

DESERET EVENING NEWS

WEATHER REPORT.

Observations taken at 6 a. m. today, for previous 24 hours:
Salt Lake City: Barometer, 29.74; current temperature, 49; maximum temperature, 71; minimum temperature, 47; mean temperature, 59, which is 4 degrees below normal.

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1st, 7.55 degrees.
Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1st, 4.66 inches.

FORECAST TILL 6 P. M. SUNDAY.
Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity:
Fair and warmer tonight and Sunday.

Forecast made at San Francisco for Utah:
Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.
An area of low pressure is central this morning in the province of Alberta. Another area of low pressure is in the southeast. The area of high pressure has moved southward from Washington and Oregon, and its crest is now over Idaho. The storm in the north has given rain over Alberta, Manitoba, North and South Dakota and Minnesota; the storm in the southwest has resulted in rain over southern Arizona and New Mexico. Oklahoma and Texas; Abilene, Texas, reports 4.96 inches.

L. H. MURDOCH.

TEMPERATURE TODAY.

10 a. m., 66; 12 noon, 69; 2 p. m., 72; 8 p. m., 71.

SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS...

CIRCULATION TODAY,

18,255

January 1, 1899, 10,280.

(Issued Mondays and Thursdays.)
The largest circulation of any paper between Denver and the coast.

OUR AIM:

20,000 by the 20th Century!

NEW NAMES ADDED TO THE NEWS SUBSCRIPTION LISTS

From January 1, 1899, to Saturday, September 22, 1900, (after deducting all copies discontinued):
Daily, 1,350.
Saturday, 2,740.
Semi-Weekly, 1,840.
Total, 11,940

To-day's Metals.

SILVER, Bar, 62 3-4
LEAD, \$4.00
CASTING COPPER 15 3-4 cents a lb.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Referee Baldwin yesterday closed the case of Edward Caldwell, bankrupt.

The Battery Band has secured the services of H. C. Necking of the Salt Palace band as leader. They now hope to grow rapidly in efficiency.

A meeting of the Relief Society corps of nurses will be held at the residence of Mrs. M. A. Engen, No. 180 E. South Temple street on Monday afternoon next at 2 o'clock.

On another page of today's imprint of the "News" appears a brief statement by the secretary of the Co-operative League, to which we have been asked to call attention.

The meeting of creditors in the case of Fred H. May, bankrupt, before Referee Baldwin, resulted in selecting J. T. Pierce as trustee. His bond was fixed at \$200.

Don Heavily who has been acting as press agent for the Salt Palace fair, tendered his resignation to the management last evening, which was accepted at an executive session of the board.

The Hebrew New Year will be ushered in at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. The services in the synagogue during the day will be conducted by Rabbi Reynolds. The days of fasting will continue until October 3rd, and will end with a day of atonement.

Referee Baldwin decided yesterday that in the case of Maurice Glasberg the objection of certain creditors to the allowance of claims of other creditors could not be sustained. He held that it did not appear that any of the creditors received preference, or that Glasberg was insolvent at the time he paid some of his creditors.

Arrangements were made today for a meeting of the chairmen of the educational committees of the different women's clubs of this city to be held at the residence of Mrs. Emma J. McKivier, No. 1245 east South Temple street. A complete representation is urgently requested.

The Shakespearian section of the Ladies' Literary club will meet at the club rooms on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. On Friday next Mr. H. L. A. Cramer will deliver an address to the club members on the "Domain of Art" illustrated by stereoscopic views, and Mrs. Hutchinson will give a paper on Boston, Washington and Chicago public libraries.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church has just issued from the press a neat little brochure entitled "The Solitary Way and Other Sermons" by the Rev. Mr. Paden. The sermons are published monthly, and in response to requests from members of the congregation. The proceeds of the publication are devoted to church purposes.

The "News" is in receipt of a copy of resolutions passed out of respect to the life and labors of the late William Crover of Spanish Fork, by the Fifteenth anniversary of the death of the late Crover, of which he was president. They set forth briefly his splendid character, his fortitude and his devotion to his family, friends and community in the loss sustained by his death.

