dition; two of them died after being received at the hospital.

In comparison to the size the fatalities and suffering of East St. Louis greatly exceed those on the side of the river. A larger part of the central portion of the city is razed to the ground, while on the flats along the river back north of Eads bridge, not a house is left standing. The loss of life is terrible, scarcely one family seems to have escaped without some member being killed, while many households were wiped out of existence. A conservative estimate of the dead there is placed at 150.

The Catholic church of St. John of Nepomuk was demolished except the front, which stands like a tower.

Ray D. Moore, the Vandalia freight clerk, was caught in the wreck at the freight office with about twenty others. He was pinned in near six others who were all taken out alive. As to the twenty-five others he could not say what became of them.

Horace Trump, son of the bookkeeper of a sash factory, a year-and-a-half-old child of Mr. Trump, was in the office of the factory on the first floor, when the storm struck the house. The baby and the three-year-old daughter were instantly killed. Mrs. Trump is considerably bruised.

Standing on the viaduct bridge at midnight, one could hear the agonizing screams of the wounded. At a whole last night a special train was sent to Belleville for fire engines to assist in fighting the fire.

[illegible] FOR THE SUFFERERS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—The following resolution was presented to the House today by Jay, of St. Louis, and adopted:

"Be it resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled, that the secretary of war be and is hereby authorized to lend the mayor of St. Louis, under such regulations and conditions as he may deem proper, a sufficient number of tents or temporary shelter of such character as may have lost their homes by the tornado yesterday."

When the resolution reached the Senate, unanimous consent was given to take it up. Senator Vest said Missouri was able to take care of her people, and later reports had shown that the first reports of the terrible calamity had been exaggerated. He said it would do no harm to pass the resolution, however.

The resolution was changed from concurrent to joint and passed.

The Death List.

Joseph Martin, John Rafferty, Harry Hoss, Fred Herbill, 1208 south, 18th street, Robert Blake, John Beemer, Charles Metz, William Suber, Henry Winterhan, —— Andrews, —— Palmsley, Miss Conroy, Mrs Sims, John Hyde, Mrs. William Hayes, Mrs. Pat Boan, Miss Essie Bland, supposed to be under the wreck of the Vandalia depot; City Clerk Jerry Kain, Frank Bland, Frank McCutchich, Albert Villeman, Earl Stevens, George Woods, Miss Hodge, W. E. Rieter, Alvin Sale, Will Harvey, Dan Keely, George Romer, W. Fraham and W. Hanford, all employes in the Vandalia depot and believed to be in the room; Robert Wilson, cooper, employe of Lipsich & Myers' cigarette factory, twenty-five employes of S. Louis Window Cooler company; Malcom McDonald, 30, single, 2745 Clark avenue; John Fan-yi, a janitor, in the tower of St. Paul's church; William Ottewal, John Burgess, Wallace Boles, Robert Miller, Blair and Beebch avenues; Mr. Matlock and his two servant girls on the Martell house; Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Bags; George Woods, clerk in the Vandalia office; Henry Spricker, Vandalia line; Dr. O. H. Hall, dentist; two children of Mrs. Horace Trump, of Litchfield, Ill.; Mr. Bickey; Joe Franz; Joe Michels; Phil Strickler; Miss Michels; Charles Carroll, barber; Charles Kent; Mrs. Scott Hayward; Frank Ross; O. Kavenaugh; Jacob Karst; Vinchesta, Tenn.; Mrs. Chendowitz; Mrs. Bauer; Mrs. Frank Sullivan; Robert Blanty; John Beeing; Charles Walter; William Harper; Henry Winterman; —— Andrews; Peter Wahnsing; Miss Conroy; Mrs. Hilde; John Hayes; Mrs. Pat Boran; J. A. Fuller; Bell, Dean; Alexander Chambrigat; James Dunn; Francis Carthover; Fine Wain, 5 years old; Sarah Weis, 5 months old; Mr. Clarke and child; Peter Antonly; Max Weber; Melody McDonald, superintendent Waters, Pierce Oil Co.; Miss Julia Gardner; Alberta Iron Wright; Frank Fisher; Jessie Conroy; Isabelle Hirth, of the Sawyer manufacturing company; Charles Hardy, 2-year-old son, Alfred of Union express company's house, and Kate Carpenter.

