

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY.

EXCURSION TRAINS.—The following is the copy of a note which we have received from Jas. Forbes, Esq., agent of the C. P. R. R., at the Promontory, announcing an excursion trip from that point to Sacramento, on the 6th of September:

"Promontory, August 22d, 1899.

Geo. Q. Cannon, Esq.,  
Salt Lake;

Dear Sir:

The C. P. R. R. Co. will issue excursion tickets from Promontory to Sacramento and return, at \$67—to parties wishing to attend the California State Fair.

Good from 6th to 12th September.

Yours truly,  
JAS. FORBES, Agt.

MESSAGE FOR HER.—There is a telegraphic message at this office, addressed to Hannah Masters, which she can obtain by making application for it.

MORE OF THE ELITE HERE.—The following distinguished citizens are now enjoying a short visit to our city, having reached here last evening:

Hon. Richard Yates, U. S. Senator from Illinois, and his son, Henry Yates, Esq.; Hons. W. Pitt Kellogg and J. S. Harris, Senators from Louisiana; Col. Clark E. Carr, of Illinois; Judge J. G. Wilson, also of Illinois; Captain J. G. Everest, Agent of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, and Chas. Patten, Esq., of Chicago.

THE INTERNATIONAL BOAT RACE.—Tomorrow afternoon, the 25th, is the time set for the boat race between several students of the Harvard University, and an equal number of the students of the University of Oxford. This event has excited very great interest, especially on the other side of the water, equally almost in intensity to the famous battle between Hecnan and Sayers in the spring of 1890.

When the Harvards made their appearance on the Thames, with a boat and oars, taken from this country and built expressly for American waters, the feeling was decidedly against them; but they have since modified their style of rowing and have practiced in accordance with their changed circumstances, and have elicited warm admiration; and though public feeling still leans to the side of the Oxfords, the belief is that the contest will be tolerably close. If fortune is adverse to the Harvards, they will not lose in honor or prestige, when the disadvantages under which they have labored are considered; and should they be the victors, Cousin "John's" self-love will receive a very irritating wound. A few hours will decide it!

INDIAN MURDER IN MONTANA.—Our Montana exchanges give the particulars of the murder, by Indians, of Mr. Malcomb Clark, one of the pioneers of that Territory at his rancho about twenty-two miles distant from Helena on the Benton road. It appears that twice, lately, Indians have driven off portions of Mr. Clark's stock, and on the night of Tuesday, 17th inst., a band of Piegan Indians, numbering about twenty-five, and most of whom were acquaintances of the family, rode up to the door, and some of them entered the house. They were very cordial in their manner; told him that some "young men" of their tribe had run off his stock; that it was against the wishes and commands of the tribe; that they loved him; knew he had been their friend; and that they had brought back with them his stock, and if his son would go out to the road they would give him back his horses and help him to drive them into the corral. The young man went out, but had scarcely gone three yards from the house when Clark heard the report of a gun. He went out to see what was the matter, and as soon as he reached the corner of the house, he, too, was shot. He died almost instantly; but hopes are entertained of the recovery of his son. The Indians then deliberated about killing the whole family, but desisted at the entreaties of the old grandmother, aided by some noise down the road, which scattered them as if they thought white men were coming.

CHANGES AND APPOINTMENTS.—Elder Andrew Shumway is appointed to preside over the Birmingham Conference, to which the Herefordshire Conference will be attached as soon as President Dye can complete the requisite transfer of the boks, etc.; after which Bro. Dye is at liberty to improve the remaining time preceding his departure as may best suit him.

The appointment of Elder John Q. Knowlton is changed from the Cheltenham to the Manchester Conference; and that of Elder Thomas Rogers from the Glasgow to the Leeds Conference. Elder H. B. Clemens is appointed Traveling Elder in the Bedfordshire Conference.—*Mill. Star* of August 7th.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY.