E. S. Lovejoy, president of the Utah Beekeepers' association, announces that there will be a meeting of the mem-

TALK ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

How New York and San Francisco are Fast Being United by a Small Copper Wire Over Which the Human Voice is Transmitted.

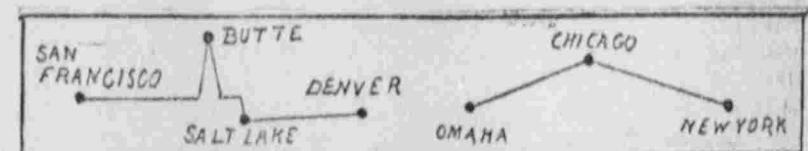


DIAGRAM SHOWING THE GAP TO BE CLOSED BETWEEN DENVER AND OMAHA.

Within the last few days the citizens of Salt Lake in particular, and of Utah in general, have had brought home to them in impressive manner the fact that the achievements of electricity are well nigh boundless. What the end will be no mortal man can tell, no mortal eye can see, no mortal brain conceive. The field of the subtle fluid is everywhere and man is making it his servant just to the degree that he is able to harness and control it.

Within the last week Salt Lake has used it as a means of communicating their thoughts by word of mouth over greater distances than heretofore, and that brings to mind the fact that a small copper wire now almost spans the continent from New York to San Francisco. This is only one of the great lines that is being brought to the world, as it will be, then the great metropolis of eastern America and the truly growing and ambitious metropolis of western America will offer an opportunity for their citizens to call each other up by telephone, pass the time of day and transact such business as they desire and can afford to pay for. It must be understood from this that such a condition will enable persons engaged in conversation to talk directly as they now can between New York and Chicago, which are over a thousand miles apart. Repeating what probably have to be done somewhere, though it is by no means improbable that the wizards of the electric current may in the near future be able to solve the problem that will make such talk comparatively easy. The transmission of speech over great stretches of wire is unfortunately attended by the humming and buzzing of troublesome elements gathered from elements along the course of the wire. Telephone experts say that a wire from New York to San Francisco would require three repeaters, one in Chicago another in Denver, and still another in Salt Lake,

each so delicately constructed in its mechanism as to readily catch up and send forward the articulations of the voice with such energy as to throw it on to the next station. This may be done soon. It may not be done for years. It remains for some Edison of the future to accomplish such a feat. Such achievement would probably mean millions to the inventor.

The new line which the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company has just closed up between Salt Lake and Denver makes it possible for a Utah banker or business man to transact large deals with his brother banker or business man in a number of Wyoming and Colorado cities. Through extensions recently made it is possible for a Utah banker or business man to transact large deals with his brother banker or business man in a number of Wyoming and Colorado cities. Through extensions recently made it is possible for a Utah banker or business man to transact large deals with his brother banker or business man in a number of Wyoming and Colorado cities.

It is displaying the latest stock of fine imported goods, such as shoes, hats, coats, suits, etc., in the city. The goods are of the highest quality and at very low prices. The store is located at 11 and 13 Main street.

TO SCHOOL CHILDREN.
We have everything you need in the schoolroom. Books, school bags, lunch boxes, pencil boxes, note and composition books, pens and pencils. Best values in town.

CANNON'S BOOK STORE.
11 and 13 Main street.

MUSIC LOVERS.
All who desire information of the address, etc., of Salt Lake's music teachers, should consult the Musicians' Directory, published on the Dramatic and Musical page of the Saturday "News."

AUTUMN OUTING.
Excursion to Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

Z. C. M. L. Military Display.
A beautiful exhibit for the Ladies, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26.

LIFE OF A PIONEER.
Autobiography of Capt. James S. Brown, 320 pages, bound in cloth. Price \$2.00; for sale at the Deseret News. Special terms to agents.

OPALULE EXCURSION.
To Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

SERIES OF SERMONS.
By Wm. M. Paden. Published by Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church, at 10 cents per copy or \$1 per year.

For sale by L. F. Hammel, 40 West Second South.