INJURED.

Among the injured are: Tom Carroll and Joseph Ireland, caught under a doorway and were buried by the flying weatherboards; Abby Tuttle, St. Louis; Julius Kaufler, injured internally, not expected to live; Harry Smith, Sulcomer, Ill., badly injured; Charles Sibert, Newport, Ark., in a serious condition; Louis Mollet, Belleville, Mo., badly hurt; Peter Hall, robbery; James Maud, St. Louis; Danville, Va., believed to be badly injured; J. W. Tinsen, Mt. Pleasant; Lee Tinsen, all of Waterloo, Ill.; relatives of M. J. Tinsen; Patrick McMahon, serious bruises on the body; Ben Brennan, badly hurt; John Collins, badly hurt, abscessions; J. L. Hallman, embankment slid down road, arthritis; James Conway, badly injured by fire and shoulder; Peter O'Connor, aged 11, run over by a coal train while trying to ride.

The following names were taken at Bayne's grocery store: Mrs. Hughes; Patrick Tracy, right hand torn off; James Lannery, hurt internally; John Tommy, internally injured; F. Joseph Boyd, in tower, spine hurt; Mike Lloyd, internal injuries; Phillip Hoss, internal injuries; Jacob Schubert, injuries; James Lenthan, over an hour, scalp wounds; Thomas Griffith, leg broken; Doris Lewis, head and body cut; Carriage Runner; Albert Sutter, leg and arm broken.

AT THE CITY HOSPITAL.

Harry Silvers, Laurence Gildren, Mary Tinson, all three fatally injured; Conroy, very serious, gone to his home.

[illegible] ST. LOUIS VICTIMS.

Charles Weiss, William Sauer; Mrs. Hoist; J. A. Fuller; L. Schneider, fireman for the Vandalia; Alberta Hoist; John Hoist; Nate Hopwood; Peter Wahnsing; John Anderson; Mrs. Bragg; Frank Sherwood; John Hoist; W. J. Kennedy; Joseph Lloyd; Tom Kruse; Dan Fuller; William Fuess; Frank McCormick; James Fischer; a Pullerman Tennessee trouble and family of three; Frank Rice; Robert Blake; John Valentine; Dan Schooler; David S. Page was wife; Phillip Schlatter Jr. and brother; Judge Poole, Vandalia, Ill.; Mrs. Hoist; all the tourists at the Marcel House, except Judge Hoge of Atoka, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyt; Wm. Dan. Hoyt; all members of the Tribune House, numbered at 10; Miller Mitchell; William Mitchell; William Sullivan and wife; Mrs. John Bird; Patrick Dunn and family of six; John Barnes; Edward O'Brien; John Green; Ida Cantrell; Mrs. Rice; Albert Coleman; Mitchell; John Sullivan; William Hickey, son of Mrs. Ida Elmer Henry; Winterman; Jacob Kramer, and forty-one unidentified dead.

ANOTHER CYCLONE.

Pennsylvania Receives the Fatal Visitation.

ANDERSON, Ind., May 28.—A storm strikes this city last night, injuring several people and doing $200,000 damage. The buildings of the American Screwpost company, the American Bicycle company, the National Tin Plate company, and the Presbyterian church were blown down.

AT KEWANEE, ILL.

KEWANEE, Ill., May 28.—A terrible wind and electrical storm passed through this section early this morning doing great damage, several people are reported killed.

AT CENTRALIA.

CENTRALIA, Ill., May 28.—The storm for much crossed through south Illinois in a space defined by over a large extent of territory west, south and southeast of Centralia.

