

J. H. DEAN'S CASE.

THE PROSECUTION SURPRISED BY THE APPEARANCE OF FLORENCE RIDGES DEAN.

Last evening's Ogden Herald has the following concerning the case of the United States vs. Joseph H. Dean, of this city, on trial for polygamy, and called in the First District Court yesterday:

In the case of the United States vs. Joseph H. Dean, polygamy, Mr. Hiles stated that the government is compelled to ask a continuance, on the ground of absence of material witnesses, Florence Ridges and John C. Young.

Mr. Hiles read an affidavit that it was expected that the government would prove by the witness Florence Ridges that the offense of polygamy had been committed. The testimony to be given by John C. Young, affiant is not acquainted with, but is informed by W. H. Dickinson that he is a necessary witness. The affidavit further set forth that a warrant for the arrest of Florence Ridges has been in the hands of the officers for some time but her arrest has not been effected. John C. Young is out of the jurisdiction of this court now, but it is understood that his attendance could be secured for the next term.

Mr. F. S. Richards, counsel for the defendant, opposed the motion for continuance and created somewhat of a sensation by stating that if a warrant for the attendance of Florence Ridges were issued, undoubtedly her attendance could quickly be secured. She could be brought in, in a few minutes.

Court—In a few minutes?
Mr. Richards—Yes, sir, she is in town here.

Court—What! here in Ogden?

Mr. Richards replied in the affirmative and stated that if a warrant was issued the necessary information as to her whereabouts would be given. In regard to the testimony to be given by John C. Young, Mr. Richards had a certified transcript of the testimony given by this witness in the unlawful cohabitation case. This can be introduced and admitted unless the prosecution expects to prove something besides what appears there.

Mr. Hiles consented to this and with the understanding that Florence Ridges would be in court arrangements were made to try the case.

The names of the other witnesses were called. All were present with the exception of Agatha R. Wood, who resides at Woods Cross. In consequence of her absence, Mr. Hiles said he would still be compelled to ask for a continuance, as the lady is an important witness.

Mr. Richards again objected and offered to admit what the lady could testify to, if it is expected to prove only what she testified to in the unlawful cohabitation case.

Mr. Hiles said he must have the witness here and hence another hitch occurred and finally the case went over till to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Wood will be subpoenaed in the meantime and the defense promised to have Florence Ridges in attendance on the court for trial.

Mr. Richards remarked that the matter of continued postponement was a great inconvenience to his client. Mrs. Woods lives at Woods Cross and Florence Ridges to Mr. Richards' certain knowledge had been on the streets of Salt Lake City openly for some time past.

The Court remarked that the matter of subpoenaing other witnesses had probably been delayed, owing to the officers not having found Florence Ridges. The case was then postponed till to-morrow.

The case was not called again up to 10 p. m. to-day, as the Hunsaker case, for alleged resistance of officers, had occupied the time of the court up to that hour.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK.

PIMA, Graham Co., A. T.,
March 3d, 1887.

Editor Deseret News:

I write to inform you that about 3 p. m. to-day this section of country was visited with a severe shock of earthquake which lasted for three and a half or four minutes, doing some little damage in the way of wrecking chimneys, breaking glass and china-ware, etc. As near as I can learn it followed along the Gila Valley. Immediately after the shock Mount Graham looked as though it was considerably shaken up, as the dust was rising from the mountain like a heavy fog or smoke.

We have had a very dry spring, but have plenty of water for irrigation and crops look very well at present.

Your valuable paper finds its way here among the people and I can truly say it is a very welcome visitor.

GILA.

Earthquake Shock.

ZENOS, Maricopa Co., Arizona,
Wednesday, May 3d, 1887.

Editor Deseret News:

A slight earthquake shock here this afternoon. The vibration was from north to south.

The Second Company.—The second company of this year's emigration will leave Liverpool on Saturday, May 21st, for S. S. Nevada, of the Gila Line.—*Millennial Star*, April 25.

NOTES FROM ST. DAVID.

DAMAGE BY EARTHQUAKE—TRYING FOR ARTESIAN WATER.

Brother Peter A. Lofgreen, writing from St. David, Cochise County, Arizona, under date of May 5th, says:

The earthquake which took place on the 3d inst. in this locality, and of which you have learned by telegraph, was first felt at this place at 2:45 p. m., and lasted between two and three minutes. First the waves appeared to come from west to east, and after that from north to south.

