

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.

Remember Dwyer's opening to-night.

The soap sign-writer has taken Grigley's advice.

The Utah Eastern Railway is coming before long.

"The Ticket of Leave Man" at the Theatre to-night.

"Forbidden Fruit" is the attraction at the Theatre for the holidays.

Patience choir practice at 6.30 this evening, at the Assembly Hall.

Leavitt's All-Star Specialty Company at the Theatre on Thursday night.

Mr. Elizabeth Bentley, wife of brother Richard Bentley, died a few days ago.

Go to the Stake meetings to-morrow. They open at 10 a. m. and 2 and 7 p. m.

Brother Louis Pratt has painted a life-like portrait, in oil, of Brother Elias Morris.

There is to be a party at the Twelfth Ward School-house to-morrow night.

People on the train from the north this morning report the Sand Ridge, above Kayville, covered with snow.

A pleasant spring-like rain fell copiously during the night, but the snow is yet confined to the mountains.

Chicken-pox, measles, typhoid, and lung complaints are the present prevailing ailments in this section just now.

The New Home Manufacture by the Germania Co. is that of aseptic acid. The works are in Spanish Fork Canyon.

Bro. J. H. Ward delivered his address on the "Hand of God in History," at the Twelfth Ward School House last evening.

In consequence of the Stake meetings the mass meeting of Seventeen in the 11th Ward will not be held on Wednesday evening.

The weather may be spring-like, balmy and all that sort of thing, but it isn't healthy, and is therefore lacking in its most desirable feature.

On Christmas Day the Sunday School children of the Twenty-first Ward are to have a party, and the teachers will join in a similar occasion in the evening.

Sunday loafers around the south gate of the Temple Block have become a disgusting and intolerable nuisance. Will the police please note this fact and abate it.

The proprietors of the new theatre hall at Springfield, which we described a few days ago, are, Messrs. Dan C. Johnson, Aaron Johnson, Stephen D. Johnson, Moses Johnson, Mrs. Lydia Johnson, J. M. Westwood, John J. Watson and James E. Hall.

Yesterday, at 2.15 p. m. Brother Robert F. Neelen completed the first half century of his earthly life. The jubilee was celebrated by a quiet gathering of friends. When Brother Robert was born, he was named Robert and was christened for the North Pole, with Sir John Franklin. Long life to him.

The Oregon Short Line Railroad Company have the machinery on the ground and have commenced boring an eight inch well on the lava bed desert, sixteen miles from American Falls. They have machinery for boring 2,000 feet. It is hardly probable, however, that they will be obliged to go more than 300 feet, even if as far as that.

About 5 o'clock last evening a brilliant meteor was seen to fall apparently to the eastward of the town. The light emitted by the wanderer was of the most brilliant description, illuminating the landscape as bright as midday. Immediately after the fall, a loud rumbling sound like unto distant thunder reverberated throughout the surrounding mountains.—Beaver Udon, Friday.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

The Special Meetings.—The last-ter-day Saints are reminded of the special Stake meetings to-morrow and Wednesday, opening at 10 a. m. and 2 and 7 p. m., of each day. All who can do so should attend.

Address.—President Joseph F. Smith will deliver an address at the Eighth Ward Assembly Rooms, this evening, at 7 o'clock, under the auspices of the Mutual Improvement Association. The public are invited free.

Temporary Suspension.—In consequence of the special stake meetings to be held in the Assembly Hall to-morrow and Wednesday, there will be no sessions of the Mutual Improvement and other Associations that meet on either of the evenings of those days, this week.

alt Lake Theatre.—To-night, the Dramatic Combination, assisted by an efficient company, will present the excellent sensational play of "The Ticket of Leave Man," by the celebrated dramatic author, Tom Taylor. Some of the characters will be played with superior ability, seldom excelled on any stage. The place is always a popular one. Go and see it.

The Snow Shed System.—The Union Pacific has been troubled in winter especially, by cattle seeking shelter in the snow shed. To prevent killing the cattle and thus entailing damages it has been found necessary to keep men on watch to guard the snow shed. In conversation with Mr. Spafford, the Union Pacific line man to-day, we learned that he was going to Sherman, near where the company is going to introduce regular wooden cattle-guards at the entrances to the sheds. These guards will be further protected by wire fencing at the side, and the watchers will be discharged.—Laramie Papers.