The New Baden village on the Air Line railroad West of Centralia was completely wiped out, only six houses remaining.

Thirty-six trees were lost there. At New Memphis, southeast of the city seven persons are reported killed and thirty injured. The opera house at nearby county seat, taking in the villages of Irvington, Bonview, Ashley, Hoyt, and Dix. Houses were blown down and persons killed at all those places.

It is estimated that in the counties of Clinton, Washington and Jefferson, fifty-two lives have been lost. All wires are down.

AT LANCASTER, PA.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 28.—Columbia was struck by a cyclone today. The Columbia Rolling Mills were razed to the ground; one man is reported killed.

The Last Victim.

DENVER, May 27.—There is no prospect at present of a settlement of the strike of the miners. Colorado coal miners and the conditions are most serious," said W. K. Kent, state labor commissioner, who returned from the mines at the Denver today. "The men are determined to remain out and see the consequences, while the operators are persistent in their efforts to have wind resumed at all the mines in the district. The loss to the [illegible] caused by the strike is close on to $600."

The Maxwell Coal company is still determined to visit the miners and their families of the men do not return to work by next Monday.

Trial of Socialists.

BERN, May 27.—The demand for the authority of the Chamber of Deputies to prosecute Gen. Lacroix, the Italian commander responsible for the school sustained by the Italians early at Adowa, has been published. It

That

Knowing and feeling sufferers nearly every day in this season. The humiliations, pain, the distress, are nearly, the worst part of the whole matter. Thousands know and testify to the wonderful power of

Tired

Feeling by great users of well. But this is needed, as it gets powerfully into the serious cause, which is the real beginning and cause. Thousands praise "more on Hood's sarsa." and the most honest is our Hood's sarsa is more popular "without pretension." It is every dose that. That tired

Feel-

ing is a positive proof of bile, weak, impure blood, for if the blood is right, only exertion and exposure should cause a tired feeling. The necessity of taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for that tired feeling is therefore apparent to every one, and the power of the medicine to cure it, and the power of it to prevent serious sickness. Remember that

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Hood's Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25 cts. of druggists. Address, C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

WEATHER AND TEMPERATURE.

The weather bureau in connection with the Deseret News, furnishes the following particulars of the weather in this city today, in low and temperature, for the last twenty-four hours, ending at 7 p. m. Today's temperature is shown by the fine sample thermometer given below.

PROVO.

PROVO, UTAH, MAY 28, 1896.

Democratic County Convention.

The Democratic county convention opened this morning at 10:30 in the Opera house, and was called to order by Hon. Abel J. Evans, chairman of the county central committee. Orson Greer of Spanish Fork was caused to be temporary chairman. He made an enlivening speech and urged the election of delegates to the state convention who were in favor of the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. Miss Mary Brown was elected temporary secretary. The complete temporary organization was then completed at the time of making this report. The object of the convention is to elect sixty-four delegates to the State convention held in Salt Lake June 5th. There was a large representation of ladies noticeable among the delegates.

The I. O. O. F. Visit.

The special B. G. W. train from Salt Lake carrying the Salt Lake Odd Fellows and other visitors joined in with Provo's last evening with about 200 passengers; about 100 had arrived earlier in the day and spent the time pleasantly in visiting friends. The council was met at the depot by the Provo lodge, accompanied by the Springville band. The members of the street paraded to the I. O. O. F. hall and the initiatory degree was conferred upon Jesse C. Graham Jr. The visitors enjoyed themselves with Provo friends in the Opera House, where a ball was given in their honor. The ladies were joined by the Odd Fellows after the exercises in the lodge were concluded, and a very pleasant time was enjoyed. The visitors left for home at 10:30 well satisfied with their visit.

Notes.

Two hundred and forty-nine fish-eating birds were killed on Utah Lake by the Provo pointsmen in their rail-bird Tuesday.