UNIVERSITY OF DESERET.—The first Annual Catalogue of the Officers and Students of the University of Deseret has been placed on our table. To ourselves, and we believe to every parent in the Territory, this is a most interesting and opportune publication, containing as it does the names of the Chancellor and Board of Regents; the Officers of the Board, the Faculty and the Students of the University. Added to which is a short account of its origin and

development, from the time of its first incorporation in 1890 by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Deseret, to the present time. It also enters into the details of the courses of study in the Classical, Normal, Commercial and Preparatory Departments. From it we also learn that the foundation of a valuable library is established and a literary journal, conducted by the student, will shortly appear. The Faculty with a desire to establish a cabinet to represent the Mineralogical and Geological formations of our Territory, its Entomological life and its Flora, solicit the friends of the Institution in different parts of the Territory to assist them by collecting such specimens of value and curiosity as they can obtain and forward them to the University, as well as from missionaries and others in various parts of the world, who, by the exercise of a little thought and pains, can greatly enrich this cabinet by the productions and natural curiosities of the lands in which they sojourn. The attendance of students for the academical year 1898-9 has been males 120, females 103. Total 223.

LEFT.—Hon. Richard Yates, U. S. Senator from Illinois, and his son, Henry Yates, Esq.; Hons. W. Pitt Kellogg and J. S. Harris, Senators from Louisiana, left the city this morning on their journey west.

LOOKED IN.—Judge Wilson, of Illinois, dropped into our sanctum this morning and had a few minutes chat on men and things in Utah.

THE PICNIC.—The ladies and gentlemen of the Tabernacle Choir and the members of the Theatre Orchestra and of Captain Croxall's brass, and Major Huntington's Marshal Bands, have to-day been passing a few happy hours at Calder's Farm. We have no doubt that with the sweet strains of the bands and the amusements provided at the farm the day has passed most joyously.

THE DROUGHT.—Since the storm of last Thursday there has been a very perceptible decrease in the temperature of the atmosphere in this city, and occasional showers have refreshed the parched soil. It would appear, however, that the excessively warm and dry weather experienced in this Territory during last month and the beginning of the present one, is now being felt very severely in the Eastern States. Our dispatches inform us that the want of water is being seriously felt in both New York and Philadelphia and fears are entertained that the supply will soon entirely give out, whilst the corn, cotton and tobacco crops in the Middle and Southern States are suffering very materially for the want of water and in some sections not half the usual yield will be realized. Dependent as the people of the East are, on the rains of heaven to nourish their vegetation, a continued dry and hot spell is much more severely felt than in these valleys where our system of irrigation leaves us to a great extent independent of summer showers.

FAIRVIEW.—Elder Andrew Peterson, writing from Fairview on the 19th instant, says:

"A coal bed has been opened about five miles north of this place, and one mile from the road to Spanish Fork Canyon, by Brother Hans Carlson, of Springfield. He has sunk a deep shaft, and is turning out a superior article of coal. This bed is very extensive, and is called the "Mammoth Coal Mine." Altogether it is quite a success, and will prove a great benefit to the settlements in San Pete and Utah counties. Harvest has commenced at this place. The wheat crop is better than it has been for years; but the grasshoppers have taken most of our oats. The health of the people is good. Our co-operative store is doing a good business."

LEVAN.—We learn through a letter from Elder Samuel Pitchforth to Robert L. Campbell, Esq., that they are hauling rock and otherwise preparing to build a meeting-house at Levan. The building is to be 36 by 20 feet. That settlement, the letter states, is in a prosperous condition, the crops are good and the location is well adapted for fruit. Speaking of his home in Nephi, Elder Pitchforth says: "We should be pleased to show you our fruit, flowers, etc., twenty-five varieties of grapes, three of which are bearing, also some choice kinds of cherries, plums, pears, apricots, gooseberries, strawberries, currants, etc.; offshoots we have dahlias, roses, gladiolus, tuberroses, stocks, petunias, bleeding hearts, etc. We have now twelve kinds of dahlias in bloom, and have had more than that number of roses blooming."

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY.

