

Local and Other Matters.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, FEB. 12.

Irrigation.—The present goodly fall of snow is the best Irrigation Act that could be passed. It is beyond the vetoing power.

Buried.—The body of the son of Mr. L. G. Rice, of Farmington, killed near Providence, Cache Co., by a snowslide, a few days since, was brought to the city yesterday and interred in the cemetery.

Jubilee.—On Sunday morning there was a jubilee of the Sunday schools of the 3rd, 8th and 13th wards, held in the Assembly rooms of the Ward last named. The exercises consisted in the pupils of each school, respectively, answering questions upon the faith and doctrines of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints; also singing and reciting. The proceedings were of a most satisfactory character, as showing the care that is being taken and the success attained in bringing up the young in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord."

Superintendent George Goddard and his counselors, Brothers W. Willis and S. L. Evans, delivered brief addresses.

The "News."—We receive numerous evidences from various parts of the world of the high appreciation in which the NEWS is held, as a truth-dealing, straightforward journal, of clearly defined principles. James R. Dibble, Esq., of Michigan, concludes a letter by saying:

"I read five different papers and find more interesting matter in yours than in all the rest."

He also says that he finds, in perusing the columns of the NEWS, that affairs in Utah are vastly different from what they are represented to be by the enemies of the "Mormons."

He arrives at this conclusion after giving due consideration to the statements of parties on both sides.

It is the unanimous declaration of the missionaries of the Church that they always receive the best and fairest treatment and consideration in those localities abroad where the NEWS reaches and is read.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

Following is an abstract of the Municipal Election of yesterday, Feb. 11th:

MUNICIPAL WARDS.					
	1	2	3	4	5 Tot.
FOR MAYOR.					
Feramor Little	642	934	721	467	854 3618
Scattering	1	4	1	2	7
ALDERMEN.					
Adam Spiers	642	936	722	467	849 3616
Henry Dierwoodey	640	933	721	467	852 3613
A. H. Raleigh	635	925	707	463	839 3569
John Sharp	641	925	721	462	851 3600
Alex. C. Pyper	639	927	722	465	843 3601
Scattering	10	1	1	1	12
COUNCILORS.					
W. L. Ball	520	758	640	436	650 3004
John Wayman	118	178	80	29	205 603
Isaac Brockbank	529	766	641	437	658 3031
R. C. Benedict	114	176	78	29	204 599
Elmas Morris	638	928	721	466	856 3594
P. Pugsley	109	171	82	29	193 589
Jas. W. Cummings	641	925	722	468	853 3617
G. F. Culmer	107	165	74	28	193 567
Joseph F. Smith	535	768	646	439	661 3049
George Romey	71	81	59	27	173 411
John Henry Smith	643	932	723	465	849 3611
J. H. Kummel	111	176	78	29	206 600
David O. Calder	531	764	634	431	658 3018
George Reynolds	620	761	611	433	658 3023
E. Armstrong	534	766	649	440	682 3051
T. W. Jennings	36	44	7	7	12 146
Scattering	7	20	11	6	9 53
FOR RECORDER.					
John T. Calne	533	771	654	438	691 3057
Ernest Young	109	168	67	29	198 569
Scattering	1	3	1	1	5
FOR TREASURER.					
Paul A. Schettler	644	934	721	467	855 3621
Scattering	1	1	1	1	1 4
FOR MARSHAL.					
Andrew Burt	535	767	654	439	681 3056
T. Dobson	108	171	68	28	199 572
Scattering	2	1	1	1	3

The total number of votes polled was 3,643.

CITY HALL, Salt Lake City, February 12th, 1878.

To whom it may concern:

We the undersigned citizens of Salt Lake City who were invited by the Mayor to assist in examining and counting the votes cast at the municipal election held on Monday, February 11th, 1878, hereby certify that, after being duly sworn to faithfully perform the duty of canvassing the ballots and making a true and correct return thereof, we examined the ballot boxes as returned from the several polling places and found them all sealed up as required by law.

The ballot boxes were severally opened in our presence, the ballots counted and compared with their respective poll lists and found to

agree therewith, and the result as stated in the annexed abstract is a true and correct return of all the votes cast at said election, for the respective persons therein named.

