

had several flattering applications for art services as an instructor in art.

Miss May Merrill, who is studying in Mrs. Cory's School of Design in New York, is progressing rapidly in her work. She has sent home several specimens of her handiwork, amongst them designs in silk that were used in Mrs. McCune's lecture at the University last night, and designs in wall paper and linoleum which Mrs. Alice Horne used for illustration in her recent lecture at the same place.

The young women of Utah have every reason to be proud of the record they have achieved in art abroad and at home. All who have studied abroad have done work that has merited the praise of the ablest instructors in their different lines of study and work. Miss

Teasdale's work has been admitted both to the French salon and the Department of Art in the Great Paris Exposition. Miss Hartwell has also been admitted to the French salon and other Utah art students have made a record that is highly creditable to the State.

#### TEACHING A CHILD PERSISTENCE

##### Even Mere Babies Can Be Encouraged in the Habit of Trying Again.

"Few little children, of course, voluntarily set themselves to overcome difficulties, yet more would do so if parents and nurses were not in the habit of catering to their flightiness characteristic of all young things, which leads them to follow up whatever momentarily attracts their attention," is the

position taken by Florence Hull Win-terburn writing of "Child-Life in the Home" in the March Woman's Home Companion. "The capacity to dwell for a long time upon one thought involves both intensity of desire and innate ambition to reach right results. I have seen this struggle for perfection in an infant form show itself in a little child but eighteen months old. And how sincerely I respected that little one. He was sitting in his mother's lap beside the library-table one evening, when in an idle mood she took up a penny and set it on the head of a small gilt image three or four inches high and with a head scarcely larger than the coin. Seeing that the baby watched her, she said playfully, 'Baby can't do that!' The little one's brown eyes sparkled with a look that seemed to say, 'Oh, can't I?' And taking the

penny in his fingers he essayed to balance it as she had done. It fell. Oh! said baby, quietly, and picking it up tried again, with the same result. With-out the least sign of discouragement or impatience the little thing tried over and over again for a score of times, until at last succeeded in balancing the coin on the head of the image. The brave baby! We gave him a round of applause, and he looked for one to the other of us with a curious little glance not to be prevailed upon to undertake the same feat again. Once having demonstrated that he could do it the act lost its interest. Here was a tiny hero in want of difficulties to conquer; an infant Newton, excelling in the ability to concentrate his whole mind upon a single object so long as it was necessary

for that object to engross his attention."

#### The Household.

Unbleached Canton flannel makes good dish cloths.

It is well to keep lamps about two-thirds full of oil.

Clothes lines are made much more durable by boiling for ten minutes before they are used.

When a fire is nearly out it may easily be induced to burn up brightly by sprinkling a little sugar on it.

A little cold tea mixed with warm water and applied with a soft woolen cloth will make stained woodwork look bright and fresh.

A few drops of oil of lavender in a silver bowl or ornamental dish of some kind, half filled with very hot water,

and set in the dining room just before dinner is served, gives a delightful and intangible freshness to the atmosphere of the apartment. Hostesses often put a small vessel in the parlor and dressing rooms when arranging the house for a festivity. The suggestion is especially valuable to the hostess in a small apartment, which sometimes in the bustle of preparation becomes stuffy.

To remove scratches and bruises from furniture, rub them gently with a fresh walnut, butternut or hickorynut kernel and they will disappear as if by magic.

The most recent and approved method of making mustard plaster is to mix one teaspoonful of mustard with three of cornmeal, using just sufficient water to make the paste of the right consistency. It is simple, mild, efficacious

and the materials for it likely to be within easy reach.

Four boiling water over rains before seeding them. It's easier.

Burlap when stained makes an artistic floor covering.

A vanilla bean kept in the sugar-box imparts a delicious flavor to the sugar. The French do this.

When a decanter or water-bottle becomes so badly discolored that shot or fine coal will not cleanse them, and with the present condition of water this is likely to happen, fill them with finely-chopped potato paring. Cook tightly and let them remain for three days. By that time the parings will have fermented and if the vessel is emptied and rinsed out with warm, clear water, the stains will be found to have quite disappeared.

#### WALKER'S STORE.

Red Tag Reduced Prices on Curtains.

