

## RETURNING MISSIONARIES.

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## Local and Other Matters

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY, OCT. 31.

**Museum Library.**—Two pamphlets, written and published by Hannah Tapfield King, have been presented by the author to the library of the Deseret Museum. They are respectively "Songs of the Heart," containing the early and later poems which have appeared from time to time in our local papers, and the "Women of the Scriptures."

**The Cause of It.**—The cause of General Grant's sprained back was as follows: About 1 o'clock, the train in which the General was seated ran against a hand car, which had been carelessly left standing upon the track, not far from Corinne. The shock, though not severe, shook the party up considerably, and Gen. Grant, happening to be partly turned in his seat at the time, received it in such a way as to injure him, as stated.

**District Court.**—Proceedings on Friday morning, October 31st, 1879, before Associate Justice Emerson:

**People, etc., vs. Martin Hansen;** three separate indictments for grand larceny. In first two cases, verdict not guilty; in the last, owing to the absence of witnesses, case dismissed.

**People, etc., vs. James Moray;** murder in first degree; ordered that defendant's witnesses be subpoenaed at expense of People.

**Beaver "Chronicle" Items.**—The first number of the *Beaver Watchman* was to issue yesterday, the 29th inst., under the direction of that literary genius, Joseph Field. Geo. Jenner, an old resident of Minersville, died there on the 22nd inst., after a protracted illness.

Adamsville is going into the hay baling business, in lively style.

The boy who fell from the scaffolding of Richard Smith's new residence, is in a fair way to recover.

**"Enquirer" Items.**—The first term of the third academic year of the B. Y. Academy, closed to-day with a written examination.

Last Friday, Sheriff Huntsman, of Millard County, arrested at Deseret, Newel Green and Joseph Mechem, alias Press Parker, for cattle stealing. They are now in the county jail at Provo.

Mr. John J. Peters, of American Fork, and Miss Milly Stubbs, of Provo City, were united, last Monday, in marriage; Justice Hinley, uncle to the bride, officiating.

Payson's theatricals are looming up. They are bound that sister Provo shall not get too far ahead of them in this line.

**The "Contributor."**—The Contributor for November, the second number of this promising periodical, is just from the press. Its prose contents are as follows: "Confidence, II," "Wind, Rain and Snow," "Character Sketches—The Spartan Child," "Dominico Ballo," "Editorial—Helps to the Priesthood," "Strange Scientific Suggestions," "Mormons' Educational Ly," "Bits of Travel—Antwerp and Cologne," "A Few Facts," "Ancient Grecian Oracles," "Who are our School Teachers?" "Association Intelligence—Semi-Annual Conference—Quarterly Conference," "Review of Books—My First Mission." The poetical department contains "Shadows and Whispers," by Emmeline B. Wells, and a selected gem entitled "The Rippling Request." The prose writers are Moses Thatcher, Quebec, K. G. M., H. G. Whitney, R., R. W. Young, D. Vallibus, W. W. Taylor, Horace Cummings, Lewis Anderson. A strong array. The present number is fully equal to its October companion, and has a greater variety, which is an improvement.

**Returned Missionary.**—Elder Joseph H. Parry returned from his mission to Great Britain and the United States last evening. He left here on the 18th of July, 1877, crossed the Atlantic, and labored as President of the Welsh Conference until Feb. 1st, 1879. He then res-

pounded to a call which brought him back over the water and assigned him to the missionary field in the States of Georgia and North Carolina. There he has continued to work until about two weeks ago, when he was released to return home, having been given charge of a company of twenty souls, whom he saw safely located at Menassah, Colorado, before coming to his home in this city. During his absence he has baptized 15 persons. He returns in good health, well satisfied with his efforts to further the work of the gospel. In North Carolina, where, it will be remembered, Elder Parry received a whipping from the hands of a mob, he says there are many good people who will eventually embrace the truth, and are only deterred now, by the hostility of their lawless neighbors. Ignorance was the worst foe to be met with. Many had never seen a "Mormon" nor heard of "Mormonism," but were prejudiced by wicked and designing priests to take up against the Elders and their teachings. Elder Parry repeats the true and oft given exhortation to the Saints in Zion, to remember their scattered brethren and sisters, as well as the poor missionaries, who are bearing the brunt of the battle, while others live at home in peace and prosperity, and suggests that the sending of books, papers, and a little money now and then, to assist the carrying on of the work, would never be missed by the donors, and would be gratefully received by their needy friends; all of which is not only as true as any principle of the gospel ever preached, but a matter of duty to God and his servants, who are engaged scattering the seeds of righteousness abroad in the world.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY, NOV. 1.

