

blazed up and the poor child ran to his mother's room. The sick woman got out of her bed, and after a great effort extinguished the flames, but her boy had been fearfully burned about the face, chest and arms.

The quiet and peaceful town of Redwood, Cal., was shocked when it was learned that John Tribolet, a village blacksmith, scarcely 19 years old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Tribolet, and Jennie Clifford, a blonde of 18 summers, the youngest daughter of Edward Clifford, had eloped. The young man had been paying attention to the young lady, and his father told him he must stop it and pay closer attention to business. This enraged him, and dressing in his best he went to the Clifford home and the two decided to elope and go to San Francisco and get married. The girl took with her \$43, and the mother upon missing the sum became suspicious and notified the officers.

Lander, Wyo., Clipper: Charles Lejeune, who lives on the Indian reservation four miles below this city on the Pupo Agie river, was run over by a coal wagon loaded with 7,000 pounds of coal at an early hour Friday morning, crushing both legs above the ankles. It appears that Charlie came to town and was drinking more or less during the night, starting out on foot, going toward Fort Washakie sometime near morning, but being intoxicated, probably sat down in the road and went to sleep. Before daylight Ed. Pope was on his way to the Shoshone agency with his immense load, a team being gentle gave no sign, and before he discovered the presence of the man both wheels passed over him. Both legs were frightfully crushed, the shattered bones protruding through the skin and bleeding profusely. He was hastily carried to the Fremont hotel and Dr. Dunham and Callaway summoned, who at once gave the suffering man such relief as was possible. It is impossible to say what the outcome will be at present, but amputation of both legs will undoubtedly be necessary.

The value of the California and Nevada railway as a means of entering San Francisco is being looked into by the officials of the Denver and Rio Grande railway at Oakland, Cal., and it is possible that the little Alameda county narrow-gauge line may pass into the control of the big corporation named. At the request of Chas. H. Smith of Denver, who now has control of the first mortgage bonds of the line, says an Oakland dispatch, Receiver C. K. King has prepared an extended report on the road, and copies of the document have been sent to Denver. Smith is a son of Captain Smith, who projected and built the road and ever since he secured the position he now holds he has been endeavoring to do something with the road. As the report prepared by Receiver King points out, the little 22-mile line offers one of the few openings still left by which San Francisco may be reached from this side of the bay. The creek and the land in the vicinity of the point are covered by a network of Southern Pacific tracks, and any more franchises there are out of the question. The California and Nevada has a good terminus at Emeryville and has a right of way through the

northern end of Oakland that would be very difficult to duplicate at this time. Receiver King has pointed out all those facts and has added the assertion that if the line were put through to Walnut creek it could be made self-supporting. Mr. King did not care to discuss the matter when seen Saturday afternoon. He admitted that Mr. Smith, who now controls the first mortgage bonds was endeavoring to do something with the road and might lay a proposition before the Denver and Rio Grande. He said that Smith had written to him for a description of the property and that he had prepared one for him. It is understood that an engine of the Denver and Rio Grande railway is to be sent here from Denver at an early date. No particular significance is attached to the matter, for it has been given out here that the engine was purchased from the Denver and Rio Grande by Mr. Smith.

## OBITUARY NOTES.

CATHERINE GREER SANDERS.

DRAPER, Utah, Nov. 29.—Catherine Greer Sanders, the beloved wife of Thos. Sanders, departed this life Sunday, Nov. 22, 1896, at her home in Draper. Deceased was born in Douglas, Isle of Man, England, June 21, 1833, and at the age of 14 embraced the Gospel and emigrated to Utah in 1853; settled in Salt Lake City until April, 1878, when she with her husband and family moved to Draper, where she resided until her death.

Sister Sanders was the mother of four children, three daughters and one son; one daughter and her son survive her.

