

## LOCAL NEWS.

FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY JAN. 17.

**Visit of Students.**—Professor J. E. Talmage, of the B. Y. Academy, and the classes in physics and chemistry from that worthy institution, are up from Provo visiting such of our public institutions as are calculated to illustrate their studies or afford them food for thought. We were pleased to receive a call this morning from the Professor and Messrs. Collett and Snow, the latter of whom is one of the teachers. The party propose to pay a visit to the press-room, type foundry, etc., of the News office this afternoon.

**"Juvenile Instructor."**—The second number of volume twenty of this valuable publication is before us, and a hasty glance convinces us that its contents are such as will please and instruct children of a larger growth as well as juveniles. By the way, this is about the time of year when the subscriptions to that magazine are usually renewed, and we would like to suggest to those of the public who may be undecided as to the kind of reading matter to supply the family with during the present year, that the *Juvenile Instructor* is almost indispensable if the proper education of the children is a consideration.

**A Misunderstanding.**—Mr. John Capson, the gentleman mentioned in last evening's issue as being charged before Judge Spiers with conducting a small mercantile business south of the city without a license, called this morning and explained that he had previously paid his revenue license and did not know he was required to pay any other. But last Wednesday or Thursday Jos. E. Morris called and notified him of the other license; whereupon Mr. Capson said he was coming to town Friday (yesterday) and would pay it.

On entering the office of the County Clerk to pay his license yesterday, he was much surprised to learn that Mr. Morris had arrived in the city first and sworn out the complaint against him, and that he was obliged to pay \$6.25 costs, besides his license.

**Particulars of his Death.**—Day before yesterday we published a brief dispatch announcing the accidental shooting of Brother George S. Grant, and the following communication from yesterday's Ogden *Herald* gives the particulars of the fatal accident:

"Yesterday, the citizens of this place engaged in a rabbit hunt which terminated very disastrously. After the rabbits were counted and the result declared, and while all were merrily chaffing each other in the matter, Brother Geo. S. Grant, while getting into the wagon to drive home, was instantly killed by the discharge of his gun, the load entering a little below and in front of his right ear, and lodging in the brain. The feelings of the party were past description and the whole community are cast in gloom over the sad accident; for he was, perhaps, the most generally known and esteemed citizen of the place."

JAS. STODDARD.

OAKLEY, Idaho, Jan. 14th, 1885.

**A Pleasant Trip.**—We had a pleasant call this morning from Brother Reuben Kirkham, who is now on his way to his home in Logan. He has made a complete tour of the Territory, in company with Brother Martin Harris, exhibiting the panorama of the Book of Mormon. They have visited more than one hundred of the principal towns and settlements, exhibiting the pictures in each. The trip was a success in every way, and the panorama, with the accompanying lecture, was everywhere appreciated and received with pleasure.

While in Washington County, the brethren received a cordial invitation from the citizens of Silver Reef, nearly, if not all, of whom are non-"Mormons," to come and exhibit there. They accepted the invitation and gave to a very orderly and attentive audience an exhaustive lecture on the Book of Mormon, illustrated by the beautiful paintings of the panorama. During the trip, Brother Kirkham has made numerous sketches from nature, some of which possess considerable merit, and now the artist intends to spend a few months in developing them on canvass. The panorama will be exhibited at Bountiful this evening.

**Wedding Bells.**—Your reporter recently received the following card:

"Brother and Sister William Taylor desire your company on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, at their residence, Mill Creek, on Friday afternoon, January 16th, 1885, at 1 o'clock."

Pursuant to invitation we were on the ground armed and equipped with a most formidable appetite, which was whetted to a keen edge by a rapid ride of about nine miles against a frosty wind. On approaching the premises we descried numerous wagons, carriages and sleighs, and on entering the house, were warmly welcomed by the host and hostess, and a bewildering multitude of

"His uncles and his cousins and his aunts." All relatives of the departed daughter, "Janie," who had just been happily launched, in company with her smiling bridegroom, Virgil W. Merrill, upon the ocean of matrimony. We were told that 90 guests sat down to the bountiful repast provided. "Uncle William," the bride's father, smiled benignly upon the happy company, who being nearly all acquainted, shook hands, kissed the bride and dove into the turkeys

with impartial vigor and enthusiasm. When we add that "Aunt Jane," the bride's mother resolved herself into committee on reception while at the same time she exercised her French skill as *chef de cuisine* we need not add that the cooking was entirely *en règle* and that the guests throughout enjoyed themselves from the silver crowned grandparents to the golden haired light infantry. We may add that not a single incident occurred to mar the happiness of those present, who joined heartily in the wish that the new bark might glide merrily down the stream of time to the haven of rest.