**Returned.**—President D. H. Peery, of the Weber Stake of Zion, returned from his visit to the Southern States night before last.

**Two Days' Meeting.**—A two day's meeting will be held in North Jordan Ward, on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 15th and 16th, at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. of each day.

**"Woman's Exponent."**—The November 1st number is out on time. Its prose contents are "Good Manners," "Characters," "Storing Grain," "My Last Week at Lale," "Essay on Chaucer and his Works," "After Long Years," and other items of local and general interest. A poem entitled "Marah," by Mary J. Tanner adorns the title page. A variety of useful and entertaining reading.

**Pardoned.**—Hyrum Whitehead, imprisoned for grand larceny in the Penitentiary, for a term of two years and six months, of which time he had served two years, was yesterday pardoned by Governor Emery, in order that he (Whitehead) might appear as a witness at the trial of the People against Heller, indicted for grand larceny; a minute of which latter case will be found among the court proceedings of to-day.

**The Tax Collector's Duty.**—The days of grace are over. Collector Winder and his clerk are busily engaged preparing attachments on the property of those who have failed to pay up their city taxes within the time prescribed by law. Mr. Winder has no choice in the matter. The law compels him to do his duty, however unwillingly, and he will therefore commence proceedings at once. All who can settle, and have not yet done so, would better see him immediately.

**District Court.**—Friday afternoon, October 31.

**People, etc., vs. Frank Butler,** grand larceny; verdict, guilty.

**Saturday, November 1.**

**L. J. Sharp** admitted to the bar.

**People, etc., vs. Wm. Price,** assault with intent to commit rape; defendant discharged on his own recognizance, to be and appear at the February term, 1880.

**People, etc., vs. Louis Carpenter,** impeached with Elias Wethersault, grand larceny; defendant Carpenter sentenced to one year in Utah Penitentiary.

**People, etc., vs. Thos. B. Heller** and Joseph Garner, grand larceny; defendant Garner arraigned, pleads not guilty. Bond of defendant Heller for jury trial, filed.

**Grain Meeting.**—By request of Sister E. B. Wells, we publish the following:

The third annual meeting of the Women's Central Grain Organization will be held in the Council House, on Saturday, Nov. 15, at 2 o'clock p.m. Presidents and officers of Relief Societies and Young Ladies' Associations, as well as the several committees specially appointed for this work, who live adjacent to this city, or any others who can conveniently attend, are earnestly solicited to be present. Reports are expected from all parts of the Territory in regard to this interesting and benevolent enterprise. The Central Committee especially desire particulars in reference to the building of granaries; the size, material, the cost and any item of interest pertaining to this mission, viz., storing grain for Zion. Bishops and brethren interested in the sisters' public labors are cordially invited to attend.

**Frightful Accident.**—On Monday afternoon a frightful accident occurred in Dry Cañon, at a point about six miles from Logan. A young man named Joseph Frederickson was engaged in snaking a huge log—about two feet in diameter and forty feet long, around a steep hill-side which was partially covered with snow, when the log received a sudden impetus and shot forward with terrific force striking the oxen which were dragging it, and badly injuring one of them. Young Frederickson, who was some distance below, without thinking of his own safety, started forward to relieve the animals. But before they had proceeded far, the butt end of the log swung around—down the hill side, acquiring a terrible momentum by the time it reached him. It struck him on the legs below his knees, and knocked him headlong. His face was bruised, and one of his limbs frightfully crushed. A young companion, Andrew Monk, assisted him down to the road, about a third of a mile distant, then placed him on an ex cart and conveyed him to his home in this city.—*Logan Leader.*