The following officers have been elected by the Garfield City Lodge No. 19, K. of P., for the ensuing six months: George E. Harry, C. C.; F. J. Berry, V. C.; John W. McKinnon, P. C.; H. Weed, M. at W.; C. W. Barnes, M. at A.; N. S. Otter, I. G.; H. G. Blomquist, O. G.

Jos. L. Bullock brought in a sample of ore taken from a three-foot vein in the Mineral lode, located a mile and a half east of River City, Tintic. An assay showed 97.21 ounces silver and $5.97 gold.

Sanpete Stake Conference.

EPHRAIM, Sanpete county, Utah, May 19, 1896.—The conference of the Sanpete Stake was held in Manti on the 16th and 17th of May, 1896. There were present of the Apostles Lorenzo H. M. Lyman and Heber J. Grant; of the Stake presidency, Henry Beal and J. B. Mallen, President Peterson, presiding being absent by the severe illness of his wife; High Counselors Robison in the stand. A very large congregation was in attendance at all the meetings.

After the morning exercises Elder Lyman was requested by President Robison to give a concise report of the faith and condition of their wards.

Thirteen wards were reported, three more no report. Peace generally prevails; no difficulties among the saints; Sacrament meetings generally well attended; but meetings not so well attended as they should be; the poor generally well provided; a liberal feeling to help the needy; temporal affairs not quite as serious as the young people; health generally good at the present time.

Elder Henry Beal said many who had been calculated to cause pain, never attending meetings, were now quite earnest in their duties.

Elder J. B. Mallen said this was the fifth conference of this Stake. He was pleased to note the growth of the faith in the principles of the Gospel as the outstanding; their weaknesses may be growing in the knowledge of God.

Elder Lyman said he was pleased to hear the reports of the Bishops. The Saints are commencing to appreciate the blessing of the semi-annual visit from the brethren from the Stake, and are improving in their duties and wards, so are larger dependent on others—Bishops and presidents of Stakes—who are always with the people. He spoke on Church discipline, and there is not much work, although there is a great deal of unwritten discipline that is well understood. We have but few forms of chastisement in the Church; have a written form of prayer for the Patriarchs. Thought if we had more forms we might be well. He spoke on the magnitude of the labor involved in effecting the salvation of man; that it is a great thing to take man in his fallen state and prepare him to return into the presence of his God. He also spoke on the life sufferings and death of the Savior. Examine the Saints to be obedient, so everyone will be rewarded for what they do, and not for what they may have intended to do, but did not.

A Priesthood meeting was held at 2 p. m. on the 16th, which was well attended. A great deal of instructions were given by which the Saints may profit.

Sunday 10 a. m.—Elder McAllister exhorted the Saints to call the services of the opportunities afforded in laboring for themselves and their dead.

Elder John H. Maiden presented the Grand auxiliary authorities, all sustained by unanimous vote.

Elder Grant spoke on the importance of praying for the authorities of the Church when by our side we can see we do not believe our prayers will be answered; that those who keep the commandments of God never become tired in their labors, or of bearing the burdens of the Saints well upon.

2 p. m.—Elder Heber J. Grant again addressed the conference. He said there were many young people present who had not an absolute knowledge of the divinity of the work. It was just as necessary that they should have the testimony as to all their fathers and mothers should. The Lord said that he would make the will of the Father shell know of the doctrine whether it be of God or not. There is as it stand it, the statement is an absolute promise to those who keep the commandments of God that they should know of the doctrine. The Gospel must be studied as we would study any other science; study the ancient Prophets, study the prophecies of the Prophet Joseph and witness their fulfillment, and ask God in the name of Jesus Christ to give His Holy Spirit, which will give you a knowledge as to whether it be of God or not. He said he knew the signs so promised do follow the believer. Related the promise to his Patriarchal blessing and also to that of Elder Lyman in Salt Lake City, being promised the Apostolic same years before they were called thereto; also of John Henry Smith receiving a promise of the Priesthood while his brother George A. Jr. received no such promise in his blessing and was afterward killed by the Indians.

