

SEVEN.—Seven fellows, from Bingham, called at the City Hall this morning and asked for the opportunity of seeing the two men who were in jail charged with complicity in the recent outrage. They were a hard looking set, those seven, and it has been hinted that they are of the same "feather" as the two that are caged. They were directed to the Court House.

MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH.

GRANITE CITY, Elders G. G. Bywater and D. Candland.
DRAPEVILLE, Elders J. P. Foose and C. R. Savage.
WEST JORDAN, Elders D. McKenzie and J. H. Smith.
BIG COTTONWOOD, Elders S. A. Woolley and G. Teasdale.

PREPARING FOR WINTER.—Considerable is being said just now about the necessity of preparing for winter. Among these who are taking "time by the forelock" is our worthy coroner for the county, who has had several hundred corner's blanks struck off. He evidently anticipates having a large number of "sittings" during the winter months. Nothing like preparing for winter.

WHY?—One of our paper carriers is very anxious to know what that street lamp is placed at Mr. James Jack's corner, 12th Ward, for. He is of opinion that it must be merely for ornament, still, being a bit of a philosopher, he thinks such things are a little too expensive for mere ornaments. The reason for his inclining to believe they are, however, is that that same lamp is never lighted. There are probably others who take a similar view to that of the carrier.

THAT COAL MINE.—The Jarman coal mine, near Butcherville, is said to give stronger indications of coal than ever. The latest strata reached is of a "coaly" substance; so much so that it can be burned, and which, at high temperature, emits an illuminating gas. Below this stratum is the light-colored sandstone generally found over coal deposits, and those interested feel so encouraged with the prospect that a project has been set afoot to organize a company and incorporate, and to procure necessary machinery to further prosecute and develop the discovery. Experienced coal miners now say that the indications are splendid.

EMIGRANTS ARRIVED.—The last company of this season's emigration reached this city by the regular Utah Central train at 11 o'clock to-day. This company, which was in charge of Elder John I. Hart, numbered, when it left Liverpool, on the 22nd of October, in the S.S. Idaho, 531 souls. The voyage across the ocean was pleasant and prosperous, there being no sickness, except that which is usual to people unaccustomed to travel by sea, neither were there any accidents. No storms were encountered, the only obstacle in the way of a speedy trip being the head winds, which prevailed most of the time. The time occupied in crossing the Atlantic was twelve and a half days.

At New York one of the passengers, named Emily Mills, from Norwich, was accidentally struck on the head with a box, the injury resulting from this misfortune being so severe as to cause her to become insane, and she had to be left behind in consequence.

A few were added to the company at New York, bringing the number up to 547 souls. No accident occurred on the railroad, the overland part of the journey being equally as prosperous as that over the ocean.

Elder Albert Carrington, late President of the European mission, traveled with the company as far as New York.

Elders W. K. Barton and John Neff, returning missionaries, gave valuable assistance to Elder Hart in the management of the company.

Bishop Edward Hunter and his counselors met the company at the depot this forenoon for the purpose of seeing to the welfare of the people. Those who had no friends to take them to comfortable homes were taken to the new building in the Tithing Office yard, where they will have good quarters for the time being.

Elder John I. Hart is president of the West Weber District, Weber County. He informs us that he left here to go on his mission to England, October 22nd, 1872, one year, exactly from the time he left Liverpool to return home. During his stay there he presided over the Nottingham Conference, and

was assisted in his labors the first part of the time by Elder John Mendenhall, and latterly by Elder Arthur Bruce Taylor, the latter being left in charge of the Conference for the time being, since Elder Hart left. Of both these young men Elder Hart speaks in most commendatory terms.

One hundred and seventy-three persons have emigrated from the Nottingham Conference during the past season and one hundred and twenty-one were baptized during the year.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY NOV. 15.

Probate Court.—The Probate Court for Salt Lake County met this morning, Judge Elias Smith presiding. Several cases were called and, the witnesses not being on hand, Court adjourned till Tuesday morning.

