of the reach of his creditors.

Fatal Mischance.—Shortly before six o'clock Sunday evening, a miner named John Creed was killed while at work in the Ontario mine. He and a fellow miner had been drilling at the bottom of a shaft, when Creed started to go up to the level above to obtain some

powder. His companion suggested that he ring the bell and wait for the "cage," a means of transit to and from the surface. Creed declined, saying he would climb up the ladder in another compartment. This was the last he was seen of alive. Shortly afterward, the engineer at the top started the engine, to bring up the cage from where it was resting, a short distance below, when he noticed that something was obstructing its ascent. Some of the men climbing down, found the body of the unfortunate Creed, half inside the cage, lodged between it and the timbers on the side, and quite dead. It is supposed that while climbing up the ladder in the other compartment, he had seen the cage standing opposite an opening, on the other side of the partition, and had just got through the aperture and partially aboard the cage, to go up, when it began moving and crushed him before he could save himself. The body was brought to the city yesterday, and will be buried today.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, Nov. 26.

Snow.—The sky was filled with indications of snow, this morning, and a quantity of the "beautiful" element managed to sift down through the chilly atmosphere. This afternoon, the feathery flakes are falling, and bid fair to continue during the night.

Around Again.—Our esteemed friend, Justice Pyper, is again at his post, looking a little worn from his late illness, but as ready as ever to fill his place in the temple of justice. There was nothing doing in the Police Court this morning, but some business is going on this afternoon.

Grand Jury Discharged.—The Grand Jury came into court this afternoon, shortly after 3 o'clock and presented 8 new indictments, six found under the Territorial laws and the remaining two under the laws of the United States. They also presented their general report, pertaining to the Insane Asylum and other matters, and were then discharged by the court from further action.

Dramatic Success.—Our genial comedian, Mr. Phil. Margetts, has returned from his theatrical visit to the north, much encouraged by the warm reception given him and his company. They played in Brigham City last Wednesday and Saturday nights to full houses, and since their return, have been telegraphed to perform there again next Saturday. Early in the new year the company will go on a professional trip to Providence. The troupe is well spoken of everywhere.

District Court.—Proceedings in the Third District Court Saturday morning, Nov. 26, 1879, Chief Justice Hunter presiding:

Application of A. P. Rockwood for certiorari; hearing on application set for Saturday.

Marsac Silver Mill Co. vs. John A. Nelson, water right case; on motion of plaintiff, cause dismissed.

United States vs. John H. Feighn; charged with breaking in post office; grand jury ignore charge. Case dismissed.

F. W. Billing vs. Helen Tarbet et al.; trial before the court.

Additional Items.—Bishop Dorius, of Ephraim, sends us an account of the shooting of young James Beal, the other day, which we have already published. From this communication we learn that the accident occurred at West Point, and that the wounded boy was taken to Ephraim afterward, where he died. His age was 12 years. The age of young Erastus Christiansen, who had the gun when it went off, is but nine years.

Our correspondent states that six or seven children have recently died of diphtheria in that locality, and that the dreadful disease still lingers in the community.

Hon. A. P. Rockwood Dead.—Elder Albert P. Rockwood, one of the First Seven Presidents of the Seventies' of the Church of

Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, departed this life at 4 35 o'clock, this morning, at his residence, Sugar House Ward. His ailment was a disease of the lungs, from which he had been confined to his bed for the past three weeks. He was born June 5th, 1805, in Holliston, Mass.; joined the Church in 1833, went through the persecutions endured in Missouri and elsewhere, and was steadfast and foremost in every good work. He was one of the pioneers of Utah in 1847, and since then has been a prominent member of the Church and a man of integrity, position and influence in the community. He served in the first Legislature of Utah, has been a member of the same body ever since, and was elected for the approaching session, this winter. He was the pioneer fish commissioner of the Territory also and one of the directors of the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society. In fact, through all his career, he has held high and responsible positions with honor to himself and benefit to the community in which he has so long resided. A good man has gone to rest after a long life of usefulness. He died peacefully, surrounded by his family and friends, and previous to his death, shook hands with and bade them all good bye. We sincerely sympathize with the bereaved family in their heavy loss.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY, Nov. 28.

Lost.—A lady's gold bracelet, this afternoon, between the Council House and the Deseret University. The finder will please leave it at this office.

Funeral.—The obsequies of Elder John Dobbie were held as announced, in the Tenth Ward Meeting House, Wednesday afternoon. He was a man of integrity and uprightness of character and had many friends. His fellow laborers at the Church Quarry were at the funeral in a body, and eulogistic and consolatory remarks were made by Counselor Joseph E. Taylor, Bishop L. W. Hardy and others.

District Court.—Proceedings Friday morning, Nov. 28th, 1879, Chief Justice Hunter presiding:

Walker Brothers vs. the Chicago Co., two cases; hearing on motion postponed until Saturday, 9 a. m.

Joseph Broughton vs. Chicago Co.; same.

People etc., vs. Frank Butler, grand larceny; tried and found guilty heretofore. Sentenced to one year in Utah Penitentiary.

