EVENING NEWS. CHARGED WITH MURDER. Howard O. Spencer and George Wednesday, · August 8, 1888. Stringam Under Arrest. The readers of the NEWS will re-FRAGMENTS. member that last week Howard O. Spencer, of Kane County, was arrested THERE was frost on the foothills last at Liberty Park on a charge of unlawnight. ful cohabitation, and the marshals stated that he was wanted in Beaver DANIEL FOWLER was admitted to on Monday. They did not take him, citizenship today by Judge Zane. however, but kept him at the peniten-The Central Pacific train was three tiary, where, last night, he was served hours late today, delaying the mail Hotel with a warrant of arrest on the charge from the west. of murder, the offense being alwoll's PARSONS and John Caruth leged to have been committed twentywere fined \$5 each in the Police Court nine years ago on Saturday next, today, for drunkenness. on August 11, 1859-when Sergeant Ralph Pike was shet and killed on THE "Liberals" elected their entire Main street, in this city. George ticket in Summit County. The Peo. Stringam was also arrested at Bingple's vote was considerable belew that ham yesterday afternoon, for being an of last year. accomplice in the killing. In the case of the United States vs. The case has been worked up for F. A. Nims et al., Judge Zane today some time by Warden Arthur Pratt, await his triating others accused of crimes, was permitted to go about the city in charge of some of the soldiers of the guard. About 1 p.m.on Thursday, while walking down East Temple Street, with three soldiers, he was met by a man near Townsend's Hotel, who allowed the plaintiffs until October 1 who has held several conferences with Mr. Stringam, in which it is said the to file motion for a new trial. latter admitted that he had taken part J. EMMETT, George Hadley and John in the offense with others whoih he Harrington, all from Reno, Nevada, names. When Mr. Spencer was arspoke to him and then drew a pistol and shot him—the ball entering the right side at the twelfth rio, inflicting a mortal wound, of which he died about 1 o'clock Monday moraing. It is said that at the time of the occur-li rence there were at least 100 men, in-cluding several efficers of the army and the soldjers of the guard that came with Tike from Uamp Floyd, within pistol shot of the siayer, and ger the walked coelly about half way accross the street before any effort was made to arrest him, and then he ran and succeeded in getting away, with from thirty to forty men in pursuit of him. From the attending circum-stances, suspicions have rested upon Spencer, who came near losing his were hefore Justice Pyper today for ke to him and then drew a pistol rested it was given out that it was for trespass upon railway property. They another offense, in order that the marwere fined \$10 each. shals could take into custody others UTAH's new chief justice, Judge who were charged with being asso-Sanford, is expected to arrive in this clated with him, and it was not until city about September 1st, in time for this idea was given up that the arrest the opening of the September term of of Stringam was made, and the whole the Third District Court, to which he case let out. will probably be assigned. As stated, twenty-nine years have MR. A. J. STEWART arrived last elapsed since Sergeant Pike was killed night from New York where he has and but a small portion of those now been in the interest of the Mexican in Utah have any knowledge of the colonization scheme. Heistates that circumstances. In those days matters about the 20th inst. he will return to in Utah were in a very unsettled conabout the 20th inst. he will return to the metropolis via Demming, N. M, nd El Paso, Texas. Ar the meeting of the stockholders of the Teath Ward Co-operative Store-held last night, a dividend of 3 per held last night, a dividend of 3 per they were in some respects destitute. cent. per month was declared, amount- In order to obtain necessities some of the law, without any apparent attempt ing to 27 per cent. for the nine months the soldiers would sell a coat-clothing the store has been running. The old was very scarce then-or sometimes a

officers were re-clected for the ensuing whole suit of clothes, to a citizen, for something he needed fof his comfort. The machinery for the Casebolt After a few months had elapsed, and overhead coole system, to be tested on when the army was more comfortably quartered, squads of soldiers would go the street railroad, arrived this morniug, and will be put in operation at about, and when they found a citizen once. It will be placed on Second off alone, if he had in his possession South Street, east of Ninth East, and any of the articles innocently

will probably be running inside of a purchased, they would seize upon them

without so much as a thought of reweek. compense. On one occasion, in Tooele THERE have been many rumors compense. On one occasion, in Tooele toward the aliey which now runs be-County, half a dozen soldiers met a tween Barnes & Davis' and Teasdel's sfloat the last few days about an indiman wearing a "soldier's coat" and vidual who is said to have located himpants. They seized him, stripped him were started by somebody who saw a currences to the one related were so huge sign board erected on the hill frequent as to cause considerable bad north of the "Hog's Back," the highest feeling to exist, though the people bore point in the mountains north of the these outrages with remarkable pacity. The board is about 30 feet high, tience. and was put there by a surveyor.