Information Wanted of George Fiedrick Morrin, who, when last heard from, a year ago, resided in Clover Valley, south. His mother has just arrived from England, and she would be glad to find him. Address Mrs. Mary Green, 14th Ward, Salt Lake City.

Utah Southern.—From Mr. O. F. Lyons, of the Provo Times, who arrived from there yesterday, we learn that the Utah Southern is now completed to within a mile and a half of the Provo depot, and that it is anticipated the balance of the distance will be finished within a few days.

Prof. Griffith's Entertainment.—The entertainment of Prof. Griffith, at the "Institute," last evening, was of the most amusing and entertaining character. The building was well filled, and the speaker's illustrations of incapable speakers were so irresistibly comic that they frequently brought down the house.

Ingenious.—We have seen a very ingenious piece of work from the hands of a man named John Lewis, a prisoner in the city jail. It consists of a ship, complete in every part, excepting the sails, which have yet to be placed on it. It is neatly and cleverly made, and Mr. Lewis, we are informed, used no other tool than a jack knife. We understand he is an old sailor.

Got In.—One of the passengers with the last emigrant company was Elder Geo. C. Ferguson, late of London, of whose safe arrival, with his family, his many friends will be pleased to hear. Elder Ferguson was employed for many years by the London firm of Benson & Sons, watchmakers. He was an active laborer for the cause of the gospel, and presided over several branches, at various times, in the London Conference.

Pioche.—The Pioche Record of November 11th, says, "Tenny the Headmaker," accused of garrotting and robbing Andrew Young, was discharged, the testimony not warranting the holding of the prisoner. "The robbery, if any was committed, was no doubt perpetrated by one of the 'strap game operators,' who have of late been victimizing Mormon teamsters, and have no doubt, ere this, left the town. Mr. Young, the plaintiff in the above case, mourns the loss of his chronometer."

Fish.—The Superintendent of the fish farm near Big Canyon Creek, has about 600 trout, upwards of three inches in length, in one pond. They are about fifteen months old. He has also several other ponds containing fish and eggs in various stages of development. Among others we noticed between 30,000 and 40,000 salmon, each of which was about an inch in length. We prefer them of a larger growth. There were half a dozen ducks around, who doubtless revel in a fish diet. There is an abundance of food for the fish, in the shape of diminutive crawfish, clinging to the moss in the bottom of the pond.

Stealing Bullion.—Yesterday Mr. Sewell, of the Mountain Chief Smelting Works, at Sandy, arrived in this city with a man named Jeremiah Deady, charged with stealing from those works fifty bars of bullion, valued at \$17 each. Deady was placed in jail, and while here Mr. Sewell made affidavit against one William Leahy, for being implicated in the same robbery.

Officers B. Y. Hampton and Alex. Burt accompanied Mr. Sewell to Sandy yesterday, and returned

to the city, bringing Leahy with them, last night. It appears that after stealing the bullion the two prisoners cached it in the ground. It is also alleged that they stole a span of horses valued at \$150.

A Senseless Trick.—To-day some lads, "on mischief bent," tied to the tail of a horse, belonging to Mr. Alexander Beard, an empty five-gallon oil can. As may be imagined, the animal was frightened by the noise of the rattling of the tin on the ground, and the sound increasing with the increased speed of the horse the latter finally went off at a tremendous rate. It started from a point above the American Hotel and eventually struck the State road, when a lady afflicted with rheumatism was passing along. Being lame, she was unable to get out of the way of the animal, by which she was knocked down and severely injured. The unfortunate lady was either going to or from her physician's office when the accident occurred.

We understand that Mr. Beard knows the lads who were the cause of the disaster. At last accounts that gentleman was pursuing his runaway horse and had not captured it. This was a very reprehensible trick on the part of the boys.

Farming and Smelting Interests.—This was the title of a sensible communication from the pen of a well known citizen, and published in the News of Thursday. It is a subject that must be of vital interest to many people, and, with the writer of that communication, we are of opinion, in view of existing facts, that some action should be taken in the premises. We hear of many people who are losing their cattle by means of the poisoning of vegetation by the mineral substances emitted from the smelters. If parties will take the trouble to send us information with regard to the effects of the poison upon animals and a few statistics of the destruction of cattle from this cause, we are ready to publish such information in the News.

