

## LOCAL NEWS.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY AUG. 21.

**Strayed from Home.**—Laurine Lovendahl left her father's home at South Cottonwood on Friday, the 20th inst., between two and three p. m. She is 22 years of age, of medium size, brown hair, cut short; was dressed in a light calico dress; was bare headed and in her stocking feet. Her reason was dethroned some time since through sickness. Any information leading to her discovery will be thankfully received by S. M. Lovendahl, South Cottonwood, or N. Grundland, Salt Lake City.

**Wheeling to San Francisco.**—Yesterday several members of the Salt Lake Bicycle Club, including T. O. Angell, Jr., C. Johnson, H. Pembroke and H. Cartwright, accompanied Mr. Spier on his way to San Francisco, as far as Bountiful, where they indulged in a feast of luscious watermelons fresh from the vines. Mr. Spier stated that he had been better treated here by the bicycling fraternity than anywhere on his route. He promised to drop a line occasionally as to his progress, between here and the Golden Gate.

**Broken Ankle.**—On Thursday George W. Penrose was out at Lake Point with the 11th Ward choir excursion. He was running after another boy in play and started down the steps to the pier. When part of the way down he found he was going too fast and jumped to save himself, alighting at the foot of the steps. His right foot, however, twisted under him, dislocating the ankle and breaking one of the bones. The best attention that could be was given him and he was brought home, where surgical assistance was found to be necessary. The injury is a very painful one.

**In Jail.**—Yesterday afternoon the Central Pacific train from the west brought Officer Adam Paul, who had in his custody the notorious thief "Teep" Jackson. When Mr. Paul got to Elko, Nevada, Jackson refused to come without all of the necessary papers, so some delay was occasioned in communicating with the Governor of the State. The prisoner was turned over to the custody of the U. S. Marshal and was sent to the penitentiary. The accused is charged with being one of those who stole some horses from Juab County, and whom the Stock Association have sought to bring to justice. As the detective for the Association, Officer Paul tracked Jackson up until he finally secured him for trial.

**Crushed His Hand.**—A correspondent of the Ogden Herald gives an account of an accident that happened to Wm. H. Crandall, of Pleasant View, Weber County, on August 18th. A threshing machine was being operated at Wm. Gerod's, where Mr. Crandall was passing. One of the feeders on the machine invited him up to feed a short time. He had not been up ten minutes pushing the loose barley into the cylinder when he reached a little too far, and the teeth of the cylinder came in contact with his right hand, in which he held a short stick. Fortunately he had no glove on, and instantly jerked back his hand, but not, however, before it was quite badly lacerated. Dr. E. G. Williams, of Ogden City, was telephoned for at once, and in a very short time he was in attendance. He found the bones of the middle finger so badly crushed that he was compelled to put the patient under the influence of chloroform, and amputate that finger. None of the bones in the other fingers were crushed, though the flesh was badly torn. The gashes were sewn up and properly dressed, and he is now doing as well as can be expected.

**Police Court Items.**—In the police court May Pettitt, who pleaded guilty to the charge of vagrancy, was sentenced to fifteen days in jail. John Green, who has been keeping out of sight for some time past, owing to a complaint charging him with assaulting Thomas Elmore, on June 24th, entered a plea of not guilty to-day. He is also charged with stealing a ride on a D. & R. G. W. train. The trial will take place on Monday, and the defendant was released on \$50 bail. Arthur Curtis, for stealing a ride on the narrow gauge, was fined \$10. Frank Cogan and Henry Thompson stole a ride on the Utah Central and were each assessed \$15. Peter McComes and John Smith ("Happy Jack") were each fined \$5 for drunkenness. George Lawrence, a First South Street saloon-keeper, was arrested for keeping a gambling house. Two inmates of the house, who gave their names as Ben Williams and George Thompson, were arrested on a charge of gambling.

An individual named Paul, but who wished to be known as J. Smith, was fined \$10 for drunkenness and disturbing the peace. For similar offences David Muir was assessed the same amount. An array of dissolute persons faced the judge on the opening of court this afternoon—the result of a raid last night on the disreputable house at the corner of Third South and Second West Streets. The prisoners were Nathan Gross, Daniel Clark, a white woman named

**Utah County Schools.**—It is learned from County Superintendent Brimhall that the District Schools throughout Utah County will mostly open on the 30th. Those of Provo commenced with the B. Y. Academy, on the 9th, with an attendance as good as usual and rapidly increasing.

