

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, NOV. 20

LOGAN, Nov. 18.—Yesterday, at 5 p.m. while Lars Larsen, of Hyde Park, was at meeting, his five year old girl got near the front of a stove, the fire caught her dress, which caused her death in two hours. Her mother had only been absent from the house five minutes. Dr. Ormsby attended.

DISCHARGED.—The petit jury of the Third District Court were discharged yesterday afternoon from further duty during this term, it being the intention of the Court to devote the remaining portion of the term to cases involving questions of law and equity.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—As a man, named Farmer, was proceeding from this city to his home, in Fort Herriman, on Saturday evening, he was set upon by two highwaymen, who dragged him from his horse, and searched his pockets. The rascals only got seventy-five cents for their pains, that being all the money Brother Farmer had on his person at the time.

LOOK OUT FOR HIM.—We were reliably informed to-day that a miserable scoundrel offered a young girl a silver half dollar to accompany him to some out of the way place. There can be but little doubt as to the fellow's intentions, although he was unsuccessful in carrying them out. The person alluded to is tall, well dressed and of general genteel appearance. He needs looking after.

FINE STOCK.—Mr. Peter Saxe wrote us from Omaha, Nov. 12, as follows—

"I am en route with Madam and 54 head of best Kentucky 'Short-horn' cattle, all, EVERY ONE, pedigreed and registered in A. H. Book. Hope and expect to be at Ogden in ten days with them to rest off four days. This will be a famous chance for any who want nice stock."

STABBING AFFRAY.—We are informed that a stabbing affray occurred in a saloon in American Fork on Saturday, which may probably result fatally to one of the parties. James Robbins, formerly a resident of this City, and a young man named Greenwood entered into a dispute, when the latter drew a knife and stabbed the former three times, once in the lower part of the neck and twice in the breast. It is thought that Robbins is bleeding internally, from the wound in his neck, and that he will not recover. It appears that he has an idea that his end is approaching as, we understand, he devoted a portion of yesterday to settling up his earthly affairs, making his will, &c.

SALT LAKE IN TOWN.—P. H. Lannan, the Gentile who is having so much trouble with the Saints at Salt Lake City, is in Truckee. Mr. Lannan, it appears, is engaged in the butchering business, and established a meat market at Salt Lake without asking permission of the Saints. His business interfered with Zion's Co-operative Association, and the Mormons ordered him to cease that kind of business. Lannan, believing Salt Lake to be in the United States of America, refused to entertain such an order. For refusing to obey Brigham Young & Co., he was served with no less than seventeen warrants and covered with fines until he could hardly "see out." Lannan appealed the numerous suits against him to a higher court than that held by Mormons, and has at last, after much expense and tribulation, beaten the Saints at every point. Gentiles can sell beef at Salt Lake now.—*Truckee Rep.*, Nov. 14.

The above is a tissue of misrepresentations from beginning to end. The facts are that the individual mentioned has characterized himself by repeatedly defying the city ordinances, ordinances applying equally and impartially to all butchers, "Mormon" or Gentile, Jew or Christian. In this defiance the individual named has just been sustained by a decision of Chief Justice McKean in the Third District Court in this city. But this is a small and insignificant triumph, seeing that the official course of that judge for a twelvemonth or so was unanimously reversed and declared grossly and fundamentally illegal by the Supreme Court of the United States, and seeing also that his decisions in certain cases have been acknowledged by biased by his fanatical desire and design to demolish "Mormonism."

ST. GEORGE.—Our correspondent "Cacti" wrote from St. George, Nov. 8, as follows—

"On my return from the city homeward, I took a seat in the cars of the U. S. R. R., that I might judge of the character of the road, and I feel pleased to be able to pronounce it first rate; the trains glide along with little jar or jolt, thus proving that both timbers and iron have been placed with care. At the point of the mountain we came near running into a team just crossing the road. Trains should be required to go very slowly around such curves, and constantly keep the whistle sounding to admonish teamsters to provide for safety to their teams and loads, so that if necessary, teams may be unhitched from the wagons while the trains pass.