F. W. Billing vs. Helen Tarbet et al.; trial resumed and still in progress.

Information Wanted.—Mrs. Cecily Johnson (late Barnky), whose present address is No. 2 Williams Place, Hesse Road, Hull, England, is anxious to obtain information of her sister, Mrs. Ann Coulam, of the 11th Ward of this city. She states that she has written to her for eight or nine years successively, but has received no reply to any of her letters, and she would now be pleased to ascertain whether Mrs. Coulam has removed, or is still living. In the summer time Mrs. Johnson's address is Witherssea, Hull.

Obsequies.—The funeral services over the remains of the late President A. P. Rockwood, were held at one o'clock this afternoon, in the Twelfth Ward Assembly Rooms. Besides the family, there was a good attendance of the friends and acquaintances of the honored dead, present. The assembly was addressed in turn by Presidents Joseph Young and John Van Cott, Elder Jesse Haven, President D. H. Wells, Bishop L. D. Young, Presidents A. M. Cannon and George Teasdale. The remarks were of a comforting and instructive character to the bereaved relatives and the congregation in general.

Resolutions of Respect.—On Wednesday evening, a special meeting of the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society was held in the City Hall, for the purpose of framing sentiments of re-

spects in memory of the late Hon. A. P. Rockwood, one of the Directors and leading spirits of that association. The following preamble and resolution were there adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Providence to take from the midst of this community our esteemed brother, Albert P. Rockwood, whose demise occurred at 4 35 this morning, at the ripe age of 74 years; therefore,

Be it Resolved, That it is the feeling of this board, that in the death of our brother, we have lost an efficient member of this society, one who has been a director for 20 years and who has worked in a most thorough and indefatigable manner; and his family and relatives, who have our heartfelt sympathies in their bereavement, have lost a most worthy husband, father and patriarch; and that we attend his funeral in a body, and thus express to his family the endearing ties that exist between us, and that these resolutions and sentiments be published in the DESERET NEWS and Salt Lake Herald.

"Enquirer" Items.—The grading of the road bed of the U. & P. V. R. is being pushed along as rapidly as the weather will permit.

A consignment of steel rails, sufficient to lay the track from Springville to this city, is on the way from the East. About three weeks, the weather permitting, will find the road passable to Provo.

Last Monday, as the northern bound freight train passed out of the Nephi station, the coupling between two cars broke, about in the centre of the train, leaving eight cars behind. The atmosphere being very foggy, they were not missed until the foremost part of the train had gone nearly as far as Mona, a distance of 7 or 8 miles.

On Saturday morning last, between 5 and 6 o'clock, Mr. John Quigley, of Payson, discovered his house on fire, the roof being nearly consumed. It had caught fire from a defective stove-pipe passing through the roof, and the fire had been smoldering during the night without the family knowing it. The morning being foggy and the house being situated a considerable distance from any other, an alarm could not be given. Mr. Quigley and his wife worked with a will, and saved most of the property in the house.

Captured and Retaken.—A couple of "our nation's defenders," wishing to keep their hands in, made a charge on a horse and buggy, tied near the door of a residence in the Sugar House Ward, last evening, and under the excitement of the exercise they had indulged in, forgetting the vehicle and animal belonged to somebody else, rode away with their prize toward Dudley's Brewery. The owners, coming out just afterward, saw the "brave fellows" executing their brilliant manoeuvre, and immediately sounded a charge. Seeing that the "gallant boys" designed carrying the war into Africa, and evinced no decided intention of calling a halt for some time at least, the pursuing force fired a salute over their heads with a pistol, to apprise them of the fact that their patriotic conduct was fully appreciated. Still no signs of capitulation. Another shot, this time through the back of the buggy seat, caused the boys in blue to reconsider their original intention of fighting it out according to established codes of warfare, and jumping from the buggy, they executed a flank movement over the hill toward the garrison, leaving the horse and vehicle to pursue the uneven tenor of its way, until it was retaken by the owners and led in triumph back to its first position.

## ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE in my possession:  
Four head of sheep, three bucks and one ewe marked as follows:  
One with upperbit in right ear, has horns; one with slit in right ear, M in left; one with swallowfork in left ear, under half crop in right; one with underslope in left ear, upper half crop in right.  
If not claimed within ten days, from date, will be sold Dec. 6th, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the estray pound, East Porterville, Morgan Co., U. T.  
L. W. PORTER,  
District Poundkeeper.  
Porterville, Nov. 27, 1879. dsw

## ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE in my possession:  
One red HEIFER, 2 years old, branded M and some other letter blotched on left hip, crop off left ear and underbit in right ear.  
If not claimed she will be sold on Saturday, December 6th, 1879, at 10 a. m.  
J. R. MILLER,  
District Poundkeeper.  
South Cottonwood, Nov. 25, 1879.

## ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE in my possession the following described animals:  
One white short-horned COW, about eight years old, blotched brand and two half circles in right side, ASS on left side and resembling H E on the left hip, crop off both ears.  
One light red COW, about seven years old, branded J 8 on left hip, underbit in left ear and crop off right.  
One black HORSE MULE, about eight years old, no brands visible, shod all round.  
If the above described animals are not claimed, they will be sold on Tuesday, Dec. 9th, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the estray pound in this city.  
JOSEPH HORNE,  
District Poundkeeper.  
Salt Lake City, Nov. 29th, 1879. dsw

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