GEO. FRANCIS TRAIN.—The irrepressible, erratic and unique G. F. T. is announced to deliver one or more of his sensational lectures at our Theatre very shortly. They will be something entirely out of the common to most of our citizens.

THE STORM.—About sunset last evening a storm of almost unprecedented severity, during the short time it lasted, burst over this city. The wind, for a few moments, blew a hurricane, followed by drenching showers of rain, and most vivid lightning and loud thunder. Shortly after nine the weather cleared up, but occasional showers fell during the night. In the northern settlements, we learn through dispatches by the Deseret Telegraph line from Logan, Brigham City and Ogden, that the thunder and lightning were very severe, though but

little rain fell. We have not been able to discover the extent of the storm south of this city, owing to the telegraph line being down in the neighborhood of Payson.

SECURE BREADSTUFFS.—Wheat, flour, and products of every kind are now offered for sale at remarkably low prices in this city. The contrast between the price which rules now and that which was paid for these articles a few months ago is very striking. There are various causes for this, but all more or less within the control of those who offer these products for sale. We doubt not that many, who are now anxious to sell breadstuffs at the present reduced prices, will be equally anxious, before another harvest, to buy the same articles at greatly enhanced figures. We hope this may not be the case, but we fear that it will. There is but little old grain in the Territory. The destructive visits of the grasshoppers for the past three years have given us short crops, and the grain that had been stored away has all, or nearly all, been used to supply the demand. Now is the time for every one to secure his breadstuff. Every man should have at least one year's supply, and two years, or even more if he can get it. Better to go short of some other articles than neglect the present favorable opportunity of securing the staff of life. A family can do without money, they can get along with a reduced stock of clothing; but they cannot live without food. Let the past experience on this point suffice, and let no one be so foolish as to think because wheat and flour are now cheap, that, therefore, they are poor pay. Take all you can get.

TOOELE CITY.—Our correspondent Nestor, under date of 23d inst., writes us very encouragingly of the state of affairs in Tooele. He says, "Last Friday the 20th inst. the Grantsville Woolen Factory Co., previous to setting up their machinery, extended an invitation to the people of Tooele County to participate in a social gathering, at their mill, the dance was kept up till 'some wee sma' hour ayont the twal'."

The wheat crop in this part is excellent, the other crops would have been very good, had not the 'iron clads' taken such a fancy to them. Our set of brass instruments ordered from the firm of Besson & Co., of London, has arrived in good condition. Our band has been organized under the leadership of Capt. Thos. Croft, late band master of the Volunteer Rifle Corps of Woodford, Essex, England, and we feel proud in having so experienced an instructor in the science of music, as Tooele does not wish to be behind its neighbors in any good thing.

"The storm of last Thursday evening was very severe here. It lasted three hours, and ended, I am pleased to say, with no serious result, except a drenching to those who live under poor roofs."

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY

WONDERS OF THE TELEGRAPH.—A more striking illustration of the wonders of the telegraph could scarcely be given than in the account sent of the boat race, between the Harvard and Oxford crews, which took place on the Thames this afternoon at 5 o'clock; but the news of the result of the race sent by cable, was received in New York, and was sent thence by the wires to this city this morning, five or six hours before the time it is said to have taken place across the water.

FOREIGN MONEY ORDERS.—The following letter, handed in for publication by A. W. Street, Esq., postmaster, may be of interest to many of our citizens who have friends residing on the continent of Europe.

Post Office, S. L. City, U. T.,  
August 27th, 1899.

Geo. Q. Cannon:—Ed. *Evening News*.—Dear sir, I am informed that the Postmaster General has selected this office, with others, for the issue of postal orders for sums payable to beneficiaries in Switzerland by the Post Department of that country, and for the payment of orders for sums remitted from Switzerland through the "Exchange" Post Office of New York.

The first of September next, has been fixed as the date on which the issue and payment of Swiss International Money-orders is to commence.

You will oblige me by giving the Public notice of the above

Respectfully,  
A. W. STREET, P. M.