Stolen Cash.—Last night, a young man retired to his room at Mrs. Barney's boarding house on First East Street, with another young fellow named Stephen Beck as his bed fellow. Notwithstanding that he cautiously fastened the door on the inside, when he arose early this morning, he found his pants outside the room on the landing, and sixty-five dollars and seventy-five cents gone out of the pocket. Beck had got up in the night, he was the party suspected. The police interviewed him to-day and escorted him to the City Hall.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The regular Sunday services of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints were held in the Assembly Hall, on Sunday, commencing at 2 p. m.

The choir sang the hymn commencing on page 22:

O Jesus the giver of all we enjoy,
Our lives to thy honor
We wish to employ.

Prayer was offered by Elder Lorenzo D. Young.

The choir sang the hymn on page 53:

Spirit of faith come down,
Reveal the things of God.

The sacrament was administered by the Priesthood of the Eleventh Ward.

Elder Edwin Harmon gave a brief account of his labors while on a late mission to Great Britain. He had gone forth with a determination to do his utmost to advance the interests of the Latter-day work, and although he had met many obstacles he had enjoyed the Spirit of the Lord and his work.

There used to be large congregations of Saints there are now only a very few.

Elder Edward King gave a brief sketch of his labors in Great Britain. He found that his bitterest persecutors were his own relatives. The Lord was with him during his labors, and he was guided to search out the honest.

Elder C. B. Felt said that during his absence from home for over two years in England, he had realized that of himself he could do nothing, but with the help of God he was enabled to do some good. He had received a knowledge of the truth of the Latter-day Gospel. He desired to continue in and help advance the work of God.

Elder B. P. Wolfenstien said he had enjoyed himself during his mission to the Northern States, although he had been subject to hardships and exposure. The people in that part of the country are poor, and it is difficult for the Elders to get food and lodgings. The Latter-day Saints are the most happy and independent people he had met. They cannot appreciate their condition until they have been into the world, and seen the low and degraded condition of the people. When the Elders are abroad they feel that they are safe in the hands of the Lord, and that the prayers of the Saints are for them. It does not matter what becomes of them so long as they do their duty. The time is close at hand when the Savior will come in power and great glory and reign as King of Kings and Lord of Lords. The speaker said he felt to thank God that the time is nigh when the reign of governments will fall into the hands of the righteous and the law of God be the law of man.

Elder Eli A. Folland said it was a common remark in some sections of the States that those who entered the Elders were blessed in their crops and in a general way, so that the Elders were entertained very well in some places. He had visited the city of Nauvoo and although there is probably not a more beautiful site for a city in the world; still, the people are not so blessed, their crops are poor and it seems as though there is a curse resting on the land. The religion of the Latter-day Saints is practical, and blesses temporally as well as spiritually.

Elder Edward Entwistle said while abroad on his mission he had taken great pleasure in advocating the principles of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Though he had removed considerable prejudice with regard to Utah. Some of the people of the world think that the Saints are cruel and are ruled with an iron hand by their leaders. The situation of the poorer class of people in Great Britain is truly pitiable. Poverty and crime of every description prevail in the land.

The choir sang an anthem.

Benediction by Elder H. Walsh.

Weatherwise.—The storms of the past few days have resulted in a light coating of snow on the surrounding mountains, while the canons have received a deposit of two or three inches. The temperature last evening has modified very much, and everything indicated this morning, that we might anticipate a general snow storm, which, however, has held off for the time being.

The fur trappers and mountaineers, generally, expect but a very light fall of snow this winter, for the reason that they have noticed that the beavers inhabiting the various mountain streams, have omitted to construct their dams or to lay in winter supplies of food, as is their usual habit, during severe winters, when deep deposits of snow occur. We hope these signs which they consider sure indications, will fall to prove correct, because deposits of snow in the mountains mean plenty of irrigation water to ensure good crops next year.

Death of Sister E. Bentley.—About 5 o'clock on Wednesday morning, December 8th, Mrs. Elizabeth Bentley, wife of George Bentley, died at her residence at that place. The husband of the deceased was at Beaver on Tuesday, on business, when he received a telegram informing him that she had been taken dangerously ill. He at once started for home, on receiving this sad intelligence, but would probably not arrive soon enough to see Sister Bentley again in life.

Deceased, whose maiden name was Price, was a member of one of the first English families that emigrated to Nauvoo under the auspices of the Gospel. She was a lady of many estimable qualities, and will be sadly missed by her family and intimate friends, by whom she was greatly beloved. Our sympathy is with the bereaved.

Death of An Old Citizen.—On December 3rd, John Langton, of Rockville, Washington County, died, after an illness of four months, from dropsy. He was born March 8th, 1822, in London, England; was baptized by Jas. Joy in the Loop Fork of the Platte River, while on his way to Utah, in 1851, to investigate the principles of the Gospel. He was in Echo Canyon in 1857, and was called to the Southern Utah mission in 1862; settled at Rockville, where he remained till he died. He leaves a wife, ten children and ten grandchildren to mourn his loss. He held the office of a Seventy and died as he had lived, in full faith of the Gospel.