On the completion of the canvass and count, the ballots, poll lists and tally sheets of each municipal ward were returned to the respective ballot boxes, and sealed up under a private signet, to await any contest that may arise.

L. S. HILLS,
JOHN R. WINDER,
ALBERT DEWEY,
JOSEPH E. TAYLOR,
THEO. MCKEAN,
R. R. ANDERSON,
H. M. WELLS.

A Triple Smash.—Yesterday afternoon, a team which had been borrowed from Mr. Charles H. Wilcken, by Mr. John Frischknecht, to attend the funeral of the son of Mr. Henry Riser, became unmanageable, at the cemetery, and ran away. Directly in the line of the course of the refractory team was a light wagon, belonging to Mr. Thomas Fenton. One man in it had time to save himself by jumping out, just before one of Mr. Wilcken's horses leaped into the vehicle, making such a wreck of it that the pieces had to be taken home in another wagon. The other inmate of the demolished vehicle, a son of its owner, was thrown out upon the horse, by the violence of the concussion, and Frischknecht, in the other, was thrown out upon the ground, but his wife still remained in the Wilcken vehicle. The team, now fairly maddened with fear, started off again, the unfortunate woman in the wagon being jolted about in it and shrieking with alarm. Her husband, fearing for the safety of his wife, started to his feet and pursued the runaway with all the speed at his command, for over a mile.

Arriving at the Eagle Gate, the runaway collided with a shade tree, stopped it, damaging the wagon very badly, and throwing Mrs. Frischknecht out upon the road, into a mud puddle, but fortunately she was unhurt.

Singularly enough, a horse and light buggy, also belonging to Mr. Wilcken, was tied in front of the President's office. Being scared by the noise of the other runaway this animal broke loose from his fastenings, described several circles in the middle of the street, overturned the buggy, and dashed down First East Street, dragging it after him. The tongue and upper portion of the buggy were badly mashed.

Mrs. Frischknecht and young Fenton were slightly hurt.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

COUNCIL.

February 11th.

Councilor Harrington, chairman of the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred C. F. 11, "criminal procedure act," reported the same back with additional sections. Report accepted. Said additional sections were then read, the bill passed its second reading, was read the third time by its title, the title was read, and the bill so passed, and was sent to the House.

HOUSE.

February 11th.

H. F. No. 21 was taken up on its second reading by sections, pending which, the bill was recommittees to the committee on agriculture, trade and manufactures.

A message was received from the Council, announcing the passage by that body of C. F. 20.

C. F. 20 was read the first time, was taken up for its second reading by sections, amended, and was read the third time by its title, the title was then read and the bill passed.

A message was received from the Council announcing the passage by that body of C. F. 10, "to amend charters of incorporated cities."

House adjourned till 7 p. m.

House met as per adjournment. C. F. 10, "to amend charters of incorporated cities," was read the first time, was taken up on its second reading by sections, amended, read the third time by its title and passed.

A message was received from the Council, announcing the passage by that body of C. F. No. 11, "criminal procedure."

C. F. No. 11 was read the first time by its title.

COUNCIL.

February 12th.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called; quorum present.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Councilor Burton, chairman of the committee on revenue, to whom was referred H. F. 18, revenue bill, reported the same back with amendments, and recommended that it be put upon its passage.

Report accepted, the bill made the special order of the day, and taken up accordingly.

Pending the reading the House informed the Council that they had passed C. F. 20, supplementary to an act creating the office of selectmen, &c., with amendments; also C. F. 10, to amend the charters of incorporated cities, with amendments; also C. F. 15 appointing a special commission to determine the boundary line between Weber and Morgan counties, with amendments, and asking the concurrence of the Council in said amendments.

Recess till 2 p. m.

At two p. m., the Council resumed its session and H. F. 18, revenue bill, was again taken up, pending the reading of which we went to press.

HOUSE.

February 12, 10 a. m.

House met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. Quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Mr. Fisher presented a remonstrance from Peter Barton and 75 others, against the disincorporation of Kayaville City, Davis County; read and referred to the committee on municipal incorporations, etc.