## A BIG BLAZE.

THE MORGAN SMELTER CONSUMED BY FIRE.

About ten o'clock last night our citizens were startled by a fire alarm. Information had been received, by telephone, to the effect that the Morgan Smelter, situated a short distance south of this city, was on fire. A number of interested men started at once for the scene.

An employee in moving a slag-pot to the northeast corner of the building had accidentally upset a portion of the contents, which set fire to the building. A breeze was blowing from the north and in a short time the flames had taken hold of the building that all efforts to extinguish the fire were useless. And the building was burned to the ground.

This smelter was built by Ben. W. Morgan about nine years ago, and cost \$5,000. About four years ago, A. Hanauer Esq., took the works in charge, and has since enlarged to double the capacity. Eighty men were employed, and nearly all of them will be out of employment for a month or more. Mr. Hanauer expects to have one furnace in blast inside of thirty days, provided the English Insurance Companies, with whom the works were insured to the amount of \$10,000, make an immediate settlement. Mr. Hanauer says it is his intention to rebuild and improve as soon as practicable. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

## TERRITORIAL ITEMS.

CULLED FROM LATEST EXCHANGES.

—The Weber Stake of Zion is holding a Quarterly Conference in the Ogden Tabernacle to-day and tomorrow.

—A man died of smallpox at Huntington, Idaho, Friday last. The victim was among the emigrants blockaded there by the snow.

Governor Hale, of Wyoming, whose death we noticed in a recent issue, was buried yesterday at Cheyenne, under Masonic auspices.

—Richard Olds, the man who was so seriously injured while ascending the shaft of one of the mines near Butte the other day, died from the effects of his injuries, and was buried last Wednesday.

—Eli Murray, Governor of Utah, according to the *News-Miner*, will arrive at Boise this week. He is going to help put the finishing touch on disfranchising the Mormons in Idaho. —*Idaho Democrat.*

—The store of George Woodworth, of Butte, M. T., was entered Wednesday morning by burglars, and goods to the amount of \$175 were taken. Circumstantial evidence goes to show that the deed was done by some Chinamen, but no arrests have been made.

—The employees of the Provo factory had a grand sociable last Thursday evening, just previous to separating for the winter, as the factory is generally closed during the coldest weather. It was held in the Court room, and upwards of 200 persons were present.

—Mayor Dusenberry, of Provo, met with quite a painful accident on Tuesday night. While crossing A Street he slipped on the ice and one of his ankles was sprained. Two persons coming up at the time assisted the Mayor back to his home, where he has since remained, being unable to attend to his business.

—The Denver & Rio Grande train coming west ran over and maimed a steer near Bingham, Thursday afternoon. The train was stopped, and a brakeman, armed with a large calibre revolver, was sent to put the animal out of misery; but the animal turned upon his would-be slayer, and was only stopped after ten shots had been fired into his head and body. Although both hind legs were nearly severed just below the knee, the brute seemed to forget its sufferings in a mad effort to reach the brakeman.

—Mrs. Alice Wilson, wife of Mr. L. A. Wilson, died at Provo on Wednesday night, shortly after giving birth to a child. Her husband had gone to the drug store to obtain some medicine, and Dr. Hannberg, who had attended the lady, had gone home, feeling assured that she would get along all right, when she was seized with fainting spells and died, there being only her attendant in the house at the time. The child is living and doing well. The grief of the husband may be imagined when, on returning home, he found his wife had died during his brief absence. Bro. Wilson has the sympathy of the entire community.

—Nearly two months ago a man named Phil Shuman, who pretended to be a stockman, fraudulently obtained money to the amount of \$72 from Eli Simmons of Ogden, and then left for parts unknown. Since that time the officers have been on the alert for him, but no clue to his whereabouts could be obtained until last Thursday afternoon,

when Sheriff G. R. Belnap, of Weber County, happened to come across him here in the city and immediately seized the culprit. He was taken yesterday before U. S. Commissioner D. W. Felshaw, and pleaded not guilty. Owing to the absence of witnesses for the prosecution, the hearing was deferred until January 21st; in the meantime Shuman reposes in jail.