We are sorry to request Pittsburgh papers to copy this notice.

L. O. O. F.—The sixth annual review of this society occurs at Sheldon's Hall on Wednesday evening.

Burglary.—On Friday night burglars entered the liquor store of Mr. O. F. Coillings, of Meek, Sanpete County, and carried away five or six watches, two music-boxes, pipes, \$10 in cash, and a few bottles of liquor. No clue as yet to the perpetrators.

From the Sandwich Islands.—On Saturday Dr. Alma B. Dunford, the well-known dentist of this city, accompanied by his wife and daughter, returned from a visit to the Sandwich Islands. The object of the trip was rest from business for a season. He can again be found at his dental rooms, 120 Main Street, near Tenside's.

Sunday School Review.—Last night there was a review of the Fifth Ward Sunday School. The hall was filled to overflowing, there being no standing room remaining. The effort was very creditable, the exercises being rendered efficiently. Superintendent John Cowan and assistants are energetic in the Sabbath School work of the ward.

It was Whiskey.—Young William Jones, of Provo, was drunk on Friday. He insisted upon getting upon a load of lumber being hauled from the Provo depot by Mr. Jesse McCauslin. He tumbled from his perch, as might have been expected, and before the teamster could stop his horse a hind wheel passed partly over his head, crushing in a portion of the skull. The Engineer says the case is a dangerous one. The drink fiend did it.

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

AT GOLDBERG'S
Annual Clearance Sale,
175 men's assorted Cassimere suits,
85 boys' " " "
90 children's " " "
120 men's and boys' overcoats,
75 dozen men's and boys' hats,
65 dozen undershirts and drawers,
have been placed in the south store, and will be offered to the public for nearly half their regular price. They must be sold.

"Utah and Its People," for sale at the "Deseret News Office," 25 Cents a Copy.

COHEN BROS.
We are now offering about 100 dozen silk handkerchiefs, worth 75cts and \$1.00 at 50cts. Our assortment of Fancy Bordered Linen Handkerchiefs is larger than ever and we have many bargains to offer in this line.

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Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods at DUNFORD'S.

JUST received, Wool Batting, new styles in Suits. Colored Shoulder Shawls, New Dress Flannels, Socks, Stockings, Trunks etc. Reduction in price of Shawls.

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Agent Provo Mills,
Salt Lake City.

I. G. QUINN has opened his place of business at No. 73 First South Street, opposite the Theatre, where those wishing to purchase fancy and light groceries, game, poultry, fruits, poultry, game, etc., would do well to give him a call. All orders carefully filled and delivered in the city and suburbs promptly. Telephone on premises.

MRS. BURROWS,
Invites an inspection of her Winter Stock of MILLINERY GOODS, consisting of a nice assortment of Hats, Bonnets and Fancy Trimmings, all at LOWEST PRICES.

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Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes at DUNFORD'S.

Just received at P. MARGENT'S California Wine Depot 1253 First South street a large stock of pure Wine, Liqueurs, English Ales and Porter, Bitters and Cordials for the Holidays. Family trade solicited. Orders received by telephone. d 8 m.

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H. ARNOLD.

For Furniture of all kinds go to P. W. MADSON'S.

SCHOOL SUITS.
A nice line of boy's School Suits offered very cheap at L. GOLDBERG'S.

DR. Wm. RUSSELL
Has returned to this city and resides on South Temple Street between West and First West Streets. d 1 m

If you want a good meal go to GRIFFITH'S RESTAURANT.

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John W. Lowell will receive a large supply of above goods during the next ten days, and intending purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere. d w

SHEEP! SHEEP!!
Thoroughbred Merino Rams and Ewes, also some fine grade Bucks, for sale cheap. Enquire of Alma Pratt, two miles south of Temple Block, Salt Lake City.

Don't drive a spavined horse as long as you can get Kendall's Spavin Cure for it at a bottle. As a powerful liniment for deep-seated pains on both man and beast it has no equal. See advertisement. d w & w.

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It gives us great pleasure to state that the merchant who was reported at the point of death from an attack of Pneumonia, is entirely recovered by the use of DR. W. M. RALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS.

Naturally he feels grateful for the benefit derived from using this remedy for the lungs and throat, and in giving publicity to this statement we are actuated by motives of public beneficence, trusting that others may be benefited in a similar manner. On sale by all Druggists.

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