The funeral services were held in the Draper ward house on Wednesday, Nov. 25, 1896, under the direction of Bishop William C. Allen, the ward choir furnishing some beautiful selections. Elder Neils Boberg offered the opening prayer. The speakers on the occasion were A. W. Smith, Lauritz Smith Sr., William M. Stewart, Counselor Heber Smith and Bishop Allen, all of whom bore testimony to her faithfulness. Sister Sanders was loved and respected by all. She was connected in the Sunday School as a teacher for a number of years when she first came here; also was a teacher in the Relief society for nearly fourteen years, and at her death she held the position as treasurer for the society. She has filled that office faithfully for a number of years. The floral tributes were fine, among them being a very beautiful anchor, made from white chrysanthemums; also a pillow of flowers with the words inscribed, "Our treasurer." Sister Sanders was laid by the side of her daughter in the Draper cemetery. The grave was dedicated by Elder William M. Stewart. S. B.

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W. F. WISCOMBE.

After an illness of two months, W. F. Wiscombe died in Springville, Utah county, Utah, Nov. 27, 1896, at 6:15 a. m., of typhoid malaria. Deceased was born June 30th, 1843, at Oving, Sussex, Old England; was the son of James and Mary Ann Fleet Wiscombe, was baptized when eight years old a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Having faith and being counseled by David P. Kimball he left his native home in June, 1864 (being then about 21 years of age) without a dollar, to work his way to Utah, which he did by cooking on board the ship he crossed the sea in, also drove team and cooked across the plains, arriving here in November, the same year, after hav-

ing suffered with the cold, snow storms and exposure.

He was always on hand to respond to any call that was made of him. As a small boy he was always known by his sterling integrity to the Gospel, which trait he always carried out through life. He was best loved by those who knew him most.

After arriving in Utah he worked and earned means to emigrate his father, mother and two sisters, two sisters having emigrated before him. He was married June 17, 1872, to Sarah Newland, late of Portsmouth, England, in the Endowment House, Salt Lake City. He was the father of eleven children, six boys and five girls, all of whom are now living except one little girl who died of diphtheria ten years ago, the eldest being twenty-three years old, the youngest being a little girl five months old. He also leaves a grief-stricken wife and five sisters to mourn his loss, he being the only boy in the family.

He will be greatly missed by the people of Springville, as he held many responsible offices, both religiously and politically, and was always a faithful friend to the poor and needy. For many years he was acting president of the Priests' quorum under the direction of Bishop William Bringham.

Funeral services were held at the Latter-day Saints' meeting house at 2 p. m. Sunday, November 29th. The speakers were William Bromley of American Fork, William Yates of Lehi, Benjamin Blanchard and James E. Hall of Springville. Their remarks were replete with enlogistic references to the deceased, and words of hope for those left behind. The meeting house was crowded to the utmost capacity with the friends who came to pay their last tribute of respect to their friend and brother. The casket was beautifully decorated with floral offerings by the friends and relatives.—[Com.

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## THE DEAD.

Peaceful be their Rest.

PETERS.—In Salt Lake City, December 5th, 1896, of chronic asthma, Frederick Peters, aged 72 years, 7 months and 14 days.

MURDOCH.—In this city, December 4, 1896, of tuberculosis, Lizzie Lindsay Murdoch, wife of James D. Murdoch, aged 39 years and 6 months.

PROCTOR.—In Union ward, Salt Lake county, December 8th, of pneumonia, Martha Ann, daughter of Alma and Jane Proctor, in the fourteenth year of her age.

BATEMAN.—In West Jordan, Wednesday, December 2, of an abscess of the stomach, Joseph Bateman, the son of James M. and Maria L. Watkins Bateman; aged 19 years and 5 months.

MOUNTIER.—In this city, Dec. 9th, of purpural eclampsia, Emily Hannah, the beloved daughter of Charles Edward and Julia Emily Ottensold Mountier. Deceased was born on March 30, 1872.

JENKINSON.—At her residence in the Fifteenth ward, this city, On Tuesday, Dec. 8th, 1896, Hannah Jenkinson, wife of the late William Jenkinson, and mother of Mrs. Julia A. Silverhood; born at Woodhouse Fives, Leicestershire, England, July 15th, 1827; emigrated from Rugby, Warwickshire, England, and for many years past has been in the employ of the Union Pacific Railway Co. in this city. She was a faithful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and died in full hope of a glorious resurrection. She leaves an only daughter and two grandchildren.

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SHOELL.—At Pleasant Grove, Frederick Shoell, on Sunday at 3 a. m. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 15th, at 2 p. m., in the First ward meeting house. Friends respectfully invited.