**New Bishopric.**—Last evening the Bishopric of the Twentieth Ward was reorganized. President Angus M. Cannon and High Counselor Wm. Edgington, of this Stake, were present at the meeting in the ward, and Brother Wm. E. Bassett was appointed to fill the office of Bishop. Brothers George Romney and George F. Gibbs were chosen as first and second Counselors.

**Releases and Appointments.**—Elder M. B. Shipp is released from the London Conference and appointed to preside at the Leeds Conference.

Elder Lorenzo S. Huish is appointed to labor in the Leeds Conference.

Elder John Biggs is appointed to labor in the London Conference.

Elder John Quigley is appointed to labor in the Manchester Conference.

Elder Robert Cunningham is appointed to labor in the Glasgow Conference.—*Millennial Star*, August 2.

**Sudden Death.**—Last evening, at 9 o'clock, Dennis Hanley, who has been employed at the Salt Lake City glass works, as a glass blower, died suddenly at Mrs. Neil's boarding house in the 19th Ward. He has been in a delicate state of health for some time, and has been unable to keep at work for more than an hour without resting. He was aged 39 years and 3 months, and was a member of the Glass Blowers' Association. He had a sister and other relatives in San Francisco, from which place he came about three weeks ago. The news of his death was telegraphed to the Glass Blowers' Association to-day.

**A. S. Patterson Dead.**—A dispatch received in this city yesterday from Mrs. Patterson, at San Francisco, announced the death, at that place, of her husband, Adam S. Patterson. The immediate cause of his demise, which took place about 9 a. m., was not stated. On hearing the news, Hon. John Sharp telegraphed to have the body placed in a metallic casket and sent to this city. It will probably leave San Francisco this afternoon and arrive here on Wednesday. Word was sent to Mr. Hans O. Young and wife, Mr. Patterson's parents, and they came down from Soda Springs to-day.

The deceased was a native of Salt Lake City, and was about 33 years of age. He was for a number of years official stenographer of the Third District Court, and had been admitted to the bar as an attorney. He was a very efficient court reporter, his work giving invariable satisfaction.

**Yesterday's Fire.**—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a barn on the premises of Mrs. Dunford, near the corner of South Temple and Sixth East streets, was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was given and the fire department were soon at the place. The barn was enveloped in flames before a stream of water could be got on, and was burned to the ground. Mrs. Dunford's house narrowly escaped destruction, the roof having caught from the burning building, which was about 30 feet distant. The loss, as far as can be ascertained, is about \$300.

A horse, worth about \$200, the property of Mr. Adam S. Patterson, who occupied the premises, was in the barn when the fire started, and was badly scorched. Whether it will have to be killed or not is not known. The family was absent. The origin of the fire is supposed to be a match thrown into the straw by two boys who were smoking in the barn.

**Obsequies.**—The funeral of Elder Oliver L. Robinson, at Farmington, was largely attended on Sunday. An immense congregation assembled at the meeting house, friends being present from all parts of Davis County and also from Salt Lake and Ogden. Addresses were delivered by Presidents W. R. Smith and John W. Hess, Bishop Sechrist, Elder Jas. T. Smith and others. The services were very impressive. The cortege was one of the longest ever seen in the county, and expressions of regret at the demise of Brother Robinson were universal. He was respected by all who knew him, and leaves a large family who are plunged into the deepest sorrow. He was one of the most useful men in Farmington; in the choir, the Sunday school, the societies; as a Teacher, an administrator to the sick and an active, reliable public man, honorable citizen and faithful Latter-day Saint. He has gone to his rest with the just and his memory will be sacred.

**Row with a Chinaman.**—Yesterday, at the request of a celestial known as Sun Wau, officers Smith arrested a young man named Greenwald, son of the proprietress of the St. James Hotel, on a charge of battery. To-day the Mongolian, whose face was badly disfigured from the beating he had received, appeared before Commissioner McKay and made complaint, charging Greenwald and his parents with having assaulted and robbed him. According to the Chinaman's story, he went to the hotel yesterday with some clothes he had been washing. He met Mrs. Greenwald, who refused to pay him. After some disputing she agreed to take part of the clothes and pay a portion of the bill, the rest to be settled for to-day. At this juncture Mrs. Greenwald's husband and son appeared on the scene, and

the result was that the son assaulted and beat the Chinaman, who was alone. He also alleges that he was robbed of \$30. The Greenwalds will have an opportunity of representing their side of the affair before the Commissioner.

