

## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, SEPTEMBER 14.

Teddy Newfield met with quite a serious accident this morning at the Walker House. He was passing down the back stairs when he missed his footing and fell to the bottom, striking a corner of one of the steps in his fall. He sustained a bad scalp wound, which bled profusely. Dr. Wilcox was sent for and dressed the wound and Mr. Newfield is now getting along nicely.

Manti, Utah, Sept. 12, 1898.

The memorial services at the Tabernacle yesterday were very impressive. An immense audience had come to do silent honor to the departed leader of a devoted people. The stand was beautifully draped in pure white, crowned by a profusion of nature's loveliest flowers, the whole surmounted by a life-like picture of our late President in the background. The services were conducted under the direction of President J. B. Maiben, of the Stake Presidency.

The speakers dwelt lovingly upon the ideal character of the departed and as the words fell gently from their lips and found a ready sympathy in the soul of every listener, the solemnity of the time brought out the emotions so that every head was bent in silent reverence.

The many friends and acquaintances of Sister Alice Hardman, beloved wife of Isaac Hardman of the Fourth ward, this city, will regret to learn of the death of that estimable woman, which occurred at the family residence Tuesday, Sept. 13th at 3:25 p. m. Sister Hardman had been afflicted for a long time, but recently she rallied and it was hoped that her recovery would be permanent. But it was not so; a recurrence of her illness came on and at last she passed away surrounded by a devoted husband and several of her children. Sister Hardman was a good worker in the Relief society and in many respects made herself useful in the ward in which she lived. Deceased was born in Radcliff, England, Sept. 6, 1834, and emigrated to Salt Lake City in the year 1855, arriving here Sept. 25th. She was a kind and loving wife and mother and leaves to mourn her loss, 6 children and 21 grandchildren. She was the daughter of James Radcliff and Betty Whitaker, joined the Church in England and remained faithful to the end.

Florida Times-Union and Citizen: Captain Young of the Second volunteer cavalry, who was detailed in charge of the recuperation camp for convalescents at Pablo at the time that it was started several weeks ago, was in the city yesterday, and spoke most enthusiastically of the success of the camp.

"Why, nearly every day men are brought from the train on stretchers, being unable to walk," he said, "and in a week or ten days' time they are able to be around and are feeling all right, except having that homesick pain, which, of course, we can't cure them of. So far as the camp is concerned, however, it is in good condition in every way, and the men are getting plenty to eat and of the right kind of food. The trouble at first is, of course, that they want to overdo the thing by eating too much, and lots of fellows that are barely able to stand would go in bathing at once if we would let them. We have to look after these things, and perhaps some imagine that they are mistreated because we won't let them do just as they want."

Captain Young is known in his regi-

ment as a hustler, and is the right man in the right place at Pablo. He comes from Salt Lake City, and is grandson of Brigham Young.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, SEPTEMBER 15.

The Democratic State convention last night finished its labors and adjourned. Its choice for Congressman was Hon. B. H. Roberts, and its nominee for justice of the Supreme court Judge R. N. Baskin. Only one ballot was taken in each case. A new state committee was selected and platform and resolutions promulgated.

Carmarthen, South Wales,

August 25, 1898.

I, Hyrum Evans, of Rhymney, Monmouthshire, South Wales, desire to know of the whereabouts of my sister and brother-in-law, Margaret James and William James, who emigrated to Utah about thirty-five years ago from Cwm-seflog, near Rhymney, Monmouthshire. Any information as to their whereabouts can be sent to the Latter-day Saint mission house at 188 Cathays Terrace, Cathays, Cardiff, and oblige.

HYRUM EVANS.

The Home Fire Insurance company of Utah will celebrate its twelfth anniversary on Sept. 30th, it having been organized on that date in 1886. The board at its recent meeting declared the forty-second regular dividend of 1½ per cent on the capital of a quarter of a million, and it will be disbursed to stockholders on the 12th anniversary of the company.

