

and we become pure and holy, free from selfishness and from every sin; and until we shall have reached this state of perfection, we never need expect these things committed to our care, for he will not do it. When the judgment is given to the saints, it will be because of their righteousness, because they will judge even as the angels and as the Gods, and not as the wicked do at the present time, who care not for God nor for justice, who care not for truth nor mercy, love nor kindness, who judge according to the wickedness of their hearts. I am very thankful that it is not our province, in our present condition, to judge the world; if it were, we would ruin everything. We have not sufficient wisdom, our minds are not filled with the knowledge and power of God; the spirit needs to contend with the flesh a little more until it shall be successful in subduing its passions, until the whole soul is brought into perfect harmony with the mind and will of God. And we must also acquire the discretion that God exercises in being able to look into futurity, and to ascertain and know the results of our acts away in the future, even in eternity, before we will be capable of judging.

Let us live so that we shall be ready for any dispensation of providence. It is said He will come as a thief in the night. We had better be on the watch-tower, waiting in readiness for him, than to be putting off the time, for peradventure we might put it off until it is too late.

I have something to say to the Latter-day Saints about their temporal affairs, how we should live temporarily, taking proper care of that which is committed to our charge, and using it for the benefit of ourselves and others, which I will tell you on some future occasion.

On the second Saturday and Sunday in May, the 12th and 13th, we will hold a two days' meeting here, or, if you choose to call it so, a District Conference of this Stake of Zion, to which you, and as many as can make it convenient to attend, are invited. If you will come with clean hands and pure hearts, full of faith, so that the Lord can pour out his spirit upon us, we will have a time of rejoicing. God bless you. Amen.

Local and Other Matters.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, JUNE 23.

Threatening.—The clouds lowered and thickened and darkened this morning, as if a storm was brewing.

Good Fishing.—A gentleman just in from Cache states that fishing in the streams of that fertile valley and vicinity is excellent.

Briskening.—We learn from L. L. Taylor, Taylor & Co., that business in their line is coming on with a rush. They have been hunting for help lately.

His Big Toe.—Brother Charles F. Williams, of the 4th Ward, is still disabled from the effects of a large pot, filled with lead, weighing over 200 pounds, falling upon and flattening his big toe about five weeks ago. He gets around with difficulty, with the aid of a staff.

United.—Yesterday Mr. Levi E. Riter and Miss Isa Calder, daughter of D. O. Calder, Esq., were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Elder Orson Pratt, at the residence of the bride's father. The attaches of the News join with the numerous friends of the newly wedded pair, in wishing them long life and happiness.

Games.—There were games at Lindsey's yesterday, on the occasion of the 6th Warders being there. Mark distributed prizes to the most expert at rope and pole climbing and other sports. Superintendent Goss distributed strawberries and other good things to the children, and a very pleasant time was spent.

Irrigation.—Professor A. K. Gilbert, formerly connected with the Wheeler Expedition and other scientific explorations in this western region, is stopping at the Townsend House. This gentleman is engaged in obtaining information of much importance connected with irrigation and other subjects of equal interest pertaining to this country.

In Ohio.—From a letter from Elder Orson F. Whitney, now laboring in Ohio, to President B. Young, we learn that he had baptized two persons, and several others were very favorably disposed to the truth. He had just finished filling a series of seven appointments to preach, in response to as many invitations. He speaks cheerfully and encouragingly of his labors.

Midsummer.—Over 400 Scandinavians spent their midsummer holiday at Fuller's Hill yesterday. They were accompanied by Brother A. W. Winberg. A number were in from various parts of the Territory to participate, from even as far distant a point as Logan. Bro. John Van Cott was present and made a speech. Various games were the order of the day, and the people appeared to enjoy themselves.

White House.—Work is about to be resumed upon the White House, which will be a spacious and handsome building.

North Carolina.—Elder James Whitaker, of Willard City, lately returned from a mission to North Carolina, reports the baptism of eight persons in Fairview Township, Buncombe Co., in that State. When he returned he brought a small company, of nine persons, with him. He represents that there are many who believe the gospel in that region, but who defer being baptized until they are nearly ready to emigrate.

Vanished.—Recently a well known gentleman of this City went to one of the pleasure seeking resorts in this vicinity on a gala day, when a large party were out. He took with him, as an auxiliary, a keg of beer. Meeting a friend on the grounds he invited him over to test the quality of the beverage, and took him where the keg was left, but it had "gone from their gaze," and has not since returned.

Better and safer to rely upon the clear, cool mountain brooks as thirst-refreshers. They cannot be carried away by unkind hands, and draughts from them keep the head clear, cool and level.

Organization at Tooele.—On Saturday morning Elders John Taylor, Lorenzo Snow, Erastus Snow, Franklin D. Richards and George Q. Cannon, of the Twelve Apostles, Elders F. M. Lyman and Jacob Hamblin and Bishop E. D. Woolley left this city by U. W. train, for Tooele. At the end of the track carriages were in waiting to convey them to their destination.