Ladies' Tuesday at Z. C. M. L.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26. Choicest Ladies' Hats and Millinery. Ladies are specially invited to the three days' exhibition. It is a beauty.

ENCRAVED WEDDINGS.
100-Engraved Weddings, with inside and outside envelopes, the finest stock for \$7.50.

50-Engraved Weddings, same as above, \$5.00.

100 Cards Engraved, \$1.50.

50 Cards Engraved, \$1.00.

This price includes plate engraved in any style. JOHN HELL, 62 Main.

A PLEASANT TRIBUTE.
The "News" job department has just turned out a price list and catalogue for the best genealogical forms. The print is large and clear, the paper of the best, and it is designed to leave a number of blank pages after each division of the book for the purpose of entering additional genealogical facts as developments are made. The work will contain about three hundred pages.

This is only the beginning of such work among the Latter-day Saints, and we commend it to the attention of our readers.

CHINESE PEDDLER SHOT.
Masked Man Enters His Shanty and Fires Upon Him.

Tom Loung, a Chinese vendor of vegetables, was the victim of a brutal assault at the hands of a masked robber about 9:50 last night, who shot him through the arm and robbed him of \$20.

The Chinaman was seated in his shanty on Twelfth South and Fifth East when he heard a rap at the door, and a voice called him and asked if he had any vegetables for sale. Tom went to the door and no sooner had he opened it than a man with his face masked, flashed a revolver on him and, without speaking a word, fired. The Mongolian happened to be standing at an angle from the door when he was shot and the bullet struck him in the left arm just below the elbow and passed through. Had Loung been squarely facing his assailant he would, in all probability, have been shot through the heart. The Chinaman fell to the floor and the robber pounced upon him, and taking \$20 from his trousers' leg.

The poor Celestial thought he was fatally wounded and set up a terrible howl. Some passerby heard the commotion and proceeded to investigate. He found the Chinaman lying on the floor in a pool of blood. The work is that of a bullet from a .38 Smith & Wesson, whose name could not be learned, assisted Loung down to Smith's drug store and the police were notified. The patrol wagon was sent for and conveyed the injured man to the station followed by a curious throng.

When the station was reached Loung was taken to Plum Alley for a friend in the person of George Linn, through whose intervention the facts above related were obtained from Loung. The injured Chinaman's wound was dressed by Dr. Giesey who found it to be merely a flesh wound and not at all dangerous. The bullet missed both the bone and main arteries of the arm. Loung was turned over to his friends and the police went in hot pursuit of the robber.

THE PRESTON GENEALOGY
A Book Soon to be Issued from the Press of the Deseret News.

The "News" has now in press something new for this part of the country in the way of bookmaking. Many genealogical works have been issued in the past, particularly in the New England States, but we believe nothing of the kind of any pretensions has ever been attempted here before. The work is that of Bishop William B. Preston, and the author is Elder Lycurgus A. Wilson, of the Salt Lake Temple, the author of the "Life of David W. Patten."

Proposition of City Engineer Kelsey's to Dredge Jordan's River.

City Engineer Kelsey, Engineer A. P. Doremus, representing the Utah & Salt Lake Canal company, and Engineer Hayward, of the Salt Lake City Water and Electric Power company, made a trip to Utah lake and that end of Jordan river a couple of days ago and inspected the premises with the view of dredging the Jordan river for the purpose of obtaining water from Utah lake. The Jordan Narrows company is anxious to join with the city in dredging, and it is

more than likely that arrangements having that object in view will soon be reached.

A meeting of the representatives of the various canal companies, called for the purpose of considering the question of joining in with the city on the dredging proposition and other matters was held at the office of President Angus M. Cannon this afternoon, but up to the time the paper went to press no conclusion had been reached.

NOTICE TO BISHOPS.
Salt Lake Stake of Zion.

Sunday, September 23rd, having been appointed as general fast day, baptisms will be attended to at the Tabernacle on Saturday, September 23rd, at 10 a. m.

ANGUS M. CANNON, JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, CHARLES W. PENROSE, Presidency of Stake.