Friends of home institutions will be glad to learn that the Home company is doing a greater volume of business at this time than ever before in its history, a result doubtless due not only to the confidence reposed in the company, but in the spread of the sentiment in favor of keeping money at home and building up local institutions.

The board of directors of the Utah Sugar company held their regular monthly meeting this morning, President Geo. Q. Cannon in the chair. General Manager Thos. R. Cutler made a statement of the prosperous run the factory is enjoying and said that the beets which were being daily received were of a higher grade than ever before in the history of the company.

The stockholders of the company, who number over 700 residents in all parts of Utah, will be pleased to learn that the board also declared a dividend of 5 per cent cash for the two quarters ending Sept. 30th, payment to be made on that date. It was also decided that regular quarterly dividends of 2½ per cent each should be paid hereafter, which will bring the next dividend, after the two to be paid on Sept. 30th, due on Dec. 31st.

Sugar stock, which has been on the upward trend for the last several months, reaching \$11.50 per share yesterday, will no doubt be further benefited by the action of the directors in providing for regular quarterly dividends hereafter.

A problem that has been puzzling the brains of the chemists ever since the discovery of Elaterite in Utah and that the putting of the mineral into solution so as to use it as a paint to prevent the accumulation of barnacles upon the bottom of sea-going vessels, has been solved by a Utah man.

For some time Captain Davis Price who was the locator of the guano deposits on Gunnison Island, Great Salt Lake, has been experimenting with

elaterite and has at last discovered a method whereby it can be put into solution cheaply enough to be used as a paint. He states that he can put the product upon the market at \$1 per gallon.

This will open up a business in Utah and will prove a saving of thousands of dollars to ship owners. The paint can be used under water so that divers can put it on without dry-docking. It has also been found to be a perfect barrier to the "borer grub" that attacks woods in hot climates, hence the railroad ties of such roads as the Panama, can be preserved.

Mr. Davis has applied for a patent upon his process of making the paint.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY, SEPTEMBER 16.

When the Populist state convention concluded its labors in the G. A. R. hall last evening it had nominated Warren Foster, editor of Living Issues, for Congress, and Judge J. N. Bowman for associate justice of the Supreme court of the State.

The Denver Post publishes the following letter from a Torrey Rough Rider, withholding the writer's name for fear of subjecting him to military discipline.

C. W. Bond, Dear Sir:—I write you these few lines for publication in order to show the public how the soldiers feel at the present time. When we enlisted in the Second regiment, United States volunteer cavalry, we enlisted to fight in the Spanish-American war and not to go to Cuba as an army of occupation, which seems to be the sentence at the present time. We get to read the Jacksonville papers regularly and they are continually blowing up the healthy climate of Florida, but it is not healthy by any means. Some of the troops that have from sixty to seventy are turning out from fifteen to twenty men to drill and the rest are on the sick list, and that looks suspicious.

The men are dying at the rate of from five to nine a day. Last night there were nine straight volleys fired, indicating that three more souls had passed away to the happy hunting grounds, when they might just as well have been home if it was not for the many sharks that run the whole affair to suit themselves, regardless of the poor soldiers.

I tell you, my Northern friends, it is enough to make any man with any ambition disgrace himself by deserting. I have felt that way many a time since I have been in the army. Why didn't I do it? Because I have folks in this country and the public would point them out and say, "There are the parents of a deserter from the Second United States volunteer cavalry."

It seems to me if they want an army of occupation in Cuba that there is enough men in the United States who want to belong to the regular service to answer the purpose. That is what they are for; but the volunteer does not enlist for that purpose. We enlisted to fight and not to stay down here in this unhealthy climate to die off. It is my opinion that if we stay here two months longer there will not be enough of us left to take care of the horses.

ONE OF TORREY'S REG.

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution was held at the President's office yesterday afternoon, Thursday, September 15th, 1898. In the proceedings at the meeting, Vice President George Q. Cannon called attention to the death of the late President Wilford Woodruff, by which a va-