

# THE EVENING NEWS

TUESDAY, February 21, 1871.

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## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

**LAW**—**TELEGRAMS.**—The scarcity of telegraphic matter in to-day's News is owing to the line being down East.

**THEATRE.**—The "Ticket of Leaves Man" was presented in capital style last night. The leading characters, personated here on several previous occasions by the same ladies and gentlemen as on last evening, were as successful as ever: Mr. Thorne as "Mister Moon," and Miss Della Clawson as "Sam Willoughby," giving great satisfaction.

"The Lonesome Man of the Ocean," underlined for several weeks past, is at last ready and will be presented to-morrow night, the 22d—Washington's birthday, a great day in the history of this continent, and a bill worthy of the occasion. This is a great show piece, abounding in beautiful and romantic scenes and situations. During its course a terrific sea fight takes place between a man of war and a pirate. The principal scenes will be sustained by Misses McElroy, Graham, Margaret, and Thorne, Miss Collebrook and Mrs. M. G. Clawson.

The entertainment will conclude with the laughable farce "Sophie's Snapper."

"**THE BURY BIRDS HUMMING.**"—Mr. W. D. Roberts, who has been here purchasing honey bees, stock, etc., arrived in the city this morning; all parties who expect bees or other things by him had better make immediate application for them.

**COMPLEMENTARY.**—We acknowledge the receipt from Bontham Hall, Esq., Secretary of the Institution, an invitation to attend a Social Party at the Salt Lake Exchange and Reading Room, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock.

**TECHNICAL LECTURES.**—In the tenth Ward meeting house last night, Elder David Cardigan lectured on "Papal Subjects," among which were the rise and fall of the nations of to-day; the rise and ultimate dignity of the Kingdom of God; the evils attending the present system of social and civil government; the progress and the confidence inspired through the minds of honorable men, strangers who come to reside in our midst, entomology on the character of Brigham Young as a ruler, statesman, soldier and general; the increase of population, etc. The 10th Ward band was out, the house was full, and the people pleased.

"**HARPER'S MONTHLY.**"—*Harper's Monthly* for March is for sale at Dwyer's. It is, as usual, first class, and the king of magazines.

**WHOM IS SHE?**—The wife of Brother Johnson Rosier, of the 20th Ward of this city, while in a semi-demented condition left her home yesterday, and has not been heard of since; any party knowing of her present abiding place will relieve the mind of Bro. Rosier by forthwith making it known to him.

"**CAN HOMESTEADS BE PRE-EMPTED?**"—A correspondent in the country wrote two or three weeks since asking the question: "Can homesteads be pre-empted?" We submitted the query to a gentleman of this city, in the law, and his answer is this: "Any person who has taken up a homestead can prevent the same being taken within five years, by paying into the U. S. Land Office the pre-emption fee,—namely one dollar and a quarter per acre. But while homesteads may be pre-empted, the costs of surveying, etc., will be deducted, and the balance will not be retained possession of under the homestead law."

**DENVER ITEMS.**—The following items of news are from the Denver Tribune. A fire occurred at Denver last Wednesday morning, in which property valued at between four and five thousand dollars was destroyed. The cause of the fire was burning ashes placed in a tub out doors, and a high wind. Since the disaster the City Council has made arrangements to have the city supplied with water, and hydrants erected along the line of pipes, having power to send the water to a height of seventy feet at the discretion of the engineer. The work is to be completed by December next.

A colonizing company in Chicago is about to emigrate to Colorado, the members of the party numbering fifteen hundred, twenty thousand acres of land, about a mile from Burlington, and three hundred families are expected to arrive in two weeks.

"**OUR DELEGATE.**"—By late Washington advises we are apprised that Hon. W. H. Hooper, Delegate to Congress for this Territory, is as indefatigable as ever in endeavoring to further the interests of his constituents in the National Legislature. We are satisfied, and we believe this is the feeling of the people of the Territory gained by his efforts. He is a man who, we trust, would labor more faithfully to discharge the onerous duties and responsibilities devolving upon him, than the gentleman who now represents Utah Territory in Congress. The united faith of the people here, that he may succeed in his mission, and that, in the future, as in the past, his labors may result in their good, and his own honor.

"**THAT LETTER.**"—We call attention to that Australian letter, which appears in to-day's issue. It is worthy a personal by all, but especially by the class to which the person belongs to whom it is addressed. As a class they once declared and were ready to swear to, and stake all on, the truth of "Mormonism;" they now declare and are ready to swear to and stake all on the contrary. We think the arguments of the writer will make them squirm a little.

"**CERTAIN RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM.**"—Very few of the ill that flesh is heir to is harder to bear and more difficult to find relief for than rheumatism, and this is just the season of the year and the kind of weather it delights in. Another provoking thing about this plague is that it excuses nobody's pity.—"It's only rheumatism," is all that is said about it, no matter how severe it may be. Like almost every other disease or ailment to which the human frame is subject there are several specific for it among the patent medicine vendors, but we expect that speedy relief to the pocket is about the only result to those foolish enough to investing the advertised nostrums.

We heard, recently, of a cure, or rather of a sure and speedy remedy for it, which has been practised with striking success by a resident of this city, who generally has had spells of "rheumatism" and, as it is within the reach of everybody and costs very little, we publish it pro domine misericordia, thinking that, if half as efficacious as represented, it is too valuable to be lost, or the knowledge of it to be confined to a few individuals.

The gentleman from whom the information came says that whenever the rheumatism comes on he takes forty pepper corns, washed in common, table pepper, and swallows them like a丸. The dissolved pepper does not follow that day or night, he repeats the dose on the following day, night, and it never fails. He experiences no ill effects whatever from taking so much pepper, and the knowledge of it is to be had in a few lines.

Pittsburgh at night remains a strange "hell with the lid off."

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RICHARD GOODHIND,  
Agent for Utah Territory.

OFFICES—OPPOSITE THE  
SALT LAKE HOUSE.

Net Assets, January 1, 1871. \$20,000,000.

RECEIPTS:

Premiums and Policy  
Fees.

On Premiums Received  
from Life and Health  
Companies.

Premium on Gold and  
Bonds.

Total Cash Disbursements

Net Assets, December 31, 1870. \$42,350,000.

INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

Claims by Death  
Matured Endow-  
ments.

Paid to Policy-holders  
Death Claims and  
Matured Endow-  
ments.

Interest on Mort-  
gaged Divi-  
dents.

Cash Dividends in  
Reduction of Pre-  
miums and Am-  
ortization.

Surrendered Policies

Commission to  
Agents.

Paid Agents for Pur-  
chase of Future  
Commissions.

Taxes, Law Expenses  
and Office Ex-  
penses.

Balances Ad-  
ministrative Pre-  
mises and Stationery.

Interest on Premiums  
Received.

Interest due and unpaid

Premiums due but  
not yet reported  
chiefly for Di-  
vidend.

Deferred Dividen-  
ds.

Interest on Premiums  
Received.

Actual Cash Invest-  
ments.

Add:

Interest on Premiums  
Received.

Interest due and unpaid

Premiums due but  
not yet reported  
chiefly for Di-  
vidend.

Deferred Dividen-  
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