

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

THE PRESIDENT'S PARTY.—President Young and party left Wellsville at six o'clock this morning, reaching Brigham City at nine. They then held meeting, after which the party came to Ogden, where they stay to-night, and will arrive in this city to-morrow.

THE IMMIGRATION.—At the hour of going to press we had received no information of the arrival of the expected immigrants at Ogden. Bishops Hunter and Hardy are at that city awaiting their arrival, which, it is expected, will take place some time this afternoon.

HON. W. H. SEWARD AND PARTY.—This distinguished party, consisting of ex-Secretary Seward, Hon. F. W. Seward and wife, C. L. Wilson, Esq., editor of the Chicago Evening Journal, and lady, Mrs. Farrar, and Mr. Abijah Fitch, of Auburn, New York, arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, having made the distance from Cheyenne during the day. They are staying at the Townsend House. Owing to the fatigue of the journey Mr. Seward was somewhat indisposed last evening, but we are happy to state that he is much better to-day.

This morning a delegation from the City Council, consisting of Aldermen S. W. Richards, H. W. Lawrence, and Gen. R. T. Burton, accompanied by Hon. Wm. Jennings, waited upon Mr. Seward and extended to him and party a cordial welcome to Salt Lake City.

The delegation were very kindly received by Mr. Seward, who expressed his gratification at the appearance of the city and at the welcome extended.

THEATRICAL.—Last night M. Hartz gave another of his surprising exhibitions, before a rather slim audience. His illusions were of the most extraordinary character, being more astonishing if possible than on the evening previous.

His experiments in psychology were especially amusing, causing the most uproarious laughter. Seven gentlemen from the audience volunteered to be experimented upon, two of whom were rejected, not being susceptible. The others were experimented upon, assuming the characters of John C. Heenan and Joe Coburn, giving a sparkling exhibition and many other amusing tricks.

To-night M. Hartz takes a benefit, under the patronage of Hon. W. H. Seward. There will be an entire change of programme, concluding with experiments in psychology. Capt. Cull's brass band will be in attendance. We hope to see a full house; Mr. Hartz well deserves it.

ROBBERY.—We are indebted to the courtesy of M. Croxall, Esq., for the following item:

Three highwaymen robbed Mr. E. M. Seward of \$3,000 in gold, a silver watch marked E.M.R., and a revolver, about nine o'clock this morning on White Pine Road, about six miles above Egan Canyon station. There is as yet no clue to the robbers.

MATINEE TO-MORROW.—To-morrow afternoon there will be a matinee at the Theatre, when M. Hartz will give a display of his wonders. Everybody let the children go, and go yourselves if you have not been already and be mystified, for you will not have a chance to see such sights again in a hurry!

POLICE.—Mr. Murphy, for drunkenness and vagrancy, was fined \$5. George Page and Dan Gifford for being drunk and disturbing the peace, were both fined \$10.

A Copper, for selling cigars without a license, was fined \$15. The trial of Ornstein and Popper, charged with defiling the water ditch at Butcher's, was adjourned until 4 o'clock this afternoon, to admit of the defendants producing witnesses.

CALLED.—C. L. Wilson, Esq., Editor of the Chicago Evening Journal, one of Secretary Seward's party, made us a fraternal visit this morning. From him we learned that the party will probably remain in this city until Monday.

CALLED.—William K. Hall, Esq., visited us at our office this morning. Mr. Hall is the Special Traveling Agent of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, and is in this city in the interests of that company.

NEW WHEAT.—Bishop Kesler this morning showed us a very fine sample of fall wheat, grown on his farm near Black Rock. He planted it about the middle of last October, has grown it without irrigation and commenced harvesting it on the 23d inst. Forty judges say it will yield thirty-five to forty bushels to the acre. This is the first wheat grown in that neighborhood, and the result is encouraging.

EXCURSION.—The children of the Twelfth Ward Sabbath School, accompanied by their parents and teachers, numbered in all above four hundred persons, yesterday, had a very pleasant excursion to Elder's farm. They left the Ward about eight o'clock, in between thirty and forty cars and wagons, headed by Bishop Hardy. They passed a very joyous time, having with them a band of music, which, in addition to the attraction of the place, enabled them to pass the flying hours most merrily. No accident occurred to mar the happiness of the party, who reached home about seven in the evening.

FATAL OCCURRENCE.—A dispatch from Snake River, Idaho, of June 18th states that "A boy, son of John Adams, of Market Lake, fell from a heavily loaded wagon near Black Rock Station, yesterday, and the wagon wheel passed over his head and killed him instantly. Mr. Adams and family were returning from a visit to their relatives in Utah."

DUCKS.—We notice that a number of our citizens have commenced to keep ducks. That's very good. But many of them do not keep them out of the water ditches. That is not so good. Ducks are not exactly the kind of animal life that folks desire to swim in their drinking water, and the practice of careless people permitting ducks to wade and wallow in the water in and about our water seats is a nuisance and should be abated.

IN OMAHA.—The Omaha Herald of the 22d inst. says: "Chief Justice C. C. Wilson, of Utah Territory, arrived in town yesterday. He left last evening for the East."

DIED.—On the 21st inst. of inflammation of the lungs, a daughter of Isaac and Sarah E. Crox, aged 1 year and 3 months. The funeral took place at the 22d inst. relatives and friends of the deceased were addressed on the occasion by Elders Robert Campbell, S. A. Woolley and Jacob Gibson.

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