Elder Lyman read the parable of ten virgins. He referred to six being called to the Apostleship; said he did not believe that the Patriarch before laying his hands upon him believed it to be among the most remote possibilities, his father having been unfortunate. He told of laying his hands on the daughter of Samuel Pitchforth of Nephi; she was alone blind and was received her sight; of Benjamin Hancock, who was alone blind, who received his sight by the anointing of oil and the laying on of hands, he being a believer in the Gospel. Said he was pleased to announce to this conference that the people in the Stake in their ward conferences had voted unanimously to sustain the editors; asked the to bless the people of this Stake.

After singing and benediction conference adjourned for three months, to meet in Mount Pleasant.

GEORGE TAYLOR,
Clerk of Conference.

SALT LAKE CLEARING HOUSE.

Today's clearing house exchanges amounted to $270,000. Same day last year, Domination day.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

New York.—Silver, 68½; lead, $3.05.
London.—Silver, 31½.

ORE AND BULLION.

Wells, Fargo & Co. received today: Ores, bullion, $4,797.

W. S. McCornick & Co. received today: Silver and lead ores, $21,900; cyanide, $1,386. Total, $23,286.

T. R. Jones & Co. received today: Ores, $11,700; bullion, $6,200. Total, $17,900.

DEATHS.

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

The National Life Insurance Company's

Policies are the best issued. Compare them.
GEO. D. ALDER, General Agent,
301-302 McCornick Block,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Annual Statement

For the year ending December 31, 1895, of the condition of the National Life Insurance Company of the United States of America, to the insurance department of the state of Utah, in pursuance of the laws relating to insurance companies.

The amount of its capital stock paid up is ..... No
The amount of its capital stock unpaid is ..... No
The amount of its assets is $11,116,316 31
The amount of its liabilities including capital 10,764,976 31
The amount of its surplus over all its liabilities 1,345,179 38
The income of its agency, including all its other agencies, for the year ending December 31, 1895, from premiums $3,389,816 37
The expenditures during the year were 2,353,234 40

STATE OF UTAH,
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

Charles Emery, President, being duly sworn, reports to said state as follows: Regarding the business of said company in the state of Utah during the year ending December 31, 1895, and that the facts therein stated are true to the best of his knowledge and belief. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of May, A. D. 1896.

H. E. CUTLER,
Notary Public.

STATE OF UTAH,
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I, James T. Hammond, secretary of state of the state of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the annual statement of the general condition of the above named insurance company, filed in my office on the 20th day of May, 1896, in pursuance of the laws of the state of Utah relating to insurance companies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the State of Utah, at Salt Lake City, this 20th day of May, 1896.

J. T. HAMMOND,
Secretary of State.

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that nine-tenths of my troubles were caused by constipation, I began the use of Ayer's Pills, which have kept me entirely free from constipation, never having an attack that did not promptly yield to their remedy. My wife, who took your medicine for years, also began to use Ayer's Pills, and her health was greatly improved. With our children I had no trouble, as I always gave them a dose of Ayer's Cathartic when they needed it, and had the pleasure of knowing that my children as well as myself, owe a debt of gratitude to Dr. J. C. Ayer's pills." —O. Whitcomb, Ripon, Ill.

AYER'S PILLS
Highest Honors at World's Fair.
Ayer's Sarsaparilla Strengthens the System.

While in Stockton, Cal., some time ago, Thos. F. Langan, of Los Banos, that state, was taken very severely with cramps and diarrhoea. He chanced to meet Mr. C. M. Carter, who was similarly afflicted. He says: "I told him of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and we went to the Holden Drug Store and procured a bottle of it. It gave Mr. Carter prompt relief and I can vouch for its having cured me." For sale by druggists.

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WILLIAM R. DOLLIVER, District Manager for Utah.
56-58-57 Commercial Block, Salt Lake City.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the year ending December 31, 1895, of the condition of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, made to the insurance department of the state of New York, in pursuance of the laws relating to insurance companies.

