

going by a providential hand, instead of going by a club in the hands of one of the most quiet, orderly and inoffensive young men in all our County. The fatal blow was dealt on the spur of the moment and wholly unintended to be fatal.

The deceased was never known, as it is said, to do a day's work in his life, could not live with his parents, nor yet, with any of his brothers. His home was in the saddle and he ran on the stock range, made his boasts that he had between two and three hundred head of cattle, and was believed to be a noted horse thief, a regular rowdy and desperado.

In the morning or the day of his funeral, some of his chums, on seeing Elder Hyde drive into town, circulated the word that the Bishop and Bro. Hyde had counseled all the people to attend his funeral, especially the young ladies. This falsehood drew quite a concourse of people to his burial; but it is all over now, and the author of this tragedy awaits the course of the law.

SANPETE.

[The above came from a worthy citizen of Sanpete, and no doubt represents the feelings of the people generally of that county. The readers of the NEWS of course form their own judgment upon the occurrence, based on such of the facts as they may obtain.—ED. NEWS.]

#### Delinquent Mail Carriers.

GLENWOOD, August 1, 1876.

#### Editor Deseret News:

The people of Glenwood are entitled to a tri-weekly mail, and Government pays a mail carrier to carry the mail through this section of country, but how has he performed his services? Through the last winter we sometimes received our mail matter as often as once a week; semi-occasionally we would get it twice, but very rarely got it three times. Our newspapers, published one week, we generally got the latter part of the next week, very stale news indeed, as we had generally got the most important news through teamsters on the road. During the last month registered letters on very important business have lain for a week in the post office, waiting for the mail carrier, thereby causing great loss and inconvenience to the citizens of this place, who have borne this neglect until further forbearance ceases to be a virtue. Hence we now complain, hoping, thereby, to make the neglect of his duty more apparent to him, and thereby induce him to do his duty without further action on our part.

Yours respectfully,  
A CITIZEN.

#### Good Crops—Plenty of Water, etc.

LEVAN, Juab Co., Utah,  
July 31st, 1876.

#### Editor Deseret News:

This place is growing and increasing in numbers pretty fast, considering the time it has been settled, which is eight years ago this last spring, and there are but few settlements of the same date that have labored under more disadvantages. This is the first entirely successful season for crops of all kinds of grain to be raised. Our crops are beautiful, and the harvest has commenced with a good relish. We have had all the water we could use, and we have appreciated it, I tell you. Frost killed most of our fruit, though, but we shall have some. We have got as good a place for that kind of growing as any south of your city of the same size.

There is a good people lives here, and there has been but very little sickness since we settled here, which was done under the wise and considerate counsel of Bro. E. Snow.

Your paper is ever a welcome visitor amongst us.

Yours truly,

OBSERVATION.

#### THE TWENTY-FOURTH IN THE COUNTRY.

VIRGIN CITY.

VIRGIN CITY, Kane Co.,  
July 25th, 1876.

At daybreak firing of one gun by the artillery, to awake the people from their sweet slumber. At sun-

rise the stars and stripes were unfurled to the breeze, with the firing of one gun, also a volley from the musketry.

One gun was fired at 8 o'clock a. m., for the assembly of the citizens at the meeting-house, to form in procession in the following order—1st, martial band, led by G. B. Gardner; 2nd, committee of arrangements; 3d, local authorities; 4th, Dixie as it was, by A. J. Stratton; 5th, Pioneers and battalion; 6th, Virgin City choir; 7th, twelve young men, led by J. Jepson, jun.; 8th, twelve young ladies, led by Mary E. Steel; 9th, Fathers in Israel, led by H. B. Owens; 10th, Mothers in Israel, led by Ellen Parker; 11th, Y. M. M. I. Association; 12th, Retrenchment Association; 13th, Sunday School children, led by J. Jepson, sen.; 14th, Citizens; 15th, Dixie as it is, by J. A. Stratton; 16th, Artillery, led by T. F. Malone; Committee of arrangements.

The procession marched round the principal streets to the meeting house. When all were seated the choir sang a song appropriate for the occasion; prayer by the chaplain, John Spendlove, sen.; song by the choir; oration by G. B. Gardner, which was listened to with great attention; songs, toasts, etc.

In the afternoon the little folks came together to shake their little feet, and sure enough they did shake them to perfection, for a merrier lot never came together.

The older folks in the evening did as well as the little ones.

Great credit is due to the committee of arrangements, G. B. Gardner, W. W. Willis, J. F. Marlowe, H. B. Owens and J. Jepson, sen. All things passed off very quietly. I never heard one word out of the way all day.

JAMES HUMPHRIES.

—Here is a paragraph for the men only, because it is about a jewel of a wife—"Mrs. Newman, the wife of a New York merchant, who charged her husband with 'sixteen years of constant cruelty,' admitted on cross-examination that on one occasion she sold \$2,000 worth of furniture for \$50, and that on another her husband permitted her to 'scratch his hands for five minutes on condition that she would refrain from screaming so as to arouse the whole neighborhood.'"

—Niagara prices have succumbed to the effect of their own altitude in past years, and to hard times.

#### DECEASED.

In this city, Aug. 7, JAMES S. HUTCHINSON, of Salt Lake City, and ELIZABETH JOHNSON, of Spanish Fork.

#### DIED.

In Cedar City, July 23th, of general debility, RACHEL, wife of James Whitaker, senr.

