

teams with covered wagons from Utah passed through town on Thursday with a number of men going to Hams Fork to shear sheep.

Mrs Isaac Dawson of Evanston, Wyo., and her guest, Miss Myrtle Pettit of Salt Lake City, are enjoying an outing on the classic shores of the beautiful Bear Lake this week.

The funeral of the late Col. James McNassar, who died in Salt Lake City last week, was held in Sacramento, Cal., on Wednesday. Col. McNassar was father-in-law to Col. J. W. Donnellan of Salt Lake City.

Jennie Dorman of Caldwell, Idaho, has commenced suit against Eugene W. McLaughlin for \$10,000 for breach of promise. McLaughlin and Miss Dorman were engaged to be married, but on May 10 he was married to Beesie Stewart.

The Southern Pacific company has in preparation a new local tariff on fruits and vegetables, which will probably be put into effect on June 15th. It will materially reduce the rates on shipments of fresh fruit and vegetables within the state of California.

John Ruedy, an Oakland, Cal., restaurant man, convicted of selling liquor without a license, was fined \$100 Friday. Ruedy had been granted a new trial because he was refused a jury trial in the lower court. The court intimated that Ruedy, knowing he had evaded the law, should have pleaded guilty and thrown himself on the mercy of the court.

Rock Springs, Wyo., Miner: Rosa Sutton, whose health has been gradually failing, was taken to the Salt Lake hospital last Sunday evening. Owing to a diseased hip bone she was an inmate of the hospital before, and she now returns for treatment of the same disease. Mrs. Lizzie Thomas accompanied her. In is to be hoped little Rosta will get immediate relief as of late she has been a great but patient sufferer for whom this community has deep sympathy. Mr. Gus Anderson also went along with her.

Joseph McClain has been chief of the Berkeley, Cal., fire department for years, and yet has been ignorant of the official position he holds. He was created assistant chief in 1886 by an ordinance of the town trustees, and later became chief, but of late years he lost all idea that he held the position. The discovery that McClain is chief of the fire department is the result of the recent movement to organize the various hose companies established through private means under one head. Those who were informed upon town affairs dug up an old ordinance which created a fire department, though it has no apparent use, as the private companies have superseded it. The ordinance is No. 246, and created a fire department, providing for a chief and assistant. C. R. Lord, now justice of the peace, was made chief, with McClain as assistant. McClain was afterward made chief, and though it was several years ago he has never been deposed and is still in possession of his authority as chief.

Los Angeles Times: The story of Richard Reese (or Reeves), the counterfeiter, who was arrested near Los Angeles recently, is a tragic example of the mutability of human

affairs. Reese has seen but two years less than half a century of life. His training was that of a mechanic. He is not a man skillful with hands alone, but one who works with both hand and braid. When U. S. Grant was running for President, years ago, there was a big political celebration in Chicago. Grant was there and Reese rode in his carriage as a representative of the laboring classes, proclaimed by his fellows the most skillful mechanic in all America. As the years went by the man's reputation grew and increased. At last he obtained a place in one of the great shops at Homestead, Pa. Eventually he rose to be foreman, with a salary of \$8,000 a year. Then came the great Homestead strikes, which brought ruin and death to so many men. Reese was infected with the labor doctrine then prevailing. When the struggle was over Reese was a ruined man. His place was lost, and a reputation established as a man who could not be relied upon in case of a strike. Reese came to California. He came to Los Angeles some months ago, expecting to obtain a position as foreman of the rolling mill. There was some hitch, and in consequence Reese obtained only a subordinate position. He was not content with this. There was a dispute, and Reese's connection with the rolling mill ended. Reese got very poor indeed, and poverty drove him to crime. He put his skill as a mechanic to the vile use of making bogus money. He declares he has been engaged in the nefarious business but a few months, meaning to save enough money to buy a little home for himself and to get another start. That accomplished, he had vowed to live an honest life.—Los Angeles Times.

OBITUARY NOTES.

EMILY S. V. ANDERSON.