The amount of its capital stock paid up is	No capital stock paid up
The amount of its assets is	$101,315,555 43
The amount of its liabilities including capital is	93,347,337 19
The amount of its net surplus over all liabilities is	14,968,218 24
The amount of its income during the year, resulting in this state, from which surplus or profit was made or earned (company not made in William M. Bunn)	$13,287,257 79
The receipts during the year were	$13,287,257 79
The expenditures during the year were	$13,287,257 79

STATE OF NEW YORK,
County of New York. } ss.

Henry E. Lloyd, second Vice President of The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the above mentioned officer of said company, and that the foregoing statement of the general condition of said company, so far as the same relates to the business of Utah, is correct according to the best of his information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

HENRY E. LLOYD,
Second Vice President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May, A. D. 1896.

ALFRED MACKAY,
Commissioner for the state of Utah in New York.

STATE OF UTAH,
Office of Secretary of State. } ss.

I, James T. Hammond, secretary of state of the state of Utah, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the annual statement of the general condition of the above named insurance company, filed in my office on the 20th day of May, 1896, in pursuance of the laws of the state of Utah relating to insurance companies.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the state of Utah, at Salt Lake City, this 20th day of May, 1896.

J. T. HAMMOND,
Secretary of State.

Suicide Near Ogden.

OGDEN, May 27.—A man named Thomas Ryan, who lives in Ogden, committed suicide by hanging himself in a barn near the city this morning. He had been drinking for some days and was in a state of mind bordering on insanity. He left a wife and family.

Fatal Gasoline Explosion.

DENVER, May 27.—A special to the Republican from Grand Junction, Colo., says:

The boiler of engine No. 147 on the Rio Grande Western exploded this evening while pulling a freight train between Helper and the city on a gasoline-burning mine near Green River. Jim Cole, fireman, and an old-time western man, and Harry Bennett, engineer, were killed, and Engineer Kinnie and Fireman Tom Bauer seriously and probably fatally injured. A special train left this city at 5:45 p. m., and will return at midnight with the victims. Conductor Campbell is well known here, where he has lived quietly years. He was making his last trip over the division previous to being transferred to Ogden.

South African Cables.

LONDON, May 28.—A Capetown dispatch to the Times says: Dr. W. J. Leyds, secretary of state, and General Joubert, vice-president of the South African republic, are visiting Bloemfontein to be present at the debate in the Volksraad on the change the state of a proposition to a direct union with the South African republics.

NOT IN CINCINNATI.

Pastor Hermann Seems to Have Completely Escaped Detection So Far.

The whereabouts of Pastor Hermann is still unknown. At an early hour this morning Chief of Police Peale received a telegram from the chief of police at Cincinnati, Ohio, asking for a complete description of the fugitive. The desired information was promptly sent, but an answer soon afterwards brought the news that the men they were holding there as a suspect bore absolutely no resemblance to Hermann. No news has been received today from any point beyond that contained in a letter from the Hermannsburg minister at Baltic to the Rev. Mr. Mack. The letter said no details were of a private character and would not be given out for publication.

ANNIE IN HIS THOUGHTS.

Hermann Sends Word to Miss Lessen, Cousin of One of the Murder Girls.

Hermann wrote the following letter to Miss Lessen, cousin of Miss Emma Wise, from Owatonna, Minnesota, March 12, 1896:

Dear Ann—I will now send you a few lines as I promised, and let you know that my health is good and that the Lord is with me, and to ask you if you have heard anything from Anna. I don't understand why she has not gone to see you wrong, but I hope you have seen from her before this. When I reach Chicago I shall try to find them, if possible, because I am almost sure that it is her fault. It might be that Anna has not made up her mind, and perhaps she is more happy than I can imagine.