**Police Court Items.**—The four female vagrants who were tried in the police court on Saturday afternoon were each sentenced to 75 days' imprisonment in the county jail.

To-day Dan Jones, Michael Drew, Steve Labrun and Dan Brown were each fined \$5 for drunkenness. Drew was fined \$5 for a similar offense on Saturday, and is now under arrest for burglarizing a house near the D. & R. G. W. depot. A quantity of the goods stolen—including a number of quilts—has been recovered. Drew claims that they are his own property, and will have an opportunity to prove his title before Justice Pyper.

D. W. Sloan, for drunkenness and profanity, was fined \$7.50.

George Teasdale, an "opium fiend," forfeited \$5, which he left as security to answer to the charge of drunkenness.

Samuel Stringfellow got drunk and indulged in gross profanity on Sunday morning. He was released on payment of \$7.50.

Ed. Pitts, who battered an attorney—F. Kesler—on East Temple Street on Saturday evening, pleaded guilty and was fined \$16.50. The row grew out of the suit of E. Pitts vs. A. Lewis, Kesler having been attorney for the defendant, who gained the suit.

Harry Thompson and Abe Menkin got into a fight on Saturday evening, and paid \$12.50 each for the offense to-day.

The trial of Mark and Samuel Tobias, on a charge of larceny was proceeded with before a jury.

## BREAK FOR LIBERTY.

FIVE PENITENTIARY PRISONERS OVERPOWER A GUARD—TWO OF THEM SHOT.

This morning five of the prisoners under sentence of imprisonment in the penitentiary made a desperate attempt at escape, and succeeded in getting away from the guard who had charge of them. The men—John Watrin, Ernest Williamson, J. Cleveland, John A. Flowers and George Davis—were sent out to grubstake in the field. A new guard named Myrtle was in charge of them, and was warned not to get too close, lest he should be overpowered. Either not fully understanding his danger or from some other cause he allowed the prisoners to approach quite near to him, when, in accordance with an agreement among themselves, they sprang upon and overpowered him. His gun and revolver were soon taken, and the prisoners started off. A lady was driving along the road in a buggy, and the escaping men compelled her to give up the vehicle, in which a couple of them drove away.

The alarm was given and in a short space of time Warden Dow had his guards in full pursuit. The Marshal was telephoned to for assistance, and the deputies in town joined in the search. Some of the prisoners who were in sight were hailed by the guards, but paid no attention and were fired at. Three of them—Watrin, Williamson and Flowers—were soon recaptured. Watrin was dangerously wounded, a bullet having passed through his leg near the knee. He is a desperate character, this being his fourth attempt at escape. If he recovers from his wound he will probably be a cripple for life. One of the others received a flesh wound which is not dangerous. Williamson is under three sentences of one year each for grand larceny, and is a very hard character. Flowers is serving out a sentence for assault with a deadly weapon. Cleveland is in for robbing some C. P. cars at Ogden, and Davis was undergoing punishment for horse-stealing. The two latter started for the mountains, closely followed by the officers.

## BY TELEGRAPH

PER WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH LINE

## AMERICAN.

**GALVESTON, 22.**—The wind freshened on Friday evening and there were apprehensions that the night would be a repetition of the night before, but these wore away as the night advanced. By 10 o'clock the rain had ceased and the clouds had broken away. The families which had been driven from their homes by the rapid floods of the gulf's waters the night before, returned to their water-logged houses and began the work of reparation, while several hundreds of others, whose homes with all their possessions had been swept away, sought a much needed rest after the terrors through which they had passed. The morning broke clear and beautiful. The waters which had inundated one half the eastern and southern portions of the city to a depth of from one to seven feet had subsided except in low places. The beach and adjacent portions of the city for several blocks back from the shore, presented a deplorable

## SCENE OF HAVOC AND DESOLATION

as far as the eye could see. Hundreds of houses large and small had been hurled and twisted into every con-

ceivable shape, while the brick pillars and wooden piling in every direction contiguous to the beach and exposed to the full force of the gale, indicated where the happy homes had stood the night before, but which were swallowed up and destroyed in the awful maelstrom that then prevailed.