The damage to buildings at this place and vicinity is considerable. Our commodious schoolhouse was demolished; the west end fell out. All the adobe houses in the place were cracked and rendered unsafe to live in.

We have had slight shocks at intervals ever since. The first night seven distinct shocks were felt. Yesterday and last night five more came, some of them quite heavy.

I have just returned from a visit to a clay flat two miles below St. David, on the San Pedro river, where I saw the earth all cracked open, and through the crevices water and white sand had been thrown up. We could see that large quantities of water had come out of the openings, and the earth appeared to have raised about six inches on each side.

The earthquake caused quite a scare among the people, but fortunately no one was injured. The school was in session, but it happened to be recess, and all the children were outside of the house.

Nearly all the people sleep outdoors at night now for fear the houses will fall.

The schoolhouse was also used as a meeting-house, and its demolition is quite a blow to us, as we have now no place to meet in on the Sabbath day and no place to hold day school.

Our crops look splendid, and there is good promise of an abundant harvest. Late frosts have injured our early peaches; strawberries have been ripe for over a week, and a great deal of the grain is headed out.

The health of the people is good. All the Associations are in running order and doing much good.

Our Ward is presided over by Bishop M. H. Merrill. His Counselors are P. A. Lofgreen and Jos. G. Allred. We have about forty families belonging to the Ward.

We have some 500 or 600 acres of land under cultivation. We have plenty more land, but water is scarce.

We are now trying to sink for artesian water. If we succeed in obtaining it, this will be a desirable country to live in, as it can then sustain a great number of people, for land is plenty, and we have the best of markets for all our produce. Eggs sell for 30 to 50 cents; butter 35 to 50 cents; grain averages \$200 per 100 pounds; beef at present is cheap.

We have a durable climate, and those who suffer from rheumatism would profit by coming here. There are a few places for sale cheap on account of some moving into Mexico. Those having a little means would do well at this place.

Another slight shock of earthquake has just occurred (5 p. m.). The weather is quite warm.

Utah County Association.—The Utah County Stock Growers' Association met in Booth & Brown's office at Provo, on Monday last. There was a fair attendance, and the discussion was quite spirited. Among the subjects brought up for discussion were the holding of a county fair, the establishment of fair grounds, and the appointment of a board of directors for the transaction of business; the propriety of publishing a farm and stock journal, brand sheets, etc. A committee was appointed to confer with the Territorial committee, with a view to ascertaining their ideas on the subject of establishing the paper mentioned.

The president, Andrew J. Stewart, was appointed a committee of one to call upon the railroad superintendents in the interest of county and territorial fairs, and of the association generally, and to ascertain if special rates could be obtained to certain points in Utah County, and also ask for the erection of cattle chutes at Provo and elsewhere.

The members were unanimous in their views as to the benefits of fairs, in their tendency to encourage an improvement in stock, farm products, fruits and flowers, as well as the latest improved machinery.

The president was instructed to call together the executive committee as soon as convenient—after he gets the information necessary to complete further arrangements as to the county fair.

There is an increasing interest manifested throughout the Territory on the subject of improved stock, and Utah County's stock growers have done much to encourage and strengthen this feeling.

A. J. STEWART.

The Verdict.—The following is the verdict of the jury impaneled by a justice of the peace, to determine the cause of Mrs. Anna Steinstrom's death, an account of whose injuries, by the Sanpete Valley Railway recently appeared in the News:

TERRITORY OF UTAH,
Moroni Precinct,
County of Sanpete.

An inquisition of Moroni City, Moroni Precinct, Sanpete County, on

the 5th day of May, 1887, before the Justice of the Peace in Moroni Precinct, in said county, upon the body of Anna Steinstrom, there lying dead, by the jurors whose names are hereby subscribed. The said jurors upon their oaths do say that Anna M. Steinstrom came to her death accidentally, caused by a fall by being pushed over by a locomotive on the Sanpete Valley Ry. No blame attached to anyone. Her age being 76 years.

In testimony whereof we, the said persons, hereunto set our hand, the day and year aforesaid.

A. L. JENSEN,
GEO. P. SIMPSON,
GEO. H. BRADLEY.

Attested the 5th day of May A. D. 1887.

HENRY M. LARTER,
Justice of the Peace.
Moroni Precinct, Sanpete Co., Utah.

CURRENT COMMENT.

A company is being organized in Los Angeles Cal., to build a tube from that city to Pasadena, through which parcels and packages will be forced by pneumatic power.