We understand that a Mr. Williams, connected with the Chicago Smelting works, has patented an apparatus by which a large portion of the more poisonous ingredients of the fumes emitted from the smelter are deposited in a receptacle provided for the purpose. This may only be a partial alleviation of the evil, but "half a loaf is better than none." What is wanted, however, is a means of managing the mineral and agricultural interests in such a way that the one will not prove damaging to the other, for, with the writer of the letter, we hold that both interests are necessary to the development and progress of the growing Territory? If the matter cannot be arranged otherwise, there should be a line of demarcation drawn between the mining and farming localities.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY, NOV. 17.

Planked.—Squires & Sons, barbers, have planked the entire alley way running along the south side of their premises.

Departure.—This morning Hon. George Q. Cannon, delegate elect to Congress from Utah, left for Washington, D. C. He carries with him the hearty good wishes of his constituents.

Repeated.—By request Prof. Karl G. Maeser repeated his lecture on "Modern Science and Revelation," at the 20th Ward school house, last night. He was listened to with the closest attention.

From San Francisco.—James Linforth, Esq., is in town, being on his way from the east to San Francisco. His many friends in this quarter will be pleased to learn this and that he is well and hearty.

Runaway.—Shortly before eleven o'clock yesterday the horses attached to one of the street cars took fright near the Valley House and ran at a tremendous pace clear to the railroad depot. The car was badly smashed, but luckily nobody was hurt excepting the conductor, who got away with a few scratches and bruises.

Returned Missionary.—On Saturday we were called upon by Elder John Neff, of Big Cottonwood ward, who returned from a mission to England with the Idaho company of emigrants. He left this city May 1st, 1872, and from the time of his arrival in England un-

til his departure therefrom, on October 22nd, he labored as president of the Liverpool Conference. He had much pleasure in his labors, although his health, at times, was not very good, on account of the moistness of the climate of England, which affected his lungs somewhat.

A Sensible Horse.—This morning a gentleman saw a riderless horse, with a side saddle on, trotting leisurely down Second West Street. Thinking that probably the animal had thrown his rider and was running away he approached him. The animal stopped as he did so, evidently waiting to see what the gentleman wanted of him. Some children passing along to school called out to the gentleman that it was all right, that the horse had just taken a little girl to school, as was his custom every morning, and was then on his way home.

A very sagacious animal indeed.

Improvements.—The improvements commenced on the front of the Theatre are progressing. They will very much enhance the appearance of the building when finished. The space from the top of the entrance steps to the front entrances is being neatly enclosed, forming two corridors, one on the ground floor and another above. In the lower part it is designed to put up suitable doors and to place windows in the upper division. It is also intended, before long, to run a portico along the front, which will project from the building as far as the brick bases at each side of the steps.

Choir Concert.—As has been previously announced in the News the contemplated Tabernacle Choir Concert will come off on Monday, November 24th, in the Old Tabernacle. The concert is being got up for the benefit of the choir, not with a view to any financial benefit to be derived from it, but more to bring the members together in a new capacity, which will have a tendency not only to make them more proficient in the exercise of the "divine art," but will probably encourage them to continue to use their time and talent for the public service. A musical treat may be expected, Prof. Careless and his assistants being fully competent to render a musical festival a success, so far as the character of the exercises are concerned, and there will doubtless be a very full attendance of the music-loving public.

Where is Berg?—It would be a good thing if a second Berg should make his appearance here, and then go after those fellows who are exhibiting what they call the "headless rooster," which is neither more nor less than a fowl with the face chopped from it, leaving the brain intact. There are many ways and means to raise the wind, but this is the latest dodge in that line. It almost beats Barnum. In fact it would be an insult to that gentleman to associate his name with such a cruel, inhuman exhibition. Cannot the police authorities interfere and put a stop to such a thing as that?