The following report was received and read:

"Your committee on counties, to whom was referred C. F. 15, 'A bill for an act appointing a special commission to locate and establish the boundary line between Weber and Morgan Counties in Weber Cañon,' respectfully ask leave to report the same back amended, and recommend its passage."

W. B. PACE, Chairman.

Amendments read the first time, and, on motion of Mr. Lyman, the bill was read the second time by sections, and amended, and, on motion of Mr. Farr, read the third time by sections, amended, and, on motion of Mr. Sharp, the bill passed. The title was amended and forwarded to the Council for concurrence.

Mr. Pace presented a personal bill; H. F. No. 25, "for an act defining days of grace on notes and bills payable," read, and, on motion of Mr. Farr, laid on the table till called for.

C. F. No. 11, "for an act regulating the mode of procedure in criminal cases," taken up for reading by sections, pending which the House adjourned till 2 p. m.

2 p. m.

The report of the commission to investigate University Lands was read, and, on motion of Mr. Carrington, referred to a special committee, viz.: Messrs. Pace, Milner and Rockwood.

H. F. No. 12, in relation to Chatel Mortgages, taken up for reading.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, FEB. 6.

Valentine's Day.—To-morrow is St. Valentine's Day.

McCulloch In.—This morning John McCulloch and Julius Anderson, city prisoners, had a narrow escape from being buried alive. While at work on a high gravel bank, above the Church blacksmith shop, it caved in. They were caught by the falling dirt, knocked down and partially buried. They escaped with slight injury.

Weather Report.—By the courtesy of Supt. W. B. Dougal, of the Deseret Telegraph line we have received the following report of the weather in the Territory at 3 p. m. to-day:

American Fork—Snowing and cold.

Logan—Very muddy; looks like another storm.

Paris, Idaho—Mild, looks like another storm.

Provo—Snowing.

St. George—commenced raining 9 a. m.; still raining.

Parowan—Cloudy and cold; looks like storm.

Beaver—It has been snowing and

blowing all day; six inches of snow on the ground.

Payson—Snowing.

Cove Creek—Cloudy and cold, and snowing.

Nephi—Snow four inches deep; snowing hard.

Ephraim—Six inches of snow, and still snowing.

Salina—Very stormy; snow one inch deep and still snowing.

City Council.—The Council met last evening, Alderman Raleigh in the chair.

Louis Reggell was granted an auctioneer's license for one year.

The committee on claims, to whom was referred the bill of the Salt Lake City Gas Company, for supplies and repairs on lamps and lamp posts, from March 30, 1875, to December 12, 1877, amounting to \$133.03, reported that they had examined the various items of said bill and believed them to be correct, and recommended that the amount be allowed and appropriated; adopted.

The same committee, to whom was referred the claim of Mark Lindsey, for remuneration for work done on the main and branch water ditches in the 18th, 20th and 21st Bishops' wards, during the cold weather of this winter, recommended that he be paid \$15 therefor; report adopted and amount appropriated.

The committee on streets and alleys, to whom was referred the petition of William Fuller and others, residents of the Tenth ward; Richard Brimley and others, of the Fifth ward, and the verbal petitions of Councilors Sperry and Smith, in behalf of the inhabitants of the Third, Fourth, Sixth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Nineteenth wards, asking that they be permitted to work out a portion of their taxes on the streets and crossings in their respective wards, reported that they had considered this subject and deem that it is but just and equitable to allow a fair proportion of the revenue collected from any part of the city to be expended in public improvements for the benefit of those from whom it is collected. They therefore recommended that \$100 be appropriated to each of the following named wards: Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventeenth, and \$200 each to the Tenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Nineteenth wards. They further recommended that the work in the respective wards be done under the direction of the street supervisor, and as far as possible by poor men who owe taxes and are unable to obtain the means to pay them. Report adopted and the amounts therein named appropriated.

The committee on public grounds reported back several petitions which had been referred to them, to go over to the incoming council as unfinished business.

The committee on municipal laws, to whom was referred the petition of prominent merchants and property owners, on the principal business streets of the city, asking that all awnings and sign posts, signs and wooden awnings, be removed from the sidewalks, reported a bill for an ordinance upon the subject. The report was accepted and the bill laid on the table to come up in its order.