I have now been in Ohio, Helena, Wichita and Grand Forks. Those places are in Montana and North Dakota, and I am now in Owatonna, Minn. I am now among my relations and friends, and I feel well, but sometimes one is not thoughtful. I am very glad that you are home in Omaha. I have never thought anything else than to do Anna good, and if it goes wrong for her, it is her own fault.

I shall leave here for Minneapolis next week, and shall be very thankful to you if you will send me a few lines an answer to this letter as soon as you receive it, so I can have it when I reach Minneapolis, because I intend to stay there about a week or more.

I remain, and you an addressed envelope with stamp so you can send your letter to me. Please be good and let me know if there is any news in Salt Lake City, and how people are there.

Look upon me now, Ann, after this, as a dear friend, and hope to hear from you, and that our friendship may grow closer. I have given my best regard to Annie Vessing.

Your faithful friend,
P. HERMANN.

MINOR MENTION.

Tonight and tomorrow night the West Side Dramatic and Comedy company appears in the Fifth ward meeting house, when they will present to those assembled the Bowery drama, Broken Promises. The members of the company have given over much time to rehearsals, until they have become well drilled in their respective roles as to warrant the assertion that an enjoyable and interesting time is in store for those who attend. It is given as a ward benefit.

W. M. Eddy, of Ireland and Arrow fame, who was arrested on Tuesday upon the charge of being from Idaho, has been released from the city jail. The reason for his action are that the governor of Montana refused to issue a requisition.

Home From England.

Last evening we had a pleasant call from Elder Frederic Schiler of the Fifth ward of this city, who has been on a mission in Great Britain for two years past. He left this city on April 21, 1894, and returned yesterday, May 27, 1896. The missionary labors were confined to the London conference of the British mission, where he met with good success and kind treatment, and where the prospects of the work are excellent. Elder Schiler had good health and enjoyed the labors in the mission field. The journey home was pleasant throughout.

No Ward Meetings.

As the general annual conference of the Y. M. M. I. A. of the Church will be in session on Sunday, May 31st, the officers of the several wards in Salt Lake City are requested not to hold meetings in the evening, but to join the people to attend the conference.

JAMES D. STORRS,
Chief of Staff.

Stake S. S. Reports Wanted.

Sunday school reports for the quarter ending March 31, 1896, have not been received from the wards named below. Superintendents will please have them forwarded as soon as possible: Bonneville, Pioneer, Fifth, Sixth, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fifteenth, Pioneer, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-second (two reports), Twenty-third, and Dee Mills, also Center, Farmers, Forest Dale, Big Cottonwood, Half Dale, Brighton, Lake Crescent, Granite, Granger, Mill Creek (south branch), Murray, Pleasant View, Pleasant Green, Riverton, South Jordan, Union, West Jordan and Taylorsville.

J. H. PARRY, Sec'y.

Supreme Court.

The case of James Mellinger vs the Silver King Mining company and Crescent Mining company vs Silver King Mining company were being argued before the supreme court adjourn time this afternoon. In the above cases Justices Bane and Barich being disqualified, District Judges Street and Hobbs were called to sit in their stead.

The Coming Carnival.

The voting contest is now engaging the attention of the Carnival managers, it now requiring most of their time in the afternoon to count the votes. Last evening the vote stood:

Miss Emma Ramsey	1,[illegible]
Miss Mary Brown	1,[illegible]
Miss Ella Jennings	1,[illegible]
Miss Annie Cannon	1,[illegible]
Miss Carrie Cannon	1,[illegible]
Miss Clara Clayton	1,[illegible]

Keep your voting coupons this time if you want to be counted.

Mrs. E. S. Ballantyne	[illegible]
Miss Nellie Spencer	[illegible]
Miss Ella Jennings	[illegible]
Miss Annie Cannon	[illegible]
Miss Carrie Cannon	[illegible]
Miss Clara Clayton	[illegible]
Miss Emma Ramsey	[illegible]
Miss Mary Brown	[illegible]
Miss Ella Ellis	[illegible]
Miss Ella Ellis	[illegible]
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