All the pleasure resorts along the Gulf are either swept away or ruined. The plaza in front of the Beach Hotel is burrowed by the force of the waves and piled with debris, while all the underwork protecting the foundation of the hotel, with the fresh water tanks and outbuildings, was swept away and deep furrows were cut under the building itself. A menagerie, consisting of a long row of cages on the beach lawn, containing birds and animals, was washed over and broken, and many birds or animals were drowned or killed, while others made their escape. Among the animals that escaped were two Mexican lions, which were on the point of making things lively when they were shot by the night watchman who received a dangerous wound by an accidental shot at his assistant posing through his arm.

**THE HEAVIEST DAMAGE TO PROPERTY** was in the vicinity of the Beach Hotel. The wide area devastated by the water makes an approximate estimate of the amount of damage done somewhat difficult, but it is now estimated by close calculations that it will not fall below five hundred thousand dollars, and may exceed that. The work of righting the buildings has commenced. The street railways are being repaired and travel has been resumed over some of the lines, but many months will elapse before all traces of the storm are effaced. The majority of the sufferers from the flood are of the poorer class of people. Many of them lost all they had and are destitute and discouraged, being dependent upon friends for temporary shelter and relief. Private charity has been active in providing for the relief of the sufferers. Much apprehension existed all day on Friday as to the safety of the Sister's Orphanage five miles down the island on the gulf side, but it was reached yesterday and found to be intact: the only damage being the washing away of the steps of the building. News reached this city yesterday afternoon that the schooner J. W. Pevey, from Brashear City, with a cargo of Cyprus paving blocks,

## FOUNDERED DURING THE GALE,

fifteen miles off the island. Captain Whitmore and a colored cook were drowned. Two sailors clung to some floating timber and were driven ashore eighteen miles down the island. They were nearly dead from exhaustion when found. The body of Willie Brown, 11 years of age, residing in the western portion of the city, who was drowned on Friday at the foot of 33d Street, was recovered at the foot of 49th Street yesterday morning. This makes be

## TENTH VICTIM OF THE STORM.

Railroad communication via the Missouri Pacific was established last night, the first train arriving at 10 o'clock. The Gulf of Colorado and Santa Fe Co. expect to resume traffic on their road this evening. The bark *Nerbert*, which left here for Bremen, was driven back by the force of the gale and is now at her old anchorage at the outer roads. Her rigging was somewhat damaged by the storm, but otherwise she is intact. Messages by hundreds have been pouring into the city all day from relatives and friends of inhabitants here, tendering aid and sympathy.

## THE SITUATION AT CORPUS CHRISTI.

A special to the *Nexs* from Corpus Christi says:

Friday Morning one of the heaviest rainstorms for years struck this city. The wind had commenced blowing very hard from the southeast the evening before, and changed to northwest. Between 5 and 6 o'clock in the morning it blew with terrific force for two hours. Its velocity being estimated at 75 miles an hour. A large number of houses were moved from their foundations. The colored church, and the office of the Arkansas Pass Railroad were completely destroyed. Large trees were uprooted and fences and outbuildings were swept away. It blew very hard yesterday from the southeast. The steamer *J. C. Harris* arrived yesterday noon, two days overdue. She reports

## A TERRIBLE STORM

at Rockport and Harbor Island. All the improvements and grading at Harbor Island were washed away. Several boats were capsized and one large vessel was beached. At Rockport 16 houses were blown off their foundations. About 100 employees of the Arkansas Pass Railway Co. were obliged to leave Harbor Island and seek refuge at Rockport, as the water was six feet deep on the island. Seven men were missing and it is supposed they were drowned owing to the storm.

The amount of damage has not been estimated, but the loss is heavy. Seguin, Texas, 22.—The damage by the storm here is very heavy. The *Record* office was totally destroyed. The new tower of the Episcopal Church was blown down and a large number of public and private buildings were either destroyed or badly damaged. Robert Jefferson, son of Col. Jno. L. Jefferson, was killed in Sutherland Springs, and Garland Smith and Richard Burgess, son of Hon. W. H. Burgess, were badly wounded. They were

camping at the springs and were injured by falling trees. A pauper living with John England, across the river

## DIED OF FRIGHT

during the storm. The cotton plant has been whipped into shreds, but many persons believe that it will take on new growth and develop top. The crop damage has not been estimated, but will be very heavy.