Ruffled border plain curtains, \$1.25 and \$1.50 the pair regular, for—

95c

Ruffled border lace curtains, also plain kinds that sell for \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 a pair, one priced at—

\$1.65

About 25 pairs of tapestry curtains, regular top and bottom, \$4.00 regular—

\$2.95

Fifty pairs of tapestry curtains, new and desirable, were \$5.00 and \$7.00, one priced—

\$4.25

Twenty pairs of Oriental stripe damask curtains, 20 inches wide, \$3.50 to \$4.50 a pair at regular, one priced—

\$2.75

Ten pieces of 50 inch tapestry for hangings or furniture covering, \$1.50 to \$1.75 a yard the regular selling price, for this week—

\$1.15

#### Red Tag Reduced Prices on Millinery.

Women's prettily trimmed hats reduced from \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 each to—

\$1.75

Untrimmed colored chips, dress shapes and flats that were \$1.00 each—

6c

Good union Milan sailors, white and colors each—

15c

One lot colored split and Milan straw sailors reduced from \$1.50 for the week to—

65c

Colored rough straw Tam O'Shanter and droop sailors, reduced from \$1.25 and \$1.50, for the week to—

75c

New line of Ladysmiths just in. White, cardinal, b

#### Red Tag Reduced Prices on Boys' Suits.

Boy's blouse suit imported. Serge, sailor collars and for boys of three \$3.00 up to \$13.50—

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# Walker's Store.

## THE ANNUAL RED TAG SALE.

Every piece of Merchandise that is in this sale is ticketed, but not everything for the Red Tag Sale is told of in this page. The paper could not contain all for these little red signals wave thickly throughout the Store and they mark a difference in price of anywhere from

### 15 UP TO 50 PER CENT OFF

the regular. The Red Tag Sale you know is really the last great sale of the season, that takes in all departments, so have you merchandise needs don't ignore it or you'll be the loser if you do. There is not an old lot nor out-of-date style in all the hundreds of offerings. Isn't that the best of reasons why Walker-Store underpriing should not be passed over lightly?

### Monday to Saturday.

Red Tag Reduced Prices On Dress Goods, Silks and Linings.

Red Tag Reduced Prices in Domestic Store

Red Tag Reduced Prices on Shoes.

Faultless shoes in newest, smartest styles for men, women and children are the only kinds that come to the Walker Shoe Store, and there is but one time in all the year around that you may choose from the entire stock at an under price—the Red Tag sale time—With the single exception of "Soleos" the entire stock this week at

12 1/2 PER CENT OFF.

#### WALKER'S STORE.

Red Tag Reduced Prices on Parasols & Umbrellas

Parasols, ruffled and trimmed, others in plaid, changeable or plain taffeta silks. Prices were \$3.50 up to \$12.00 each, for Red Tag sale each one—

Half its Regular Price

Some pretty white parasols that were \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.75—

Just Half these Prices

Colored carriage shades, some lined and tastefully trimmed. Prices were \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 each, any for—

Half Price

Black gloria silk umbrellas, 26-inch frame, so can be used for storm or sunshine, \$2.00 regular for—

\$1.17

Children's white pique parasols with fancy colored borders, 50c regular for—

39c

#### Red Tag Reduced Prices ON

Laces and Embroideries

Broken lines of Swiss, Nainsook and Hamburg embroideries, beautiful patterns that were 50c up to \$1.15 a yard, are one priced all at—

50c

Black silk lace downings, can be used on silk or dimity dresses, sold for 75c up to \$1.50 the yard, one priced—

59c

Beau silk downings for summer dress trimming, \$1.00 up to \$2.25 the yard regular, all one priced—

50c

Black valenciennes lace and insertion, pretty patterns, 75c to \$1.35 a yard qualities for—

65c

White valenciennes edgings, 50c a dozen regular for—

15c

My pin to inform you of the death of your own livin' uncle Kilpatrick, who died very suddenly last week after a lingering illness of six months. The poor man was in violent convulsions the whole time of his sickness, lying perfectly quiet and spachelless, all the while talking incoherently and crying for wather. I had no opportunity of informing you of his death sooner, except I wrote you by the last post, which wint off two days before he died, and thin you'd had the postage to pay.

I am at a lost to tell you what his death was ackasioned at, but I fear that it was his last illness, for he was never well tin days together durin' the whole time of his confinement, and I believe his death was occasioned by his stin' too much of rabbit stuffed with gravy and pays, or pays and gravy stuffed with rabbits, I can't tell which, but be that as it will, as soon as he brathed his last the doctor gave up all hopes of his recovery. I need not tell you any thing about his age, for you well know that in March nixt he would have been twenty-five years owd lackin' tin months, and had he lived till that time he would thin have been six months dead. His property now devolves to his nixt heirs, who all died some time ago; so that I expect it will be divided betwene us, and you know his property was very considerable, for he had a fine estate which was sowl'd to pay his dibts and the remainder lost in a horse-race; but it was the opinion of every body at the time, he would have won the race if the horse he run against hadn't been too fast for him. I never saw a man, and the doctors all say so, observed directions and tuck medicine better than he did. He said he would as lave take bitter as awate, if it only had the same taste, and piccockians as whiskey punch, if it would only put him in the same humor for fighting.