**Priesthood Meeting.**—The regular meeting of the Priesthood of the Stake, convened at 11 o'clock this morning in the Fourteenth Ward Assembly Rooms, the Presidency of the Stake, Elders Angus M. Cannon, Joseph E. Taylor and David O. Calder, presiding. President Elias Smith, of the High Priests' Quorum, was also on the stand. The various Wards of the Stake were represented by some of the presiding authorities, excepting the 20th Ward. Of the fifteen Quorums of Elders, the 1st, 2d, 5th, 6th, 9th, 12th, 13th and 14th were represented. The Deacons' Quorum of the 10th, Herriman and North Jordan Wards had representatives present. Twenty Seventies were also in attendance. After the reading of the statistical report of the Stake, and the sustaining of several candidates for ordination as Elders, President A. M. Cannon addressed the meeting. He dwelt upon the iniquitous practice of Church members going to law against their brethren, instead of submitting disputes to the tribunals of justice instituted by the Almighty among his people, and strenuously exhorted the Bishops and their assistant officers to remember that God expected them, in such matters as well as all others, to hold such persons accountable for their transgression of the law of God. A Bishop and his two counselors constituted the court of a common judge in Israel, and had power to excommunicate from the Church. It was not necessary for them to submit their decision to the ward teachers or to the ward congregation, for nothing could annul or reverse their decision, but the action of the High Council of the Church. The tendency of persons to shield transgressors, cloak their sins and sympathize with the wrong doers, because they happened to be of the same blood or marital relation, was also mentioned and denounced most emphatically. No favoritism should be known in the Kingdom of God. The good and the pure only, were our brothers and sisters, and the impure and vicious were not fit for the fellowship of the Saints, no matter if they were their own children.

**Bishop Joseph S. Rawlins,** of South Cottonwood, followed in a series of remarks on the subject of water troubles. On which matter Presidents Elias Smith and A. M. Cannon also spoke some time.

The time then being exhausted, the meeting adjourned until the

first Saturday in December, at the same time and place.

Benediction by Elder G. B. Wallace.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY, NOV. 3.

**The Second Term.**—The second term of the present academic year of the B. Y. Academy, commenced this morning.

**Diphtheria.**—This dreadful complaint still clings to the community. Three new cases are reported in the family of Elder Robert Patrick, 18th Ward.

**Appointed.**—Mrs. A. W. Candland has been appointed postmaster at Chester, Sanpete County; and Mrs. E. C. Fuller has received a similar appointment for the office at Carnsbrough, Washington County.

**Immigrants.**—We learn by telegram to Prest. Taylor that the company in charge of Elder Wm. Bramall were 400 miles east of Ogden at 11 o'clock this morning. They may be expected to arrive in this city to-morrow evening.

**Newly Appointed.**—Mr. Joseph L. Heywood, a young gentleman of this city, has been appointed express messenger on the Utah Southern Extension, from Juab to Deseret. He assumed his new duties this morning.

**Coming Home.**—Mr. S. W. Sears, who has been absent in Europe on business for several months, is on his way home, and will probably arrive on Wednesday or Thursday. Elder W. C. Staines is expected from New York at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dye will arrive to-morrow from their visit to Great Britain.

**Recovering from Paralysis.**—We are pleased to state that Bishop W. Bringham, of Springville, the victim of a stroke of paralysis several weeks ago, was so far recovered last week as to be able to walk a distance of two blocks. His right side is somewhat numb and he is forced to drag his limb a little, while going, but his memory is not impaired in the least.

**From Georgia.**—Elder Rudger Clawson returned home Saturday evening, from Dalton, Georgia, whither he went about a month ago, to attend the trial of the murderers of Elder Standing. The readers of the NEWS are already acquainted with the results of the trials. President John Morgan will remain in his field of labor for the present.

**Funeral Services.**—The funeral of the child of Elder George Reynolds was held at the family residence in the 20th Ward, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Among those present were Elders Angus M. Cannon, George Teasdale and Joseph E. Taylor, who addressed the meeting consecutively, and Elder Feramor Little, who pronounced the benediction. Bishop John Sharp directed the services.

**Notice to the Seventies.**—The Seventies will please take notice that their regular monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday evening next, at 7 o'clock. A punctual attendance is expected.

JOSEPH YOUNG, Sen.,  
A. P. ROCKWOOD,  
JOHN VAN COTT.

ROBERT CAMPBELL, Clerk.  
Salt Lake City, Nov. 3d, 1879.

**For Child Beating.**—The man and woman arrested for beating a little child, were arraigned before Justice Pyper this morning. The man plead not guilty, and as it was evident that he had not been a party to the offense, he was discharged. The woman acknowledged having whipped the child, but in extenuation plead her inexperience and thoughtlessness. She was fined \$20 and costs, with the condition that the child remained where it was, at the house of the lady who made the complaint to the police.