Deceased was born in Heywood, Lancashire, England, April 16, 1818; embraced the gospel in 1850; on January 9th, 1861, started with her husband, son and three daughters for the land of Zion; arrived in Salt Lake City in the fall; after remaining twelve days Brother Whitaker volunteered to move down and help to settle Iron county; was one of the pioneers who with Bishop Henry Hunt located and built Cedar old fort; afterwards assisted in building the first Cedar city, and finally the present city. Sister Whitaker was for a number of years president of the Relief Society, a faithful worker in her place and station, delighted to attend meetings, and always had a word of comfort and blessing for all; she was very particular in performing every known duty, prompt in paying her tithing and her donations to the poor and the Temple; she was of a cheerful but solid disposition, forcible in prayer and instruction; has been all her life in health for some time; was truly a good wife, mother, and saint. Her funeral was numerously attended by the citizens.—[Com.]

Millennial Star, please copy.

In Bountiful, August 16th, at 11:40 p. m., of paralysis, CHANCEY LOVELAND, aged 79 years and 10 months. He was born in Connecticut, and left that State, with his parents, when he was eight years old, and settled in the Western Reserve, Ohio.

At the time of the martyrdom of Joseph and Hyrum Smith, he lived at Carthage, Illinois. He was not then connected with the church, but well disposed to it, extending the warmest hospitality to the Elders.

Deceased was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints at Pisgah, Iowa, in 1848, and came to this City with the Pioneers, the following year, 1849, and resided from that time until his death in this City and in Bountiful, passing through all the varied circumstances incidental to the early settlement of this Valley. He is father of Colonel Chester Loveland, of Brigham City, between whose ages there was but twenty-one years difference, the two in consequence having been frequently taken for brothers.

He was a man of unwavering faith in and integrity to the work of the Lord, and he was greatly respected and esteemed by those who knew him. He was a man of powerful constitution, never having felt the hand of disease until near the close of his life.—[Com.]

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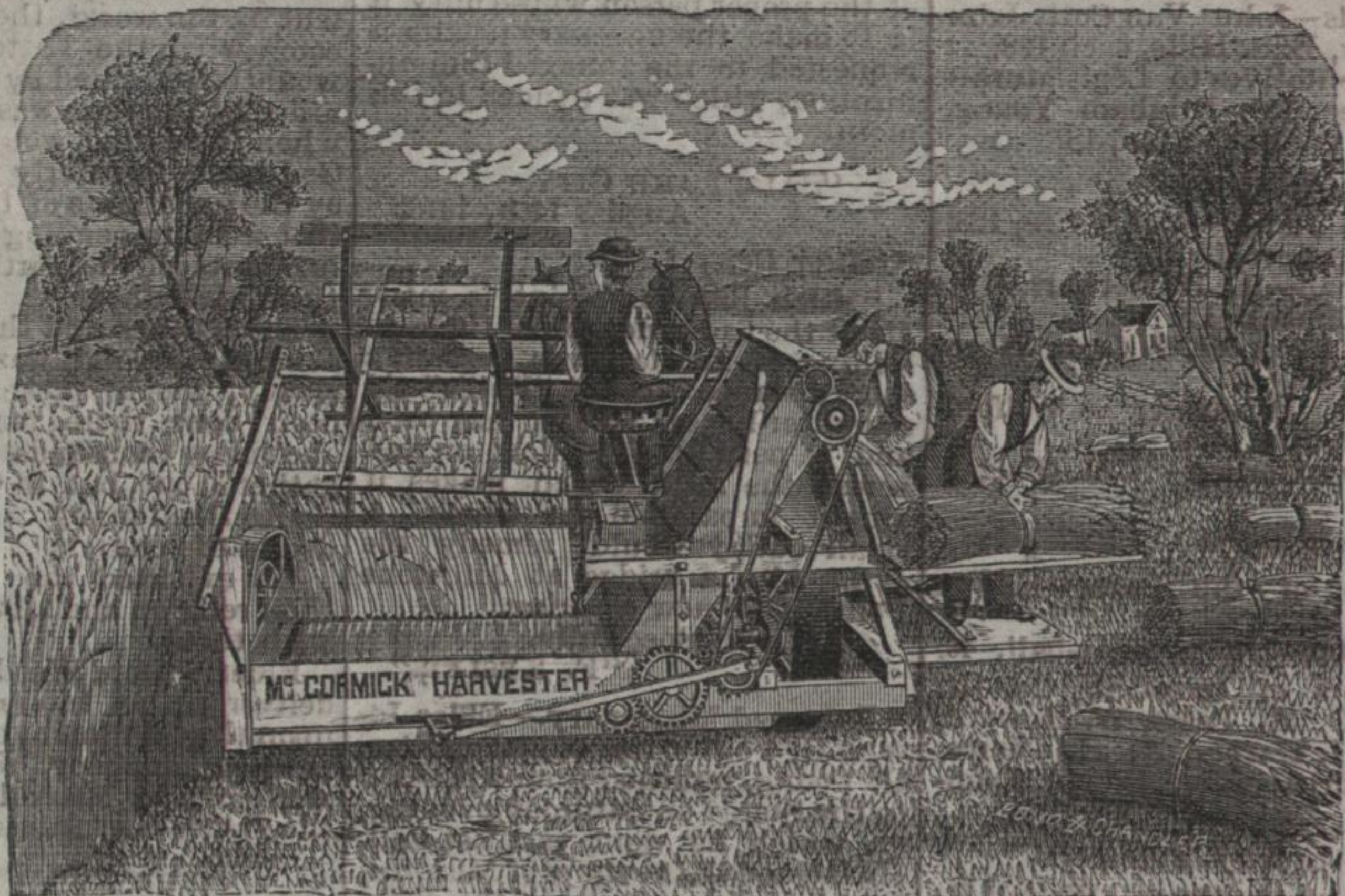
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