

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

A WELCOME SETTLEMENT.—We have been much pleased to meet Bishop Sharp, who has been absent for some time in California, he having gone to that country, in company with Lorin Farr, Esq., as the Administrator on the estate of the late Bishop Chauncey W. West, and his representative in settling up the affairs of Benson, Farr & West, with the Central Pacific Railroad Company. Bro. Sharp has attended closely to his business since he has been absent, and his labors have been crowned with gratifying success. He has succeeded in collecting \$100,000 on the Benson, Farr & West contract for work done on the Promontory; and though this amount will not cover all the claims due, still it is fully as much as if not more than many expected, from indications, would be collected, and will be a means of relieving many who have worked on that contract, from pecuniary embarrassment. Governor Stanford and the Board of Directors of the Central Pacific treated Bishop Sharp with great kindness, and he entertained the best of feelings towards them, as they also towards the people of Utah, in regard to this matter. We presume that Bro. Farr and Sharp will have a public statement to make to all the sub-contractors on that contract, before making payments. The drafts they received are time drafts.

MISSIONARIES ON LONG ISLAND.—The Elders who have been laboring on Long Island have been unusually successful in making converts. If the statements that are flashed over the wires to all parts of the country be correct. The following are the latest news per telegraph: "Sixty Mormon converts left Long Island for Salt Lake."

EMIGRATION COMPANY.—We learn from the daily Colorado Tribune that there are two gentlemen at Denver, who represent a powerful organization in London for establishing emigration to the Far West from England and the continent of Europe. The object of this organization is to acquaint the people of Great Britain and the European continent with the advantages offered by the Far West of the United States over the colonies, for emigration. The English company's object is to take charge of such emigrants as wish to settle on any of the Colorado lands of the Kansas Pacific railroad, in Kansas or Colorado, and forward them to the land office at Lawrence, Kansas—keeping them safe from swindlers and swindling concerns until they are located, and these gentlemen are now in that Territory looking up facts to lay before the emigrating public.

DISTRICT COURT.—The jury, in the case of the people vs. Sproule, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree. Prisoner was sentenced to fifteen years' hard labor in the Penitentiary.

FRUIT BUDS KILLED.—The fruit buds of the apricot trees in the centre, east and north part of our city were destroyed by the late heavy frosts that came upon us. We have not heard from the lower wards; but we hope the buds there were not so far advanced. If their trees have suffered from the same cause, our show for apricots will be very small this summer.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.—Early this morning, Bro. Harry Pusey, while endeavoring to capture a badger on the hill above the Twentieth Ward, accidentally discharged his pistol, the ball passing through the instep and lodging in the sole of his foot. The surgical services of Dr. Anderson were immediately procured, and the young man placed under the influence of chloroform, before the painful operation of extraction could be effected. The bones of the instep were found shockingly fractured, and the young man will probably have a tedious recovery from so painful a wound, although he is doing as well as can be expected up to the present time.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE AT DESERET TELEGRAPH OFFICE FOR HYRUM BENSON, FROM PAROWAN.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.—Farmers along the line of the U. C. R. R. are particularly requested to avoid planting grain crops nearer than seventy-five feet from the centre of the track. In case this notice be disregarded the company can not be held responsible for any damage that may accrue to individuals through fire from the locomotive.

Jos. A. Young, Supt.

DEMISE.—The following despatch was received per Deseret Telegraph line, yesterday afternoon:

Fillmore, 24.
Miss Della Barton died at Parowan, at 14 minutes past 7 this morning, of lung fever, aged 21 years. Deceased had been sick about four weeks; she was one of the Deseret Telegraph operators, and was known for her ability therein. She was the first female to send a message on the line, in July, 1867. She took charge of the Cedar City office on the 14th of December in the same year, and faithfully discharged the duties of operator there till July, 1868, after which she assisted in the Parowan office for some time. She was a young lady of surpassing purity and chastity, full of love, truth and sentiment, and true to the principles of "Mormonism." Her friends are many, and they will mourn her loss deeply.

"Thou art not dead, but hast gone from out our sphere,
This transient, measured, tenantry resigned;
Perchance thy spirit still is hovering near,
The cherished loved ones thou hast left behind."
(Com. by her teacher, J. R.)

VIGILANTES.—A few days ago we published a Montana telegram, announcing the murder, at Oregon gulch, of a miner named John Benser, by his fellow-workman, W. Y. Patrick. The Helena, Ma., Gazette of the 15th, says that on the morning of Sunday, the 13th inst., the body of Patrick was found hanging to a beam in the jail at Diamond city. Saturday night was very cold, and on this account the Sheriff ordered the jailer not to sleep in the prison, and the belief was that the vigilantes took advantage of this fact to carry out their deadly design on the prisoner.

ODDEN ITEMS.—The Ogden Junction, of the 23d inst., says: "The ball last night was a success. It was not overcrowded and yet a large number of ladies and gentlemen from several parts of the Territory were present. The visitors from Salt Lake City who came in by the evening train, were saluted by the roar of cannon and the music of the Ogden Brass Band. Gov. Shaffer was

expected, but it was reported that indisposition prevented his appearance." On Sunday evening, the U. P. train arrived on time with about two hundred and fifty passengers, among whom was Governor Shaffer.