Died at Grantsville, Tooele county, Utah, May 15th, 1896, of pneumonia, Emily Sophia Volgren, wife of August K. Anderson. Sister Anderson joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Carlshamn, Sweden, in her youth; came to Utah in the year 1865; was married to A. K. Anderson in 1869 and was the mother of ten children, seven of whom she has gone to meet on the other side. She leaves a husband and three children and a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was a faithful wife, a loving mother and a true friend. She was a faithful Latter-day Saint and died in full faith in the Gospel. The funeral services were held at the meeting house on Sunday, May 17th, 1896, at 2 p. m.

CAROLINE PHILLIPS.

HENEFER, Summit Co., Utah, May 19, 1896.—Yesterday in our ward meeting house at 2 p. m. were held the funeral services of Caroline Phillips, widow of the late John Phillips. She died on the 16th inst. after three weeks' lingering illness. She was born in Bath, Somersetshire, England, on the 9th of July, 1821; arrived in the valley in 1863, first locating in Croydon but residing here since 1864; she had no children, Wm. Davis being her only relative.

The house was filled almost to overflowing by the people of Henefer, Croydon, Echo and Morgan wards. The speakers on the occasion were Bishop Faskett, Joseph E. Foster of Henefer and Brother Richards and Bishop Anderson of Morgan Stake. Timely and instructive remarks were made, eulogizing the life of the deceased. She was gen-

erous almost to a fault, the traveling public having a camping place on her premises for more than thirty years. She will be missed and mourned by thousands who held her in high esteem. Although having no children to lament her departure she was known by all as Mother Phillips. JAMES LYTHGOE.

JANE S. NIELD.

Jane Standing Nield, beloved wife of Joseph Merrick Nield, was suddenly called home on Thursday, May 7th, 1896. She was born at Rockdale, Lancashire, England, May 31st, 1827, and in her early womanhood heard the principles of the everlasting Gospel declared by one of Zion's gifted sons, Captain C. H. Wheelock. The truths carried conviction to her soul and ultimately led to her baptism, on the 26th of April, 1851, by Elder John Cocker, at Oldham, Lancashire, England. From the day of her baptism she never faltered, but was always a faithful, uncompensating and exemplary Latter-day Saint. She cheerfully suffered ostracism by her family, and willingly took upon herself the yoke of Christ. In the year 1853 she married Joseph Merrick Nield (who survives her) and five children were born to them, three of whom are now living.

In 1874, accompanied by her husband and youngest child, she gathered to Zion and located in Meadow, Millard county, Utah. A few years later the rest of her family followed, and she was then privileged to labor in the Temple at St. George for the redemption of her dead. The sudden death, a few years ago, of her beloved and only son, Luke Charles Nield (principal of Richfield schools), was a sad, sad blow, and the devoted mother never fully recovered from the effects thereof. Still, with characteristic humility and confidence, she bowed meekly to her Master's will. She always manifested the Christ-like spirit "Not my will, but Thine be done." During the dark days of the cotton famine in Lancashire, and in the midst of all her trials and sorrows, which at times appeared unusually severe, she ever repeated the words of faithful Job, "Though He slay me, yet will I trust in Him."

Sister Nield retired to rest Monday, May 4th, apparently in the best of health, but, during the night she must have been attacked with a stroke, as she was found insensible next morning. She never recovered consciousness, and her family were hastily summoned to her bedside. All efforts to resuscitate her were in vain, and at 1:30 p. m. Thursday, May 7th, her spirit took its flight and she slept the sleep of the just.

The funeral services were held in Meadow meeting house on Sunday, May 10th, and Elders George Crane, of Fillmore, Thomas Broadbent of Elsinore, B. Goddard of Salt Lake City, and Bishop Bennett of Meadow, spoke of the affectionate disposition, God-fearing spirit, devoted and upright life of the deceased. She was highly respected and beloved by all her acquaintances and ever bore a faithful testimony to the work of God. A large procession followed her remains to the Meadow cemetery and the last tributes of respect and esteem were expressed by a host of mourners, all of whom endorsed the epitaph "Faithful unto death."

PHNGLIX,

Salt Lake City, May 18, 1896.

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THE DEAD.

Peaceful be their Rest.

JOHNSON.—At Wigan, Lancashire, England, March 11, 1896, James Stephen, son of William and Elizabeth Johnson, aged fifteen months. Millennial Star.