"At Spring Lake I visited my friend, Bro. B. F. Johnson, and was pleased to see the place improved. He has some ten acres of thrifty young orchard and vine-

yard, and a large variety of grapes of both native and foreign sorts.

"There are a great many teams on the road with freight for Ploche and some wagons of huge proportions that cut up the dry roads sadly. Near Scipio, the people now having got through with crops, let the water run wild and carelessly, making the roads very bad. It is to be hoped they will have more respect for themselves and the public, and either let the water run in its natural course, or take proper care of it.

"Fillmore is noted for fine apples and abundance of stock. B. Shop Callister has a fine orchard and abundance of choice apples, some as large as any I have seen in the Territory. Here too I was shown several superior imported bucks for their co-operative herd, large and fine.

"The improvements in Cove Valley are large and increasing, in way of fields, pastures and meadows, as well as new buildings, and I learned that parties were about making a stock and herding ranch in Dog Valley.

"Beaver is rapidly improving in size and quality of buildings. Brother Jonathan Crosby is erecting a dwelling of much taste and uniqueness. There is considerable interest manifested in Beaver as well as in Parowan and Cedar City in the production of fruit, as there are many young apple orchards started in each place, some of which are producing nice fruit.

"In Iroa County the potato crop is nearly a failure, caused by the cutworms destroying the foliage of the crop early in the season. What few were grown are inferior in quality.

"Although Bellevue is an exceedingly windy place, and several degrees colder than at this place, it is a choice locality for fruit of most sorts, the grape growing especially large, and vines of imported varieties being healthy and prolific.

"The rocky soil about Harrisburg produces wine of an excellent quality and in fair abundance, Brother E. Ellsworth and several others having made from their gardens this year near 1,000 gallons each.

"A new school house in the First Ward of this city is just completed, which gives us now a good, respectable and comfortable school house in each of the four districts in this city, each of which will soon have schools. Besides these, we have in the Social Hall a normal school of good character, also several primary schools are now in operation.

"Work is going on in finishing the great hall of the new Tabernacle. It is anticipated that it will be ready for use about New Year. Considerable other improvements are being made, among which is a new P. O. building. We have sunny weather, but nights are frosty.

"Deputy Marshal Hunt recently summoned a grand and petit jury from Iron and Washington counties for District Court to commence at Beaver on the 9th prox."

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, NOV. 21.

TEAMS.—We understand that stringent measures will soon be adopted by the city authorities for the purpose of abating the team nuisance on the streets.

RETURNED.—J. W. Young, Esq., with Mrs. Young and her sister, arrived in this City yesterday, looking well and hearty as usual, on their return from the East, where Mr. Young had been for several weeks upon railway and other business, which he had been enabled to transact with much satisfaction.

BULLIONVILLE, Nev., Nov. 20.—A terrible accident occurred here at 4:20 this morning. F. Wagner, in the employ of the Magnet Mill Co., while repairing and adjusting the belt connected with the principal shafting, was drawn in and frightfully mangled. The party lives in Fillmore, Utah, where he has a wife and a child.

SMALL-POX.—Wm. Reeves wrote us from Centerville, Nov. 19th, as follows—

"A young man who came in the last immigration to this place was taken down with the smallpox on Saturday last. He was immediately placed under the care of brother Richard Prophet, to whose skill and faithful attendance we are mainly indebted for the favorable termination of the recent cases of smallpox in this place, and we hope this case will terminate alike favorably, as every means is being applied to that end and to prevent the disease from spreading."