A mitrailleuse is about to be tried in the Austrian army which weighs forty-eight kilos and can be carried on a man's back, and which will fire 1,000 bullets in a minute and a half. As a defensive weapon it is thought to be without a rival.

It is said that when Jay Gould asked for a map in a Kansas city book store, the merchant apologized that the only one he had left was eight days old, and therefore not very reliable.

After taking a long, lingering look at the boom there, he remarked: "A boom is a very sound condition of things so long as it continues to boom."

At New Westminster, near Victoria, B. C., on the 6th, J. E. Murne, a Semiahmoo logger, was murdered on the railway wharf by William Shearer. There had been a long-standing dispute between the two. Shearer, who was discharging lumber from a scow, walked deliberately to where Murne was standing and without uttering a word stabbed him repeatedly. Murne attempted to get away, when the murderer caught him by the collar and held him until he accomplished his purpose. He then threw his knife into the river, and gave himself up. Murne died in a few minutes. On examination 11 wounds were found on his person.

The New York World says: Queen Victoria has provoked universal grumbling in Great Britain by fixing upon June 21st as the Jubilee holiday, instead of allowing it to be celebrated on the day before, namely, the 20th instant, which is the anniversary of her accession. The reason which has induced her to make this unpopular change is that she dislikes London and simply abhors Buckingham Palace, where she always suffers from bad headaches. If the celebration were to take place on Monday she would have to go to town from Windsor on Saturday night and be compelled to spend three nights in Buckingham Palace. By postponing the festivities until Tuesday she is only obliged to go to London on Monday night and is free to leave on Wednesday morning. Had she shown more consideration for the general public the latter would have been able to enjoy an uninterrupted three days' holiday, viz., Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

The Springfield Republican, (Mass.) says: "Our news columns occasionally reflect in a startling way on the decline of certain towns in Massachusetts, and their tendency backward. When an old farmer's widow and a mother, who has a farm worth \$1,000, has to go to the poorhouse, as in Prescott, and is there fastened to a ball and chain by the leg to overcome her repugnance to the disgrace, the Massachusetts countryside has drifted a long way from what it once was as the nursery of hardy yeomanry, and the soil of the best stock of the American people. When the fleeing population of Franklin County is supplanted by the most ignorant imported labor, in order that dense ignorance of the language may reduce the laborer to the helplessness of the brute, it would seem as though civilization had got to begin all over again, right here in the Connecticut valley. These are dreadful and humiliating lights upon the underlying social status."

C. P. Blatt is astonishing New York audiences by catching a twenty-five pound ball fired from a cannon with a six-inch bore, standing twenty-five feet from the muzzle. At his first exhibition the force of the shock, when the ball struck him, spun him round like a top, and his foot catching in an obstruction, sent him and the ball to grass. At the second trial he caught the ball squarely in both hands, but the velocity of the missile sent him spinning twenty feet and hung up against a wall. By adding a little more powder one of these cannons might be utilized as a pitcher in a baseball team.

BIRTHS.

BROWN—May 6th, 6:55 a. m., to the wife of Imri H. Brown, of the Ninth Ward, a daughter.

DEATHS.

STANWORTH.—At Grafton, Washington County, Utah, October 20th, 1886, of Bright's disease, Samuel Stanworth; aged 51 years, 7 months and 13 days. Deceased was born in Burnly, England, and left a wife and six children. He lived and died in full faith of the Gospel.

Also at same place, May 2d, 1887, John N., son of Samuel and Nancy N. Stanworth, aged 19 years, 1 month and 12 days.

MILLER.—At Provo, Utah County, of acute pneumonia, John M. Jackson, aged 53 years and 4 months.

He leaves a wife and seven children and a large circle of friends to mourn his death. He emigrated from England in 1842, and lived and died a faithful Latter-day Saint.

Millennial Star, please copy.

ATWOOD.—At 8:30 o'clock, Tuesday night, at his residence in the Twelfth Ward, Miner G. Atwood.

HAFEN.—In Payson City, Utah County, April 9th, 1887, of asthma, Father John Hafen, aged 72 years, 2 months and 11 days.

Brother Hafen embraced the Gospel in 1859, at his birthplace, Scherzingen, Canton Thurgau, Switzerland; emigrated to Utah in 1862. His honest and industrious character won the respect and esteem of all who made his acquaintance. Shortly before his demise he bore a faithful testimony to the truth and divinity of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. He held the office of a High Priest in the latter period of his life. His wife and the remaining two of eight children are called to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and father.

