

Died:

In the 14 Ward, Salt Lake City, July 9, 1868.
LYDIA MOON, wife of Bishop Henry Moon.
She was born Oct. 9, 1811, at Ecclesfield, Lancashire, England, während the fulness of the gospel in 1857, being baptised by Pres. H. C. Kimball, while on his first mission to England; immigrated to Commerce, since called Nauvoo, in the first company of Saints that left England, on the 6th of June, 1856; remained in Nauvoo till '60, when the Saints were expelled by mobocratic rule, and reached the valleys in 1860 with her husband and family, since which time she has lived a consistent life, been an obedient wife, a loving mother and a good neighbor. She was sick over two years. She passed from this state of existence behind the veil with calmness and resignation, in sure and certain hope of a glorious resurrection, aged 57 years.—[COM.]

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LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

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THEATRICAL.—"Cinderella" will be repeated tonight, and should have a prolonged run, for it is a fine spectacle and abounds with attractions. Not the least feature in it, besides those mentioned yesterday, is the dancing by Miss Alexander and Miss Clive, who dance two solo dances apiece, one each in the opening ballet and one each in the last act; and together execute the full "Swan" in the first scene. Miss Alexander makes an excellent Queen and Miss Clive an agile Ariel. There will be an additional new scene to-night, by Mr. Methven, and the gorgious transformation scene at the close will be more complete in its details. The comic element in the Baron, Pedro and Dandini was well presented by Messrs. McKenzie, Margott and Graham. In fact the whole piece was interesting and amusing throughout, and a most beautiful spectacle. The music is a great addition to its many charms.

SPANISH FORK.—Brother Hillman, writing from Spanish Fork, says "Grain looks splendid, the flying 'hoppers' have very nearly all left, and the present prospecture good for an abundant harvest."

DOUBLE CROP.—We saw, yesterday morning, a beautiful specimen of barley grown by Edward Middiemas, 6th Ward, well filled and fully ripe. He will sow another crop of barley on the same ground right away, and expects to reap it this season.

MORN OF TR.—Yesterday evening there was another heavy rain fall, and this morning the sun again shone out in all its glory and power. These delightful rains and the warm sun bring along vegetation as fast as the locusts eat it up.

SCOUNDRELISM.—This morning about two o'clock, three men, drunk, or pretending to be drunk, aroused the inmates of a house in the 10th Ward, and demanded to know the way to Camp Douglas. They were in civilian dress. They wanted to get in; and after creating a disturbance for a time, and scaring the lady of the house, they started off when there were evidences of a rifle being brought to bear on them. Some of these night prowlers will get badly hit if they do not stop their proceedings.

KARTERED.—President Young got home a few minutes before noon to-day accompanied by his son Joseph A., both in good health. They left the head of Echo yesterday morning, and stopped at Kimball's last night. Everything is progressing finely on the railroad, and the work is being pushed ahead with energy and rapidity.

SAMPLES.—Bro. Robert Hazen brought us this morning samples of wheat and barley from Brighton, which are full and heavy headed and almost ripe. From the size and weight of the straw and the heaviness of the heads, we should judge the place from which they were taken is yielding excellent crops. The samples are in this office and can be seen by those who doubt that good crops can be produced in that locality over Jordan. There is a fine breadth of land there to be put under cultivation.

THE RAILROAD.—We met Superintendent Reid to-day, just in from the end of the railroad, accompanied by Messrs. Chapman and Bunker, of the Company. He informed us that the track should be at North Platte to-day, within 30 miles of this city, and about 180 miles west of Laramie, the present terminus. This is moving westward with giant strides. The strike on the line east has ended, and the men have returned to work, yielding up the point for which they struck. The work of grading is progressing in a manner to give complete satisfaction.

Just So.—The Atchison Free Press of a late date says:

"The Union Pacific Railroad is being built more rapidly this year than ever. The word is 'To Salt Lake by Christmas.' Six hundred and forty miles are now in running order, and the hundred and twenty more are being put on the track. Brigham Young has five thousand men at work in Utah, and says he is not afraid of the Gentiles."

Only think of that! "Five thousand men at work," and "not afraid of the Gentiles!" Well, if the cars come to Salt Lake by Christmas, what monstrous sized "gobblers" with surroundings of puddings, etc., will be demolished on the occasion!

BULLESQUING.—Austin, Nevada, had a double celebration on the Fourth, the two "high contending parties" not being able to unite for the purpose, and one feature of the Democratic procession was a band of mounted Shoshones. In the afternoon some geniuses got up a burlesque procession and exercises, in ridicule of the double celebration, which was the main feature of the day, and which drew together some 2,500 persons. So says the *Review* of the 6th.

The "patriotism" that must divide, and cannot permit different political parties to unite in the celebration of the nation's birthday anniversary, needs "reconstructing" very badly, and throws itself widely open to the shafts of ridicule.

MAMMOTH STRAWBERRIES.—The editor of the S. F. Times has received several baskets, one pound each, from the gardens of Mr. L. A. Gould, in Santa Clara; and these strawberries averaged half an ounce each in weight, and measured in circumference four inches in the smallest part and from four to five inches in the largest. We would like to know what variety they were, and whether as prolific as they were large.

THE OVERLAND MONTHLY.—This is the title of a new literary monthly magazine, published in San Francisco by A. Roman & Co., the first number of which has reached us. It presents a beautiful typographical appearance, and its matter gives it a place among first class monthlies. The number contains fifteen cleverly written articles, among which the opening paper, "A Breeze from the Woods"; "High Noon of the Empire," a sketch of Mexico under Maximilian; "Family Remembrances and Differences," and "The Diamond Maker of Sacramento," are very readable and interesting. We wish the Overland Monthly all the success which the enterprises of its publishers and the ability of its contributors are fairly entitled to.

INDIAN RAID.—We received the following dispatch shortly after noon, by Deseret Telegraph Line:

Fort Ephraim, July 11, 1868, p.m.
About ten or twelve Indians made an attack on the horse herd which was being herded on Willow Creek, about 10 a.m. to-day. They drove off about twelve head. It is supposed that one man was killed, and that the Indians came from here and also from Mani, intending to possible intercept them.

THE CENTRAL PACIFIC R. R.—Messrs. L. B. Clements, C. L. Stevenson, C. Murray, J. L. Taylor and Fred King, an engineer party connected with the western branch of the railroad, arrived by stage from the West this afternoon.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

BY STAGE.

From the East—L. B. Clements, C. L. Stevenson, C. Murray, J. L. Taylor, Fred King.

To the North—J. C. Johnson, C. J. Hodder, L. F. Wollman.

From the West—L. B. Clements, C. L. Stevenson, C. Murray, J. L. Taylor, Fred King.

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George G. Cannon, 10th and Main Streets.

and address him, and make value

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