A "MERE TYRO."—We have heard from "Norval," that is "Norval" of the country, now "Norval" no more. He has seen the complaint of our city friend and our advocacy of his cause, in the *News* of Saturday last, and like a sensible, good-hearted, right-feeling man he acknowledges the "corn," and that he stands corrected. He disclaims all intention of robbing the bona fide "Norval" of his justly-earned honors; and we believe his disclaimer. He wishes the genuine "Norval" god speed in his ascent of Mount Pegasus, and while doing so, humbly expresses his determination, whenever he has the honor of appearing before the readers of the *News* in future, to sign himself "A Mere Tyro."

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY.

MASS MEETING.—At a meeting of numerous citizens this afternoon, it was motioned to hold an indignation meeting at

the New Tabernacle, at one o'clock, on Monday, Sept. 6th, to take into consideration various subjects, amongst which the conduct of the Union Pacific Railroad company in withholding the pay from the men who built their road and other topics will be discussed.

THE GRANTSVILLE WOOLLEN FACTORY.—Bro. James Stoddard, writing from Grantsville, on the 26th instant, says that on the 20th, the citizens of that place, Tooele, E. T. and the surrounding neighborhood, held a social party on the occasion of the completion of the Grantsville Woolen Factory. The party was held in the building, which is situated half a mile north of the county road, about thirteen miles east of Grantsville and two miles west of E. T. The building is of stone, from a quarry close by, and is 89x49 feet. The lower room is lighted by twenty-five windows; a pair of stairs from the outside lead to the upper room. It has been erected under the direction of Mr. A. O. Williams, who with Messrs. Rydalah and Barrus, constituted the building committee.

Among the notables present were President Clarke, Bishop Rowberry and Father Atkin, of Tooele City, the two latter delivering appropriate addresses on the occasion. A substantial supper was partaken of by the company, and afterwards a dance. The party had a good time together until daybreak the following morning. There was music of excellent quality and in any desired quantity, discoursed by the Grantsville martial band, and the Tooele brass band, the latter under a distinguished professor recently from England.

**Died.**

In Payson City, U. T., on the 23th day of July, 1899, Lucretia Ann, wife of bro. Robert Wimmer, aged 61 years, 8 months and 27 days.

Sister Wimmer became a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the year 1852, and emigrated to this Territory with her husband and family the same year. She lived and died a faithful member of the Church and leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her departure.—[COM.]

At the residence of John Allan, Coalville Summit County, on the 25th inst., after an illness of nine days, Christina Romney, aged 1 years.

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**ESTRAYS!**

I HAVE in my possession one span of Bay MARES. One is blind in left eye, branded R on left shoulder; the other branded J L on D left shoulder, some white on face. The owner can have the above by paying expenses.

JOSEPH L. ROBINSON,  
d237s60w30 1ea Mouth of Weber Cañon

**ESTRAYS.**

CAME to my place on or about the 22nd of June one Dark Red OX, branded on the right horn OK joined, and the same brand on right ribs, T J on right hip and T on right horn. The owner will please prove property, pay charges and take him away.

JOSEPH McRAY,  
s60-2w30-1 Portage, Box Elder Co.

**LOST OR STOLEN**

FROM LEHI CITY, Utah county, on Tuesday morning, August 24th, four HORSES and one MULE, of the following description:

Two Bay Horses, branded W G on left thigh; one has a sore in the hollow of the right hip; one about 4 years old, the other about 6 years old.

One Sorrel Horse, blaze face, hind feet white, branded with a Spanish brand on right thigh.

One Bay Mare, (should have a dark bay Colt with her,) star in forehead, branded with a Spanish brand on left thigh, reversed on her shoulder; also branded E D on left thigh.

One Black Mare Mule, about 15 hands high, 8 years old, brown nose, no brands.

Officers and all others are invited to look out for the above described animals, and information that shall lead to their recovery will be promptly paid for at Lehi City, by

WILLIAM GURNEY,  
WILLIAM GOATS, or  
SAMUEL BRIGGS,  
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