Der Stern please copy.

IRVINE.—At 9:30 a. m. May 11, in the Sixth Ward, Sister Agnes Irvine. Deceased was born May 23, 1819, at Berry Hill, Kengear, Airdrie, Scotland. She was baptized in 1844 and gathered to Utah with a sick husband in 1855. In the fall of the same year he died, leaving a family of 7 children, all of whom, save one, survive to mourn the loss of a good mother, a true friend, and a devoted Latter-day Saint.

The "Exposition Universelle de l'art Culinaire" awarded the highest honors to Angostura Bitters as the most efficacious stimulant to excite the appetite and to keep the digestive organs in good order. Ask for the genuine article, manufactured by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons, and beware of imitations.

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THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

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L. M. HINTON, M. D.,
Washington, Ark.

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Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allayed the extreme soreness in his breast. His children were similarly affected and a single dose had the same happy effect. Dr. King's New Discovery is now the standard remedy in the Coleman household and on board the schooner.

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BROWN'S SASSAPARILLA, all diseases of the Blood, Liver, and Kidneys. Use only the Real Medicine.

Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having removed completely all disease and pain."

Try a bottle, only 50c. at Z. C. M. I. Drug Store.

STRAYED.

A THREE YEAR OLD DARK BAY MARE, branded C on left shoulder; left home Sunday, May 1st, 1887. Any information will be thankfully received and properly rewarded.

JOHN W. TAYLOR,
19th Ward, City.

STRAYED.

FROM A PASTURE SOUTH OF THIS city a month ago, a red and white spotted three year old COW; a large heart-shaped white spot in face; near cutting when lost. Any person returning the same or giving information that will lead to her recovery to the undersigned will be suitably rewarded.

ELIAS MORRIS,
15th Ward.

FORFEITURE NOTICE.

TO J. K. SMEDLEY and J. R. WARREN.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT you are indebted in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars each, for money expended and labor performed upon the Vulcan Mine, in Rush Valley District, Tooele County, Utah, from January 1st, 1872, to December 31st, 1886, said indebtedness being your just and proper proportion of an assessment duly incurred by reason of expenditures and outlay necessary to the proper working and development of said Vulcan Mine, in which you are part owners. This is therefore to notify you, that unless your assessment of Three Hundred Dollars each, be paid on or before the tenth day of July, 1887, to the undersigned, your interest in said mine will be forfeited, and become my property, as provided by law.

CHARLES AUER,
Salt Lake City, Utah, April 8th, 1887.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah.

In the matter of the Estate of Theophilus Williams, deceased.

Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made.

JOHN P. LSAAC, THE ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of Theophilus Williams, deceased, having filed his petition herein duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said decedent, appear before the said Probate Court on Saturday, the 14th day of May, 1887, at 11 a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Probate Court at the County Court House, in said City and County of Salt Lake, Utah Territory, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administrator, to sell so much of the real estate of the said decedent at private sale as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DESERT WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and published in said City and County.

Dated April 9th, 1887.
ELIAS A. SMITH,
Probate Judge.

[SEAL]

Territory of Utah,
County of Salt Lake.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an "Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made," in the matter of the Estate of Theophilus Williams, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, this ninth day of April, A. D. 1887.

JOHN C. CUTLER,
Probate Clerk.

By H. S. CUTLER,
Deputy.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward E. Brain, Deceased.

Order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and to hear petition for distribution.

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of C. J. Brain, administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of Edward E. Brain, deceased, setting forth that he has filed his final account of his administration upon said estate in this Court; that all the debts have been fully paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said decedent, and praying among other things for an order allowing said final account and of distribution of the residue of said estate among the persons entitled.

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of the said Edward E. Brain, deceased, be and appear before the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, on the 4th day of June, 1887, at 11 o'clock a. m., then and there to show cause why an order allowing said final account and of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate among the heirs and devisees of the said Edward E. Brain, deceased, according to law.

It is further ordered that the clerk cause copies of this order to be posted in three public places in Salt Lake County and published in the DESERT WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in Salt Lake County, three weeks successively prior to the said 4th day of June, 1887.

ELIAS A. SMITH,
Probate Judge.

Dated May 2d, 1887.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,
County of Salt Lake.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and for distribution in the matter of the estate of Edward E. Brain, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 2d day of May, A. D. 1887.

JOHN C. CUTLER,
Probate Clerk.