**He Refutes It.**—An individual signing himself Le Roy Pratt, representing the Universal Copying Company of San Francisco, writes from Portage, Box Elder County, under date of the 31st ult., in refutation of a communication that appeared in the NEWS recently signed R. P. S., asserting that he (Pratt) had been "bilking" the people of Bear Lake, by delivering "colored photographs" for "first class ink and water color portraits." This latter indignantly denies, in language more emphatic than elegant. We notice his communication at his request.

**To New York.**—Professor Joseph J. Daynes, one of Salt Lake's leading instrumentalists, and for years the organist of the Tabernacle Choir, takes his departure for the eastern metropolis to-morrow morning. He will remain away long enough to perfect his already advanced musical training, it may be two years or less time. We wish Brother Daynes all success in his studies and labors, and hope to see him return in due time, that his native community may enjoy, as heretofore, the results of the talent with which he is so eminently gifted.

**Killed by a Fall.**—Saturday afternoon, a most shocking accident occurred in the 7th Ward, which has since proved fatal to its victim, a little son of Robert Condle, between two and three years old. The child had been put up in the loft of the barn, to play on the hay with some other children and by some mischance fell therefrom, a distance of 12 feet and struck head first upon an inverted bake-kettle, one of the iron legs of which entered the skull and inflicted a deep and dangerous wound. Dr. Hamilton was summoned and found it necessary to remove a portion of the skull, from which the brains were oozing. But little hope was entertained of the child's recovery, and it occasioned more sorrow than surprise, therefore, when last night, about 10 o'clock, the little victim breathed its last. We deeply sympathize with the afflicted parents in their sad bereavement.

**In Cache Valley.**—President Taylor and party, who went north on Friday afternoon to attend the Cache Valley Stake Quarterly Conference, will not return until to-morrow. Elders Orson Pratt and C. W. Penrose will remain and hold meetings in the settlements north of Logan all this week. The party at Logan from this city, are President John Taylor, Elders Orson Pratt, Lorenzo Snow, F. D. Richards, Geo. Q. Cannon, L. W. Hardy, E. F. Sheets, C. W. Penrose, Geo. F. Gibbs, Geo. C. Lambert and several ladies, with a young son of Prest. Taylor.

The conference was addressed Saturday morning by Elder Lorenzo Snow and President Taylor; in the afternoon by Elders Orson Pratt and C. W. Penrose. Sunday morning by Elder George Q. Cannon and Bishop L. W. Hardy, in the afternoon by Bishop E. F. Sheets, F. D. Richards and President Taylor. The meetings were well attended and an excellent spirit prevailed. The brethren held meetings last night and expected to hold some to-night in the settlements adjacent to Logan. Cache Valley is having a spiritual feast.

**District Court.**—Proceedings on Monday morning, November 3rd, 1879, before Associate Justice Emerson:

**People, etc., vs. Frank Butler;** sentence postponed until Wednesday, Nov. 5th.

**People, etc., vs. Wm. Mathews** and Wm. Downs, grand larceny; bond of defendant Mathews forfeited.

**People, etc., vs. Geo. A. Jackson** and J. B. Killain, assault and battery; defendants arraigned and plead not guilty.

**People, etc., vs. Thomas Oakey** and Geo. Allgood, grand larceny; jury trial in progress.

**Proceedings before Chief Justice Hunter:**

**Jacob T. Gove vs. B. W. Morgan;** demurrer to complaint overruled. Exception. Referred.

**Mary L. Cutler vs. U. C. R. R. Co.,** motion for new trial allowed. Verdict contrary to evidence. Exception. Plaintiff gives notice of appeal. Bond fixed at \$50.

**Paul Beus vs. M. Shaugnessy;** demurrer sustained. Dismissed. Plaintiff takes nothing by his suit.

**E. M. Varnes, et al., vs. F. W. Billing;** judgment for plaintiff as to location and rights on premises. Question of damages not passed upon and left to parties to agree.

**Eber Case vs. Evergreen Con. T. and M. Co.,** two cases; decree for the Evergreen Co. in each case.

**C. H. Hempstead vs. E. M. Wilkinson et al.;** Mary V. Hempstead and Wm. B. Whitehill, executors, substituted as plaintiffs, and Mary V. Hempstead sole legatee.

**Geo. E. Chandler vs. Geo. L. Howard, et al.;** dismissed.

**Thomas J. Shelton vs. John Paxton;** submitted.

**L. B. Mattison vs. B. Y. Hampton et al.;** passed to allow parties to file motion, etc., to vacate previous order.