Mayor Farr arrived from San Francisco on Monday morning. An outrage was attempted on Sunday night, upon a lady named Ferris, near Woodmansee's barn. The ruffian sprang forward and clapped his hands across her mouth; but disengaging herself, she screamed so that a Mr. Ward, who was near by, heard her and came to her assistance, when the villainous rascal made off.

ELDER A. C. BROWER, writing from Fond Du Lac, under date of the 16th inst., states that he expected to baptize a few at that place. He has been very successful in his labors and has had great joy therein. He further states that he feels well in health and spirits and that he has not yet finished his labors in preaching the gospel in the East. He is staying at the house of Brother Beckley, concerning whom he says: "He wishes all the Elders who come to Wisconsin to call at his house in Fond Du Lac and make it their home."

AFFAIRS IN BEAR LAKE VALLEY.—We had a call this morning from President David P. Kimball and Judge Jas. H. Hart, who are just in from Bear Lake Valley. They came from that valley by way of Bear River Valley, to Wasatch, and from Wasatch by rail. This is the best route, at this season of the year, for traveling to and from Bear Lake Valley, as the road can easily be kept open. There has been traveling done all winter from Wasatch to Bear Lake, by people who have wanted to trade. Hon. C. Rich, in going home by that road, reached the adjournment of the legislature, reached Paris, where he resides, on the evening of the third day, he having stayed one night in Wasatch. The distance is about 75 miles; but by making a road up Last Chance Canon, the distance can be shortened so that it will not be more than 65 miles between Paris and Wasatch. When this road is finished, ingress and egress will be comparatively easy. Bro. Kimball desires us to say that they are greatly in need of the help of those who were called last year to go to that part to settle. It is the intention to establish some three settlements in Bear River Valley, between Wasatch and the Lake, the nearer settlement to be about twenty miles from Wasatch. There are fine openings for settlements in this valley, it being thought by the brethren, to possess many advantages over Bear Lake Valley. But to make settlements more substantial, they need more help. The winter has been very mild in Bear Lake Valley. Stock has run out all winter on the east side of the lake. The health of the people has been excellent; there has been only one death this winter in the settlements.

The mail has had to be carried all winter on snowshoes. As soon as grain is put in the ground, it is the intention to complete the road between St. Charles and Logan, as the settlers are anxious to have telegraphic communication with this point. The St. Charles and Logan road will be a good summer road, but it may be difficult to keep open in winter.

The brethren are looking very well and feel that the prospects for the future of Bear Lake are very bright. We feel confident that if those who have been called to go that country to settle, should neglect to obey the call, they will live to regret it.

Correspondence.

ST. GEORGE, March 12, 1870.
Editor Deseret News: Dear Brother—Yesterday, the President and party, being fatigued, made it a day of rest. Brigham Young, junr., and L. D. Young attended a meeting for the dedication of the Third Ward schoolhouse, a large and convenient edifice just completed, and of sufficient capacity to accommodate the juveniles of that ward. Elder Erasmus Snow offered the dedicatory prayer.

The enterprise of the citizens of southern Utah in the erection of suitable school buildings, and keeping up good schools, is highly creditable. The Fourth Ward has been enabled to secure the efficient services of Elder Richard S. Horne for this winter; he has been long and favorably known as a first-class teacher in your city. The Fourth Ward schoolhouse has been erected since our last visit.

To-day, the weather being cool, the congregation assembled in the St. George Hall at 10 o'clock a.m., and were addressed by Presidents Young and Smith; only a small portion being able to get within hearing. In the afternoon the meeting was held in the open air, a verandah being used for a stand; the audience was large and gave strict attention. B. Young, junr., L. D. Young, J. W. Young and Erasmus Snow addressed the meeting.

The municipal election took place last Monday. Some ladies came forward to exercise the elective franchise. Lumber is worth from \$7 to \$11 per hundred in this city, and not of the best quality at that price, and yet there appears to be more building going on and a better class of buildings than there has been in any other settlement we have visited, according to population and advantages.

Our enterprising friend, Charles R. Savage, is collecting romantic scenery in this region of country.

March 13, 1870.
This morning a very large congregation assembled in the yard of the Tithing Office, and listened to addresses delivered from the verandah on the south side of that building. The wind blew, but Elders Musser, Savage and Geo. A. Smith continued speaking until twenty minutes to 12, when the wind became so severe that the congregation adjourned to meet at 1 p.m. in the basement of the new meeting house, a magnificent stone building in course of erection, the walls of which are about eighteen feet high. It is built of beautiful red sandstone, artistically cut and laid. This shelter, though insufficient to break off the wind, which was terrific, enabled us to hold the meeting for two hours. The audience was much reduced in size in consequence of the change. At 3 p.m. the wind and dust became so furious that the meeting had to be adjourned. This is the hardest wind of the season. Presidents Young and Smith occupied the time in the afternoon.

Preparations are making for an early start to-morrow.

Your Brother in the Gospel,
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