The meetings at Tooele were crowded on Saturday and Sunday, and the instructions delivered were received with marked attention and interest.

On Sunday evening the brethren went to Grantsville, where they held two excellent meetings on Monday, which were also well attended and highly interesting.

The following organization of the Tooele Stake of Zion was effected and sustained without a dissenting voice or vote. A most excellent spirit prevailed throughout all the proceedings—

President of the Stake, F. M. Lyman; Counselors, James Ure and William Jeffries.

High Council—H. S. Gowans, John W. Clark, George Cramer, Robert McKendrick, Robert Skelton, Orson P. Bates, George Whitte, Anders G. Johnson, Arret L. Hale, Jeter Clinton, Samuel W. Woolley, and Sven Nielson.

President of High Priests' Quorum, John Rowberry; Counselors, Robert Mickeljohn and Abel Parker.

Bishop of Tooele City Ward, Norton R. Tuttle; Counselors, Thomas Lee and Thos. Atkins, Jr. Bishop of Grantsville Ward, Edward Hunter; Counselors, William C. Rydalen and John Rich.

Bishop of E. T. City Ward, William Moss; Counselors, Gordon Maxwell and Joseph Yates.

Bishop of Lakeview Ward, Moses Martin; Counselors, Thomas Howie and Joseph Steele.

Bishop of St. John's Ward, George W. Burridge; Counselors, David H. Caldwell and Francis de St. George.

Bishop of Vernon Ward, John C. Sharp; Counselors, Joseph Bennion and Job Harker.

Shooting Scrape.—About half past eight o'clock last night two men, one of them accompanied by a young girl, met at the Eagle Emporium corner. One of the men uttered an exclamation of anger, whipped out a pistol, and fired at the other. The party at whom the shot was aimed turned and fled, accompanied by the girl, along First South Street, to the Townsend House, pursued by the shooter, who, during the chase, fired three more shots at the object of his wrath.

The person who sought to take the life of the other was William Hobbs, of West Jordan, father of the young woman, Sarah Hobbs, and the party shot at was Con. Sullivan, the alleged seducer of the girl.

The first shot took effect in Sullivan's breast, glanced around the ribs towards the back, and lodged under the skin. One of the three leaden messengers, fired in the retreat and pursuit, entered the thick part of his thigh, this latter being considered the more dangerous wound of the two. Neither of them is necessarily fatal. He had his injuries attended to at the

Townsend House, and was subsequently conveyed to the Sisters' Hospital where he now lies. Hobbs was arrested and taken to the City Hall.

Our reporter visited Mr. Hobbs this morning, to whom he stated, in substance, that he was the proprietor of a boarding house near Blugham Junction, and that Sullivan, who runs a saloon close by, bearded with him. He had reasons for suspecting the existence of criminal intimacy between Sullivan and his daughter, and for this cause, requested his wife to inform the girl not to leave the house on Sunday night, which she did. The daughter disobeyed this injunction, and, having occasion to go to a well, Mr. Hobbs was attracted by a noise in the direction of the saloon, at the door of which he knocked for admittance, and finally, looking through a broken window, satisfied himself that his suspicions were well founded.

Considerable of a row ensued, when Mrs. Hobbs appeared upon the scene, and sprang upon Sullivan like a tiger, administering a blow upon his face with a boot, while Mr. Hobbs rushed into the house for a weapon with which to annihilate the destroyer of the virtue of his daughter; but before he returned Sullivan and the girl had fled in the darkness. These occurrences transpired about half past nine o'clock on Sunday evening.

The enraged father, failing in wreaking summary vengeance upon Sullivan there and then, entered the room which the latter had occupied, took the furniture, clothing and other property belonging to him and, in his terrible frenzy, hurled them out upon the street.

Mr. Hobbs searched all over for the pair, who had fled, but was unable to find trace of them until yesterday, when he discovered that they had come to Salt Lake, he following by the evening train. On arriving he visited the various hotels, without finding Sullivan's name on any of the registers, but finally met him at the Emporium corner, with the result heretofore described.

Sarah Hobbs is between fifteen and sixteen years of age, and of rather attractive appearance. Her father thinks that, under the circumstances, he is justified in the summary action he has taken in the matter.

A Disclaimer.—Professor Barfoot has shown us a letter addressed to him by Miss Wirt, of this City, who is a corresponding member of the Davenport Academy of Science. The lady intimates that some of her friends here have intimated to her that she was accredited with the communication to the scientific organization named, in which was a ridiculous fling at the "Mormon Church." Miss Wirt disclaims the authorship of that letter, and says, "I sincerely regret that so scientific and honorable an organization should go out of its way to make a charge so palpably absurd."

We are not aware who the author of the silly lunge at the "Mormon Church" is, but we are pleased to learn that it did not come from a lady of the intelligence of Miss Wirt. There are other Utah correspondents of the Academy besides herself and Prof. Barfoot.

The slur referred to was that somebody was misleading the scientific body named with regard to Indian mounds, in the interests of the "Mormon Church."

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