Your own lovin' Uncle,  
SHANE O'FLAHERTY.  
[Phil. Dispatch.]

#### POETRY.

TO MY FRIENDS IN THE VALLEY.

Let all who would have a good paper, Their talents, and time ne'er abuse;

Since 'tis said, by the wise and the humored, That the best in the world is the "News."

Then ye who so long have been thinking What paper this year you will choose,

Come trip gally up to the office, And subscribe for the "DESERET NEWS."

And now, dearest friends, I will leave you, This counsel, I pray you, don't lose;

The best of advice I can give you Is, pay in advance for the "News."

G. S. L. City, May 27, 1850.

This is the first poetic offering we have received, and, for aught we know, friend B's. first attempt. Try again.

The mail arrived, June 7, To Emigrants, Travellers, and all enquirers for a good blacksmith, we say, see advertisement on last page. Capt. Mc Bride is a workman.

We are informed that Oliver Cowdery, Esq., died at Richmond, Ray County, Missouri, on the 3d day of March last, of consumption.

CONCERT.

We anticipate a rich treat this evening, at the Bowery. The object of the Concert is highly patriotic, and worthy the attention of every individual.

BLACK-SMITHING.

EMIGRANTS LOOK HERE.

HORSES & OXEN—Shod on the shortest notice, and all kind of work in my line. Prices reasonable.

MY SHOP

Is in the 17th ward, a little north west of the Council House, and a few rods west of Messrs Livingston and Kinkade's store.

ALL MY FRIENDS

Who want blacksmithing, can be accommodated, on the shortest notice and on reasonable terms.

1 x 6 m Wm. McBRIDE.

A. NEIBAUER,

SURGEON DENTIST, 3d street east, ad south of the Council House, will attend to all branches of his profession. The surgery effectively cured.

June 15.

#### 1850.] JUNE [30 days

Last Q 2d, 10 h 31 m eve.

New M 10th, 2b 4m morn

First Q 16th, 5h 7 m eve.

Full M 24th, 8h 54m morn

MOON'S PHASES.

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4 Tu 4 267 34 1 28

5 W Head 4 267 34 1 58

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7 Fr Neck 4 267 35 3 0

8 S 4 247 36 3 38

9 F Arms 4 247 36 4 18

10 M 4 237 37 4 48

11 Tu Breast 4 237 37 5 18

12 W 4 237 37 5 48

13 Th Heart 4 237 37 6 18

14 Fr 4 237 38 6 48

15 S Bowels 4 227 38 7 18

16 F 4 227 38 7 48

17 M Reins 4 227 38 8 18

18 Tu 4 217 39 8 48

19 W Bowels 4 217 39 9 18

20 Th 4 217 39 9 48

21 Fr 4 217 39 10 18

22 S Thighs 4 217 39 10 48

23 F 4 217 39 11 18

24 M Knees 4 217 39 11 48

25 Tu 4 217 39 12 18

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27 Th Legs 4 227 38 9 57

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Emigrants began to arrive from the States, bound for the gold regions, on the 27th of May, 1850, and have continued to arrive and depart almost daily ever since. The following, who have passed on, paid their fare for a copy of our paper to be directed to their friends.

Ar. Dep.

S. B. Crow, Bristol, Ill. May 27

C. C. Hewitt, Dubuque, I. June 1

S. Stover, N. Portage, O. " 5 "

G. F. Bais, Middlebury, O. " 6 "

W. W. Duck, Delton, O. " 7 "

J. Wagoner, N. Portage, O. " 8 "

S. S. Bullock, Marietta, Ill. " 8 "

H. S. Hays, Madison Wis. " 12 "

John Moke, St. Louis, Mo. " 13 "

W. H. Robinson, Joliet, Ill. " 15 "

From all the emigrants we were not able to obtain one whole paper; they were all wet, damaged, or destroyed on the way. The waters on the east side of the mountains, were low early in the season.

# DESERET NEWS.

BY W. RICHARDS. G. S. L. CITY, DESERET, JUNE 15, 1850. VOL. I.—NO. 1.

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PROSPECTUS.

DESERET NEWS.

MOTTO—"TRUTH AND LIBERTY."

We propose to publish a small weekly sheet, as large as our local circumstances will permit, to be called "Deseret News," designed originally to record the passing events of our State, and in connexion, refer to the arts and sciences, embracing general education, medicine, law