Land Sharks.—A large number of people have been running themselves against financial snags in this City and Territory by borrowing money and giving mortgages and deeds on their property as security therefor. There may be times when it is advisable to borrow money and give security in real estate, or, in other words, for people to mortgage their homes, but such cases must be few and far between. In many instances people do this without considering the consequences, they do not appear to realize that they are in a measure bartering away their independence and placing themselves in the power of others. Instances have occurred in this city where people have borrowed money in this way to use it for special purposes, who have been unable to pay even the interest of the borrowed sum, not to speak of the principal, the interest compounding monthly and running up in a short time to a very large figure, the outcome of the whole being easy to foresee.

Whether people are aware of the fact or not, we have it on the most reliable authority that there are "land sharks" around ready to lead out money on real estate security, provided the borrower gives a mortgage with a proviso attached to the effect that if the principal and interest of the amount loaned be not refunded by the time specified, the real estate in question will pass into the hands

of the party loaning the money, without the mortgage having to be foreclosed in any court. And thus do unthinking, ignorant people, virtually sign away the proprietorship of their homes, provided they are unable to meet promptly the payment of the amount borrowed. Those loaning out money in this way, that is, requiring a proviso of this kind attached to the mortgage, are evidently after the real estate and not merely after good security for the means they invest with a view to their receiving interest thereon and the principal when due, or when the borrower can pay it within a reasonable time.

There is still another class of money lenders who will not let their money out on a mortgage, but who require the borrowing party to give them a deed to the property given as security, with the understanding that if the borrower should not pay the principal and interest on a specified day the deed is retained, having been previously recorded, and the property, without any trouble, passes into the hands of the money lender. We have definite information with regard to one or two parties who have taken this course, with a view to becoming rich in real estate at the expense of their less shrewd and less cunning fellow-men. Such men are dishonest in their very natures and are unworthy the confidence of anybody.

Beware of the "land sharks."

WESTERN NOTES.

Coal cobbles are found on the American river banks, between Sacramento and Folsom.

About the best saddles in the world are now made in Los Angeles. Mexican fashion.—Ex.

Mining in California and Western Nevada appears to be in a very flourishing state.

Miss Cathcart, as the "Woman in Red," is doing big business at Virginia, Nev.

John Piper, of Piper's Opera house, Virginia, Nev., has leased the Sacramento theatre for three months.

The San Jose Patriot thinks \$5,000 would not be any too great a reward for the head of Vasques, the robber.

At Marysville, Cal., Nov. 6, Isaiah and Henry Bettz were severely bruised through a barn falling.

The Oregon City Enterprise says: From every section of our country we hear of new settlers coming in.

Colonel John Morse, the prospector, reported killed in the Colorado desert, has returned to San Francisco, well and hearty.

One of the Parvin's patent steam ploughs was tried at Dixon, Solano county, Cal., Nov. 11. The trial was considered satisfactory.

Mrs. R. Hyman, at Hamilton, Cal., slept the sleep of death a few days ago, through taking laudanum by mistake or otherwise.

The Independent says that Stockton, Cal., has a population of 19,000, of which 10,000 are human beings and 9,000 dogs.

Confirmation comes of reports of rich gold fields in the Cassiex county, B. C. The excitement is intense. One party took out \$197 in eight hours by rocking.

An 80 year old resident of Sacramento received a severe blow on the back of his neck in the street, a few evenings since, but he turned on his assailants and they fled.

The Board of Supervisors last night achieved the crowning infamy of its shameful career in the final passage of the order granting twenty acres of Central Basin to a private Corporation (H. Booth and others) for indefinitely defined purposes. The entire press of San Francisco has, in the interests of the people, opposed this subsidy from the inception of the fraud until the very last hour possible to combat it.—S. F. Chronicle, Nov. 11.

Marshal Morris continues to show his malevolence toward the poor Sunrise sailors. His action yesterday in refusing to produce them as witnesses in a civil suit against Captain Clark, until his fees were paid in advance, was indicative of a disposition positively disgraceful to an official in his position. This fellow Morris really seems to be seeking for new and ingenious ways of making himself odious to the community. It is to be hoped that his official career may be speedily terminated.—S. F. Chronicle, Nov. 11.