—Last Wednesday D. E. Woodman and Jas. Barringer were out hunting near Sheep Creek, Wyoming, and became separated, seeing nothing of each other until evening, when Barringer, who was following a trail toward home saw Woodman's dog jump from a drift just in front of him. Mistaking the dog in the fading light for some kind of game, he quickly raised his gun and fired. The charge, which was buckshot, not only killed the dog on the spot, but part of it penetrated the body of Woodman, who had stepped in range just as the shot was fired. Barringer was horrified on discovering the consequence of his shot, and although a small man, picked up his dying comrade and carried him on his shoulders for a long distance to a cabin in the woods. In the morning an attempt was made to take him to his home, where he could receive proper care, but he was too weak to endure the shock of removal and died on the way.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY JAN. 19.

**Woman's Expōnent.**—No. 16. of the present volume of that excellent paper was out Saturday, and contains the usual amount of interesting and instructive reading matter. The leading pieces are: Corcoran Art Gallery, Autobiography of E. D. P. Young, Woman in the Professions, The Day in which we Live, The World's Exposition, and Home Affairs, besides some readable correspondence and reports.

**A Call to Cattle Men.**—To the cattle and horsemen of Salt Lake County: There will be a meeting at the Legislative Hall, Salt Lake City, on Saturday, January 24th, 1885, to organize in this county for mutual protection. All cattle and horsemen interested in stock are invited. Those who cannot come can send their names by friends, or by letter. Do not forget the time, at 1 o'clock, at the City Hall.

H. J. FAUST.

**An Explanation.**—Something over a week ago, a local paragraph appeared in this paper under the caption, "Keep her on the outside." It gave what purported to be some details of the movements of a person giving the name of E. M. Stenson. It appears that through a misunderstanding she had been viewed with suspicion, and the article referred to was supplied to us. We have assurances from a source that we have no reason to doubt, that the lady is quite respectable. Her husband, who is also in this city, represents two of the leading papers in Colorado. We say this much in explanation, and also as a matter of justice to the lady in question, as we have no desire to do an injury to any one through our columns.

**Supreme Court.**—All three Justices were on the bench to-day, and the following is the business done in the Supreme Court to-day previous to going to press:

In the matter of the estate of Horace Gibbs, deceased, on confirmation of sale of real estate. Parties consenting, it is ordered that this matter be added to the calendar of the present term.

Joseph C. Browning, respondent, vs. Wallace C. Browning, appellant, from 3rd District. This cause coming on regularly for hearing, was argued by S. W. Darke, Esq., for appellant, Arthur Brown, for respondent; submitted and taken under advisement.

Thos. Venard, impleaded, etc., appellant, vs. The Old Hickory M. & S. Co., et al., respondents, from the 2nd District. This cause coming on regularly was argued by Mr. Denney for appellant.

**A Lamentable Death.**—By letter to Lyman R. Martineau, of Logan, intelligence was received of the death of his sister, Miss Netta, which occurred on the 9th instant, at St. David, Arizona. She was a most worthy, intelligent and amiable young lady, born and raised in Logan, where she was widely known and much respected. She was the daughter of James H. and Susan J. Martineau, and was born February 4th, 1865, and hence was nearly twenty years of age. She experienced a prolonged and dangerous attack of illness last winter, and never wholly regained her health. Last summer she removed with her father's family to Arizona, and for a time in that mild climate she improved, but disease was too firmly seated in her system to be overcome, and she at length succumbed to it. Deceased suffered from a complication of complaints, but the immediate cause of death was dropsy.