Judge Cradlebaugn was here at the

him a rough and weary drive of 47 Lake and Fort Douglas Railway, ask miles, in a wagon. In this city he was cared for, and became con valescent From the full effects of the blow, how-

ever, he has not recovered even to the present time, his brain being some-

Hotel: "Sergeant Ralph Pike, 10th Infantry, having been indicted by the grand jury in attendance upon the district court now in session, for an assault with in-tent to kill, committed upon the per-son of Howard Spencer, in Rush Val-ley, last March; had come to the city froin Carlip Floyd under a military guard of eight or ten soldiers in Com-mand of Lieutenant Marshall, to an-swer to the indictment, and, instead of be ng taken into custody by the U.S. Marshal, or committed to prison to await his trial like others accused of crimes, was permitted to go about the

to refer the report to the committee was lost, and the original motion to consider the report and all petitions was carried. On motion of Alderman Sharp,

THE FRANCHISE QUESTION

was made the special order for this evening at 7:30.

the law, without any apparent attempt at concealment. At the time of the shooting, Sergeant Pike was between two of the Soldlers. The man who fired the shot walked up to him and remarked, "You are Ser-geant Park, are you not?" "Yes, sir," answered the sergeant as he started back in apparent alarm. At that in-stant the other produced a pistol and placing it near the sergeant's right side, fired. The sergeant fell, mor-tally wounded, while his slayer turned and started to cross the street toward the aliey which now runs be-tween Barnes & Davis' and Teasdel's store. He was halfway across the

store. He was halfway across the street before the crowd of men, most self on the hill northeast of Ensign Peak, with the intention of fasting ten days, of going seven days without sleep or food, or of doing a score of absurd things. The foolish reports were started by somebody who saw a

The idea of placing some sort of a Spencer is now under arrest, and George Stringham is charged with hav-ing aided him. Both were brought in ing aided him. Both were brought in from the penitentiary today and ar-raigned before Commissioner Norrell. R. H. Watrous was the attorney for

assessor had returned a plat and file of the several assessments ordered on







NEW ARRIVALS



etition, and the report was

VIRTUALLY A REFUSAL

of Mr. Remington's request. He be-lieved that the ability of the parties to construct the road and their intention to do so should be investigated, and the franchise sold to the highest bid-der. He did not think it would be do-ing the committee an injustice to table the report and consider the reports as a committee of the whole.

the report and consider the reports as a committee of the whole. Alderman McCornick offered as an amendment that the petitions and all accompaning documents by referred back to the committee. Councilor Young offered an amend-ment to the effect that the committee be instructed to grant Mr. Remington a right of way through the eastern part of the fity on some feasible street. The amendment did not receive a second.

Alderman Pyper's bill, for an ordi-nance in relation to persons remaining on the street and sidewalks, came up

away back in April, and action on it had been deferred from time to time. It was an important measure, and he

Correction.

NEWS, in the local on the election returns. It is stated that C. O. Whitte-C. Cutler as county clerk. The name should have been Ben. Whitmore, as it was he, and not Attorney Whittemore, who made the protest.

Right of Way. The Sait Lake & Fort Douglas Railway has obtained permission from the government to cross the penitentiary reservation, and work will be com. menced in a few days toward Parley's Cañon, where grading is now going on. A telegram announcing the granting of the laws of the United States. Our the right of way over the penitentlary indictments were treated with con-grounds was received this afternoon. tempt, and the prisoners indicted have grounds was received this afternoon.

More Boy Thieves.