WHEELER'S EXPEDITION.—A party of Lieut. Wheeler's corps, of the U. S. Topographical Engineer Survey, under the immediate command of Col. Ord, has been operating in this section of the country for some weeks. We are not permitted to give much in the way of detail, that being reserved until the report is made to headquarters at Washington. We will say, however, that a complete topographical and geological map of Ely Mining District will result from the labors of this party here. Col. Ord with his command will leave here in a day or two. The party will follow the range of mountains extending via Bristol District and Patterson District to Shesburn. From the latter place they will cross the Great American Desert and examine the country around Granite Mountain District. Lieut. Wheeler's report will contain a description of the character of the soil, timber and minerals of the country

explored, together with the latitude and longitude of prominent places. The topographer accompanying Col. Ord is Mr. Neill; the geologist, Prof. Howell. Lieut. Wheeler is now in Hualapai District, Arizona, and is expected here in about 20 days.—*Pioche Record*, Nov. 14.

OGDEN.—The following are from the *Function* of yesterday:

"A son of Edward Rushton, two years of age, met with an accident yesterday morning, which may endanger his life. The child was playing on the floor and accidentally fell into a kettle of boiling water, which had just been taken from the stove. He was burned from the shoulders to the end of the spinal column. His mother was in an adjoining room, and hearing the screams of the child, ran and rescued him from his dangerous position. She took up a bucket of water and dashed it upon him, thereby cooling his clothes, which were saturated with the boiling water. Dr. E. G. Cannon was at once called in, and is now in attendance upon the child, who is doing well.

"A young and comely-looking woman, who was a passenger on the U. P., gave birth last night to a child, near Evanston, a stout, handsome boy. She was on her way to San Francisco to meet her husband, who is a well-to-do mechanic in that city. The passengers on the train made up a purse of \$175 for the benefit of the mother and child, who are doing well. The boy's name was by a vote of the passengers selected as Ulysses Pacific."

ACCIDENT—PROGRESS NORTH.—Elder E. Stevenson forwards the following—

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 20, 1872.

Editor Deseret News.

Bro. Joseph Egbert, proprietor of the Kaysville hotel, seeing in the News a statement of a severe accident that occurred to his aged father at Kaysville two weeks ago last Sabbath, desired me to give you a more full statement, which I herein submit.

His father has attained to the age of 95 years. He was subject to fits till he joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Just previous to his being driven from Jackson Co., Mo., in 1833, since which he enjoyed a good appetite and health up to his accident, when he had been out on his usual walk before supper, about six p. m. Being misguided by the light at the window, and his sight being rather dim, he returned to the porch and fell down the steps leading to the cellar, breaking his left leg just above his knee, the bone protruding through the flesh, and also cutting a fearful gash, seven inches long, on his head, just over the left eyebrow. He was found at the bottom of the stairs. Last Sunday Dr. Anderson was sent for and he re-set his thigh bone. Yesterday afternoon the sufferer was much better, and hopes of his recovery are entertained. His desires are to still live and recover.

We had a good meeting at Ogden city last Sabbath, but the weather was very cold. It was told me that only one day last winter excelled the cold of this cold snap of last week.

On Monday the workmen resumed labor on the new brick Court House roof at Ogden.

I was very much delighted yesterday while passing through the Davis County sheep-herd to see the sheep so smooth, clean and fat. They were just on their way down from the Weber, near the Lone Tree, on the U. P. R. R., where the snow is reported over one foot deep. This fine flock of sheep, numbering 1,300, will be taken to winter quarters at Skull Valley.

The small-pox case at Centerville was progressing favorably.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NASHVILLE, 18.—The epizootic is spreading slowly in this city. The street railroad company withdraw their cars to-day, more as a precautionary measure than as a necessity. The disease prevails in a number of counties in Tennessee, where it is believed to have been brought by Barnum's menagerie.

CINCINNATI, O., 18.—There have been nearly a hundred deaths from the epizootic. Large numbers of oxen are in use hauling goods; horses have almost entirely disappeared from the streets.

WILMINGTON, N. C., 18.—The horse disease is spreading with alarming rapidity.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., 18.—The Alabama legislature convened here to-day. The Republicans met in the U. S. court room and organized with a member of each branch in the chair, thus making two legislatures. The Republicans seated six members in the house, who have no certificates of election from the Secretary of State. The six members who hold certificates have been arrested. There is considerable excitement, but no disturbance yet.