**A Fine Animal.**—Mr. Theodore McKean has just imported a very fine registered Jersey bull, that arrived this morning in care of the Pacific Express Company. He had been five days on the road, and was in the snow blockade, but came in all right, reflecting great credit on the amount of care he received from the employees of the express company. Florence's Dignity is the name of the bull. He was dropped May 24, 1883, at Beech Grove Farm, Indiana; is a grandson of Mercury, who has daughters in the 16 and 19 pound butter list; also a grandson of Le Brocq's Prize, with a number of daughters in the 12 and 16 pound butter list, at an average age of three

years. Florence's Dignity's dam tested, when two years old, 12 pounds 3 ounces of butter in seven days, and her dam tested 15 pounds in seven days. Here is a rich combination of butter breeding in this bull, that makes him a valuable acquisition to Mr. McKean's herd, and will benefit the country at large.

**A Curious Accident.**—The following strange accident which happened at Goshen, is described by a correspondent of the *Herald* under date of the 16th inst:

"On last Thursday night, about 6 o'clock, the 6-year old son of Hans Jensen was standing in a wagon, his parents having just returned from a visit. At that moment a dog jumped on the traces, which scared the horses, causing them to jump. The boy was thus thrown out of the wagon; while falling, his jaw caught on the brake, and the force of the fall caused the poor boy's jaw to be pulled clear out and broken off, leaving it hanging on his breast by skin. Another source states that he did not catch his face on the brake, but was merely thrown out of the wagon on the ground.

Dr. Greer, of Payson, attended to the injuries, and took his jaw to Payson. The boy still lives, but faint hopes are entertained for his life. However, at last accounts he was doing very well. The boy is in Goshen and his jaw is in Payson. To-day he ate some gruel and is conscious. The doctor says he will die from blood poisoning, or for want of nourishment. This indeed is a phenomenon.

**Out of Whole Cloth.**—Sunday's *Tribune* says:

"Two young boys, apparently about 17 or 18 years of age, came to *The Tribune* office near midnight last night and made the following statement. One of them had his head tied up, and he was evidently suffering from the effects of recent blows, the back of his head being cut and swollen. Their account of the affair is briefly as follows: At about 10 o'clock last night, as they were going home from the skating rink with two girls, who live in the Eleventh Ward, Policeman Malin accosted them, after having followed them some distance, and deliberately struck one of the boys three blows on the head with his fist, at the same time calling him an opprobrious name. He was considerably stunned, and the party were frightened by the attack, not knowing the cause or motive which induced the policeman to assault their companion. The boy who was hurt will probably make a complaint before a U. S. Commissioner on Monday."

Officer Malin was very much surprised when he read the above article, and said it was the first he had heard of it. When we went to press, the Commissioner had seen nothing of the boys who were to appear and make their complaint. The thread broke. Try again.

## WEATHER REPORT.

PER THE DESERET TELEGRAPH LINE.

Logan—About six inches of snow, clear and pleasant.

Pleasant Grove—Heavy snow during the night, about a foot deep on level; clear this morning, sun shining.

Provo—Cloudy, about six inches of snow.

Springville—Cloudy, cold.

Payson—About one inch of snow fell last night, cloudy.

Fillmore—Very pleasant, the sun is shining, but there is a little snow on the ground.

Beaver—Mild and a little cloudy, no snow.

Toquerville—Cold north wind, snowing on mountains.

St. George—Sun shining bright and clear.

Silver City—Light snow every night, pleasant.

Hebron—Quite pleasant this morning.

Pioche, Nevada—Fine, clear and frosty, about one inch of snow.

Kanab—Clear and cold.

Ondeville—Clear and cold.

Cedar City—Cloudy, commencing to snow.

Parowan—Cloudy, looks like storm.

Moroni—Three inches of snow, cold and cloudy.

Manti—Fine, a little snow on the ground.

Glenwood—Cloudy, snowing just now, looks like it might continue.

Mt. Pleasant—Two inches of snow fell last night; still snowing, cold breeze blowing.

Nephi—Clear and cold, snow fell 3 inches last night.

Milford—Cloudy, been snowing a little this morning, but clearing up now.

Frisco—Cloudy, no snow.

Juab—Clear, no snow.

Lehi Junction—Snow about 6 to 8 inches deep, sun shining.

Paris, Idaho—Fine and pleasant, about 10 inches of snow.

Richmond—Clear and calm, thermometer 20, about 10 inches of snow.

Smithfield—Clear and calm, thermometer 20, about six inches of snow.

## A GOOD MOVE.

EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE GAME LAW.