The same committee reported that they had had under consideration the report of the committee on improvements and accompanying documents, relative to numbering the houses of the city, also a communication from Dr. J. R. Park, in relation to schools; but not having completed their labors, returned the same and recommended that they go over to the next council as unfinished business.

Bills were presented for services as judges and clerks at the late municipal election, amounting to \$70; also bill of John Hagell, for refreshments to special policemen and the canvassing board on election day, \$18.65. Allowed and appropriated.

A vote of thanks was tendered by the Council to the retiring members, for the faithful manner in which they had discharged the duties of their positions during their terms of office.

Council adjourned till next Tuesday evening.

SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Following are the proceedings of the Supreme Court of Utah, M. Schaeffer, C. J., P. H. Emerson, A. J., and J. S. Boreman, A. J., on the bench Monday Feb. 11, 1878.

John Snell et al., respondents, vs. Fred Hiam, et al., appellants; ap-

peal dismissed with five per cent. damages and costs.

Robert J. Golding appellant, vs. Salt Lake City National Bank; ordered that the opinion of this court in this case at the January term, 1876, be filed by the clerk.

The People vs. Moroni Brown et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

The People vs. Thomas B. Heller et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court reversed and a new trial granted.

Thomas J. Almy appellant, vs. Benjamin G. Raybould, respondent; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

L. E. Doane et al., respondents, vs. Z. Snow impleaded with others, appellants; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Christian Rehmknecht et al., respondents, vs. Jeter Clinton et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court reversed, with leave to amend complaint for new trial.

John Nickels respondent vs. D. H. Wells et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court affirmed, with costs.

Salt Lake County et al., appellants, vs. Robert J. Golding et al., respondents; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

James Crane et al., appellants, vs. W. E. Winsor et al., respondents; judgment of the District Court reversed with costs.

Salt Lake County et al., appellants, vs. Frederick Reich et al., respondents; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

In the matter of the application of A. N. Hamilton, for writ of certiorari respondent vs. Adam Spiers appellant; judgment of the District Court affirmed; respondent to pay costs of this court.

In the matter of the contest for deed of lot 2, block 69, plat A, Salt Lake City, between Ann L. Dewey et al., appellants vs. George G. Snyder, executor et al.; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

George Collins, respondent, vs. Flagstaff Silver Mining Company of Utah (limited) appellant; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Samuel Kahn, appellant vs. Central Smelting Company, et al.; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Peter Lillianskyoldz, respondent, vs. George Goss, appellant; judgment of the district Court reversed.

Robert T. Burton et al., respondents, vs. Windsor Silver Mining Company et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Samuel S. Walker et al., appellants, vs. Charles Popper et al., respondents; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Wells, Fargo & Co., respondents, vs. Irwin Davis et al., appellants; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

Jeter Clinton, appellant, vs. William Nelson et al., respondents; judgment of the District Court affirmed with costs.

William T. McConick, appellant, vs. William H. Greenhow et al., respondents; order of the District Court is affirmed with costs.

L. E. Doane et al., respondents vs. Z. Snow, impleaded with others, appellant; appeal allowed and bond fixed at \$4,000.

John Nickels, respondent, vs. Daniel H. Wells et al., appellants; bond fixed at \$3,000 on appeal to Supreme Court U. S.

In the matter of the contest for deed of Lot 2, Block 69, Plot A, Salt Lake City, between Ann L. Dewey et al., appellants, and George G. Snyder, exr. et al., respondents; appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court allowed.

Thomas J. Almy, appellant vs. Benj. G. Raybould, respondents; five days given appellant to file a petition for a rehearing.

The accounts of E. T. Sprague rendered and approved.

The January term adjourned without day.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

COUNCIL.

February 12.

Council resumed its session. The reading of H. F. 18, the revenue bill, was resumed and the bill amended.

On motion of Councilor Burton, the bill passed its second reading as amended.

H. F. 23 was called up and referred to the committee on counties.

C. F. 10, "amending the charters of incorporated cities," was taken up, the amendments read, and the