The police have captured three more of the gang of boy thieves that has been committing depredations of Governor of Utah-Alfred Cumming, late. There is now but one known to of Georgia-found it necessary, in be at liberty, Thos. Croft. The three order to protect the people, to issue a arrested today are Ernest Conk, ----Adamson and William O'Connor. In cease their interference with the citiaddition to the places mentioned yes- zens, and declared : "The presence of terday as having been losers by the soldiers has a tendency, not only to youthful reprobates' practices, are terrify the inhabitants and disturb the Zion's Bazar, Sam. Levy, N. Grund- peace of the Territory, but also to hand and Noble, Wood & Co.

The "Instructor,"

The latest number of the current volume of the Juvenile Instructor has been received. Its contents are as follows:

Church History-The Gift of Seeing-S. W. R ; Blessed Jubilee, Words by Williams, Music by H. H. Petersen: Above His Business.

A Musical Event.

Active preparations are in progress for the presentation September 12th and 13th at the Theatre in this city, of the original comic opera in three parts, entitled "Mr. Sampson of Omaha." The words of this opera are by Mr. Reed Dye, of the Omaha World, and the music by Mrs. B. B. Foung. It will be quite an interesting musical event. Mr. B. B. Young is sparing no pains to make it a brilliant- artistic suc be likewise financially. Besides being assisted by Mr. Nat. M. Brigham, who will appear in the title role, and Mr. C. L. Deuel, both of Omaha, Mr. Young will be aided by the following H. O. Spencer being engaged favorites of local repute: Messrs. J. in throwing hay with a pitch-

encouraged by him to commit deeds of An error occurred in last evening's lawlessness and afterward receive pro-NEWS, in the local on the election re-tection, the following extract from the amination is set for Friday next, at 2 report of the grand jury, made at more protested against counting the Provo, March 22d, 1859, which is a part votes in the second precinct for John of the court record, will show: "Having been summarily and insultingly discharged by the Hon. John Cradlebaugh, U. S. Associate Justice

their evidence.

was on March 27, 1859.

which the military were allowed and

for said Territory (Utah), while in the faithful and diligent performance of After the Oil Company.-The Franour duties as a sworn inquest, we do chise Question. hereby enter our solemn protest against the language and conduct of the aforesaid Judge Cradlebaugh, ad-dressed and used towards us at the The City Council met in special ses-

sion last evening at 7 o'clock, time of our discharge. We were sur-rounded in our deliberations in our jury Mayor Armstrong presiding. room by a detachment of the army, and army officers quartered within hearing of the evidence of witnesses C. Cramer & Co., florists, asked permission to lay a 1% inch pipe from the while being examined by us. We pre-sented indictments for offenses against mains on Second South Street to their premises, at petitioners' expense. Referred to the committee on waterworks. been liberated without trial.

CITY COUNCIL.

made public.

W. H. Remington stated that at the nesses subjuenced to be examined by us have been treacherously arrested and thus we have been deprived of was sufficient evidence that the road

would be built should the franchise It was at the same time that the granted. Since then, however, pplying for such franchise, had o deposit a forfeit to secure, de build ing of the road, and he was willing should the Council desire any security proclamation requiring the troops to to give bonds in the penal eited if to road was not built in a re onable tim or if the

THE FRANCHISE SHOULD BE SOLD. He would be one of the principal stockholders in the company, which would build the road and operate it efficiently. Filed to come up with Mr. Reminston's pathion subvert the ends of justice." This Under this state of things an event occurred at Rush Valley, Tooele Coun-

ty, which was reported in the NEWS at the time as follows: "BRUTAL ASSAULT .- About 5 p. m.

of the 22d inst., (March, 1859,) an as-sault was made upon Howard O. The Regalia of England (Illustrat-ed); The Slide of Alpnach, by J. T. J.; Up the Hill; The Zuni Indians, by F. Bradshaw: Lessons on Health, by E. F. P.; For our Little Folks—"To Many of We?"—Questions and Answers on difficulty occurred about the occupadifficulty occurred about the occupa-Church History-The Gift of Seeing-Prizes, etc.; Editorial Thoughts; Lib-erty; A Bedouff Chieftain (Ilbustrat-ed); Serious Reflections, HE, by H. P. Dotson; Gems of Truth, B. E. Rich; Do You Weed Your Garden, by S.; Topics of the Times, by the Editor; Silent Influences, by Augusta Joyce Crocheron; Parents and Children, by S. W. R. - Riesed Inhiles. Words by S. W. R. - Riesed Inhiles. Words by learn them."