At the meeting held in the City Hall Saturday evening, the matter of enforcing the law for the protection of fish and game was well discussed. Mr. John Sharp, Jr., was elected chairman, and Mr. Charles Read secretary. Reports were rendered which showed that the law is being violated with impunity, and that vast

numbers of deer are being killed simply for their skins, while giant powder is used in catching fish. Many different plans were presented and discussed as to the best methods of getting information that would bring the violators of the law to justice. Mr. George A. Meears suggested that the reward given to informers had the opposite effect from the one intended. Informers worked for a small reward and the occupation was considered low. Past experience shows that few interest themselves sufficiently in this matter to check the evil in the least. After considerable discussion it was decided that perhaps the best method to accomplish the desired object would be to employ a number of detectives to watch the places frequented by game and report all violations of the game act. The detriment to our fish interests caused by saw-dust from mills on the mountain streams was also mentioned, as well as the filth, dyestuffs, etc., emptied into the streams from factories, mining works, and other contrivances built near them.

Mr. Le Grande Young moved for the appointment of a committee of three to canvass the city and see what amount could be raised for discovering and prosecuting violators of the game law.

The motion was carried and the chair appointed Messrs. Roundy, Jennings and I. M. Barratt, as the committee to canvass, collect and secure the services of detectives in the game districts.

The committee was instructed to prosecute their work with secrecy, so that violators of the law shall not know who the detectives are. This step is regarded as a wise one, and one that will necessitate more carefulness and caution on the part of those who are in the habit of killing game out of season.

The business of the meeting having been accomplished, a motion to adjourn was carried, and after adjournment, a number handed in their subscriptions, over \$100 being paid, and all dispersed with a feeling that they had made a good start toward checking the unnecessary killing of game and fish.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

PER WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH LINE.

## AMERICAN.

PORTLAND, Oregon, 18.—Articles of incorporation of the Portland and Willamette Valley Railroad Company were filed yesterday. The capital stock is \$500,000. The object is to complete the narrow gauge road from the present northern terminus at the town of Dundee to the city of Portland, a distance of 30 miles. It is understood the work will begin early in the spring.

CHARLESTON, West Va., 18.—Great excitement prevails in St. Albans, near this city, over the poisoning of Misses Annie, Blanch and Jennie Burns, three highly respected young ladies of that place. The ladies had been to an entertainment on Friday night, and overslept yesterday for the family breakfast. They prepared their own breakfast, using water in a barrel. Shortly after eating breakfast they became very sick and were taken with cramps. The symptoms indicated poison and they were treated by the doctors for that trouble. Upon examination of the water in the barrel, it was found to contain arsenic. How it got there is a mystery, which will probably never be solved. The victims are in a serious condition.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., 18.—The railroad brakemen's strike, which was inaugurated here on Tuesday last, terminated this evening. The strikers held a meeting this afternoon and delegated a committee of their number to wait on Mayor Zollinger, at his residence, which was done.

Later—The committee waited on Supt. Law of the Railroad Co., and at this meeting it was agreed that the railroad should be permitted to run "double-header" freight trains, if desired; while those of the striking brakemen, who choose to work, will be reinstated by the company and not be discharged for their participation in the strike.

WALL STREET, 19.—Stocks lower, weak; the decline ranged from  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{4}$ ; Northern Pacific weakest, common falling off  $\frac{1}{4}$ , preferred  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Coalers Vanderbilt and Pacific Mail also weaker. Manitoba dropped from 83 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 81.

St. Louis, 19.—The Wabash train from Chicago met with a serious accident about 10 miles east of East St. Louis this morning. It is reported here that 12 passengers were more or less seriously injured. No further particulars yet.

SAN FRANCISCO, 18.—The steamer *Arabie*, which arrived this evening brings Hong Kong dates of Dec. 23, Yokohama of Jan. 14. An incendiary fire completely destroyed the town of Hung Ham near Hong Kong. No details are published, but it is believed that many lives were lost.

Fears were entertained that the steamer *Charles Townsend Hook*, which sailed from Saigon for Hong Kong had been lost with two hundred and fifty souls aboard.

DALLAS, Texas, 19.—News was received here from passengers on the Fort Worth and Denver railway, to the effect that late yesterday evening, five Kiowa Indians were found frozen to death in Indian Territory, about forty miles northwest of Wichita Falls, by a