New York, 22.—The following from Mr. Whitelaw Reid, who is summering at Milbrae, Cal., was received to-day:

Milbrae, Cal., Aug. 20.

Wis. Thompson, the Tribune, New York;

Advance the rate of composition to 50 cents per 1,000, commencing to-day. (Signed) WHITE-LAW REID.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., 22.—William J. Kendall, of Boston, to-day swam successfully, in a cork vest, the whirlpool rapids of Niagara River. The trial was to settle a wager of \$10,000, made by Boston parties. He is to receive \$1,000 of the stakes. There were but few spectators of the affair, it having been kept quiet.

Kendall relates the following experience: When he reached the spot where Captain Webb is supposed to have lost his life, the water seemed to go from under him, and a huge wave struck him on the head and shoulders, knocking him unconscious for a few moments. He found his swimming abilities of no use whatever, and

## NEVER EXPECTED TO COME OUT

## ALIVE.

When entering the whirlpool he was so benumbed and partly unconscious that he could not use a limb, and did not know what he was doing. The current took him right into the main eddy and sucked him down like a flash, keeping him under fully 15 seconds. Upon reaching the under current he was shot out of the pool fully 50 feet from its centre.

When he reached the surface of the water he had partly regained consciousness, and knowing there was no time to spare before he would be dashed down the lower rapids he swam to shore. While landing, he was so overcome that he again became unconscious and his assistants were fully half an hour occupied in reviving him, with the aid of stimulants and by rubbing. When asked if he would ever make another trip, he said most emphatically

"NO; THERE IS NOT MONEY ENOUGH IN THE WORLD

to induce me to repeat this afternoon's experience. A child would have the same chance to go through the rapids and come out all right as an expert swimmer."

It took him three minutes to go from the railroad bridge to the whirlpool. Kendall is 24 years of age, six feet two inches in height, weighs 195 pounds, and is well proportioned. He was born in New York, but has spent most of his life in Boston. The cork jacket consisted of 5 pieces of cork 16 inches long, four inches wide and two inches thick, which were sewn in white canvas similar to a life preserver.

CHICAGO, 22.—Safely laid away in Twenty-second Street Station were four machines which are supposed to be dynamite bombs. They were found in the rear of No. 645 East Twenty-fifth Street. The bombs are made of gaspipe, each eight inches long and the ends are plugged with wood. To the end of each is attached a fuse six inches long. A piece of cord was tied to each bomb with a nail fastened to each cord.

The police explain the utility of the cord and nails by saying that the bombs were intended to be used in buildings to which they were fastened. There is no clue to the parties who secreted the bombs.

New York, 23.—On the blackboard in the side starters room of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue horse railroad offices on the Fifteenth Street and 7th Avenue, was posted a notice that on Monday a new time table would go into effect, and requesting the drivers and conductors to be on the lookout for it. The men were watchful. Saturday morning, in the employe room was hung a new schedule that called for six trips on the Battery instead of five, that they have been making. The time table was arranged so that six trips were to be done in the twelve hours allowed by law. To effect this, in many cases the hour for starting on the first trip was set much earlier than before and the time for starting on the last trip set much later. The law takes no account of time between trips. The local assemblymen met on Saturday evening and the new table was discussed. They met after midnight last night in the same hall and at 1:30 this morning decided to tie up the Broadway line at once, and no cars on that road are running this morning. One of the Broadway conductors said, though the new schedule increased the trips from five to six and lengthened out the day greatly, it did not raise the men's pay.

New York, 23.—The yacht race to-day is 20 miles to windward over the outside course of the New York yacht club. The start is to be from Sandy Hook lightship. The sea is comparatively smooth, there being only the customary swell due to a northeasterly wind.

Highlands, 23.—The yachts started at 12:21. They crossed the line as follows: *Puritan*, *Atlantic*, *Priscilla* and *Mayflower*.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY, AUG. 23.

**Killed at Ogden.**—This morning a man named John Williams was killed in the Central Pacific yard at Ogden, by being run over by a car. His body was badly mangled, one arm being cut off.