> Howard O. Spencer was then quite a young man-20 to 25 years of age. He

was nephew to Daniel Spencer, of the firm of "Spencer, Little & Co.," mentioned in the quotation. The house and corral were located on a ranch in Rush Valley. The soldiers wanted the grazing land and ordered the proprieters to remove their stock, etc. As in those times discretion was the better part of valor in such cases, it was decided to vacate. For this purpose Howard O. Spencer and two or three others were sent out, arriving at the rauch on the afternoon of the 22nd. and we trust it will They intended removing all of the stock early next morning, and were watching it to prevent its being stolen. At the hour named the ranchmen were feeding the stock at the corral,

time, and as an evidence of the way in Mr. Stringam, and Le Grand Young N Sixth, South Temple and Sixth South for Mr. Spencer. On being arraigned before the Commissioner on the charge of murder, both of the accused pleadstreets. The assessment was confirmed and the assessor ordered to

COLLECT THE TAX.

Referring to the protests heretofore filed to the extension of the water p. m. The marshals say that Mr. Spencer admits having shot Sergeant Pike, but claims that he was justified, mains, the recorder reported as iolas the sergeant tried to kill him.

Extension along Second South Street from Eight East to a point midway between Ninth and Tenth East streets: Total valuation\$21,507 Extension along Third South Street, from Eight to Tenth East Street:

Total valuation\$36,350 Extension along Seventh East Street, from Third South to a point midway between Fourth and Fifth South streets:

Valuation protesting \$20,125 Valuation not protesting 6,50

Total valuation \$26,625 The protests against the extension along West Temple and North Temple streets were so overwhelmingly in the

time he applied for a franchise to lay majority that WAS a tramway along certain streets in this made. city, he supposed that his application The nrst two extensions were therere ordered to be made, while the last

was lost. The Council then adjourned until this evening.

A Card. To whom it may concern:

OBSERVA Having written, published and spok-TION. en many things derogatory to the

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and individuals connected therewith, I hereby express my heartfelt sorrow for having done so, and ask forgiveness of all whom I have in this or any other way wronged, as I hope to be forgiven of God, whom I feel I have offended. My regret beefficiently. Filed to come up with Mr. Remington's petition. The People's Forward og Company, W. Yates, T. J. Brown and others represented that the buildings of the Continental Oil Company has not been built in conformity with the adinance, which had resulted in the depiciation of the value of the petitioners prop-erty. They stated that there had re-cently been two fires on the premise of the oil company, and that their of was stored much nearer to buildings in that vicinity than is allowed under the ordinance. They also claimed that Win'em'oca Bawlins W. 46 because of my course is increased by the fact that I am convinced that the Church named and of which I was formerly a member is the true Church of Christ, established by revelation and commandment of God.

SCOTT ANDERSON. USASTROUS STORM.

Hailstones an Inch in Diameter-

All Kinds of Crops Destroyed-Bridges Carried Away and other Damage Done by Flood.

ORANGEVILLE, Emery County, August 3, 1888.

Editor Deseret News:

The Telephone Company stated that they had been notified of the action taken by the Council upon their patition We had, on the last day of July, as good a prospect for crops of all kinds as I ever saw in this section of counasking permission to erect poles in the middle of the streets, which was granted ou condition that the city be try, but today it is quite different. On the 1st and 2nd of August the destroyer furnished with such telephones as might be needed free of charge. They came along in the shape of hail stones. The icy chunks measured over an inch asked that the number of telephones

asked that the number of telephones be fixed definitely, and on motion of Councilor Dooley the number was fixed at six. H. Raddon, J. B. Kimball and others asked for an extension of the mains on Fourt Street east to Second Street, thence south to First Street. Referred to the committee on waterworks. W. N. L. Allen and others asked for an extension of the mains on Fourth Street. Referred to the committee on waterworks. second time. Where there was any fruit it was literally chewed up and beaten off the trees. Even limbs and leaves were cut off the trees. I could not mention anything in the field or garden but what was completely dewaterworks. C.O. Whittemore, J. E. Evans and others asked for an extension of the mains along Fifth South Street. Re-ferred to the committee on water-W, D. Owens and others protested

The streets were running a flood 1





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