BOSTON, 18.—The fire has been confined to one store and is now under control. Only the north end of the block will probably be destroyed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 18.—Levi E

Dudley is appointed Superintendent of Indian Affairs for New Mexico.

CONCORD, N. H., 18.—A severe shock of earthquake was felt here at 2 o'clock this afternoon. It began with a short explosion. The trembling and shaking lasted about ten seconds. Buildings rocked violently from west to east. The telegraph operators at Contoocook and Warner report the same shock there.

NEW YORK, 18.—The immense grain warehouses of Woodruff and Robinson, foot of Amity street, Brooklyn, were burned this afternoon, with 600 bus. of grain. The loss is estimated at four hundred thousand, said to be fully insured.

PHILADELPHIA, 18.—A memorial meeting, in respect to the late General Meade, was held this afternoon at the Academy of Music. The members of the Union League attended in a body. General Humphreys pronounced the oration. Resolutions were adopted and the proceedings closed by a short address from M. Gibson. The business men of the city have nearly completed the fund of one hundred thousand for the family of General Meade.

NEW YORK, 18.—By the breaking of a platform on the third floor of the New Herald building, this afternoon, five workmen were precipitated to the basement, and three of them it is believed were fatally injured.

ROCHESTER, 18.—Warrants have been issued for the inspectors of election who received the ballots of Susan B. Anthony and her friends. The examination in the case of Miss Anthony is postponed by agreement to the 29th. She says she will be pleased to have her case brought properly before the courts.

PHILADELPHIA, 18.—At a business meeting of the local centennial committee forty members subscribed \$100,000.

NEW YORK, 19.—A counterfeit issue of 10 per cent. income bonds of the U. P. R. R. is in circulation.

A full bench of the Supreme Court to-day set aside the conviction of Rosensweig, the famous abortionist, sentenced last November to seven years imprisonment, for the murder of Alice Bowsby, and ordered a new trial. Rosensweig will be brought here immediately.

WASHINGTON.—The Fire Insurance Co. of this city has suspended, owing to losses by the Boston fire. The president says they cannot pay more than fifty cents on the dollar.

WASHINGTON, D. C., 18.—The Supreme Court to-day decided the celebrated Cherokee land case in favor of Joy, the purchaser of the lands from the tribes holding them. As the United States had not enforced the forfeiture against the Indians for taking part in the rebellion, that title could not be impaired by its entry and occupation by settlers, whose title was declared void. The court also decided that "brigadiers" are not entitled to increased commutation of rations given to an officer below the rank of brigadier general, by the act of 1865, thus sustaining the action of the paymaster in the case of General Hunt, and reversing the decision of the court of claims.

NEW ORLEANS, 18.—There were three fires in the city to-day, one in Custom-house street, and one in Poydras street, which destroyed the U. S. barracks.

BOSTON, 11 p.m.—A fire broke out in the centre of State Street block, foot of State St., about 10 o'clock and now looks as if the entire block would be destroyed.

SAN FRANCISCO, 18.—Mr. Roberts, one of the Arizona diamond discoverers, states that it is the purpose of the owners of the fields held by his party to organize several co-operative companies, to work the mines next spring and summer. He says, also, that it is possible that parties from Utah have discovered the plains where his possessions lie, but that the company is secure in its title to the fields.

TORONTO, 18.—The gauge of the Grand Trunk Railway between Sarnia and Fort Erie, a distance of two hundred miles, was changed yesterday from five feet six to four feet eight and a half.

MATAMORAS.—Senors Velasco and Carrillo, of the Mexican frontier commission, have arrived, accompanied by Senor Silices, attorney of the commission. They express a determination to sift the whole question and to make a full and impartial report to the Mexican government. Senor Galindo, the other commissioner, is temporarily detained at Monterey.

PHILADELPHIA, 19.—Riebel & Lincoln's bedstead factory, in Brown St., was burned this afternoon; loss \$25,000 to \$30,000.