H. D. SABINE, Merchant Tailor, 175 Main Street.

Is displaying the latest stock of fine imported goods, such as shoes, hats, coats, suits, etc., in the city. The goods are of the highest quality and at very low prices. The store is located at 11 and 13 Main street.

TO SCHOOL CHILDREN.
We have everything you need in the schoolroom. Books, school bags, lunch boxes, pencil boxes, note and composition books, pens and pencils. Best values in town.

CANNON'S BOOK STORE.
11 and 13 Main street.

MUSIC LOVERS.
All who desire information of the address, etc., of Salt Lake's music teachers, should consult the Musicians' Directory, published on the Dramatic and Musical page of the Saturday "News."

AUTUMN OUTING.
Excursion to Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

Z. C. M. L. Military Display.
A beautiful exhibit for the Ladies, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26.

LIFE OF A PIONEER.
Autobiography of Capt. James S. Brown, 320 pages, bound in cloth. Price \$2.00; for sale at the Deseret News. Special terms to agents.

OPALULE EXCURSION.
To Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

SERIES OF SERMONS.
By Wm. M. Paden. Published by Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church, at 10 cents per copy or \$1 per year.

For sale by L. F. Hammel, 40 West Second South.

Ladies' Tuesday at Z. C. M. L.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26. Choicest Ladies' Hats and Millinery. Ladies are specially invited to the three days' exhibition. It is a beauty.

ENCRAVED WEDDINGS.
100-Engraved Weddings, with inside and outside envelopes, the finest stock for \$7.50.

50-Engraved Weddings, same as above, \$5.00.

100 Cards Engraved, \$1.50.

50 Cards Engraved, \$1.00.

This price includes plate engraved in any style. JOHN HELL, 62 Main.

A PLEASANT TRIBUTE.
The "News" job department has just turned out a price list and catalogue for the best genealogical forms. The print is large and clear, the paper of the best, and it is designed to leave a number of blank pages after each division of the book for the purpose of entering additional genealogical facts as developments are made. The work will contain about three hundred pages.

This is only the beginning of such work among the Latter-day Saints, and we commend it to the attention of our readers.

CHINESE PEDDLER SHOT.
Masked Man Enters His Shanty and Fires Upon Him.

Tom Loung, a Chinese vendor of vegetables, was the victim of a brutal assault at the hands of a masked robber about 9:50 last night, who shot him through the arm and robbed him of \$20.

The Chinaman was seated in his shanty on Twelfth South and Fifth East when he heard a rap at the door, and a voice called him and asked if he had any vegetables for sale. Tom went to the door and no sooner had he opened it than a man with his face masked, flashed a revolver on him and, without speaking a word, fired. The Mongolian happened to be standing at an angle from the door when he was shot and the bullet struck him in the left arm just below the elbow and passed through. Had Loung been squarely facing his assailant he would, in all probability, have been shot through the heart. The Chinaman fell to the floor and the robber pounced upon him, and taking \$20 from his trousers' leg.

The poor Celestial thought he was fatally wounded and set up a terrible howl. Some passerby heard the commotion and proceeded to investigate. He found the Chinaman lying on the floor in a pool of blood. The work is that of a bullet from a .38 Smith & Wesson, whose name could not be learned, assisted Loung down to Smith's drug store and the police were notified. The patrol wagon was sent for and conveyed the injured man to the station followed by a curious throng.

When the station was reached Loung was taken to Plum Alley for a friend in the person of George Linn, through whose intervention the facts above related were obtained from Loung. The injured Chinaman's wound was dressed by Dr. Giesey who found it to be merely a flesh wound and not at all dangerous. The bullet missed both the bone and main arteries of the arm. Loung was turned over to his friends and the police went in hot pursuit of the robber.

THE PRESTON GENEALOGY
A Book Soon to be Issued from the Press of the Deseret News.

The "News" has now in press something new for this part of the country in the way of bookmaking. Many genealogical works have been issued in the past, particularly in the New England States, but we believe nothing of the kind of any pretensions has ever been attempted here before. The work is that of Bishop William B. Preston, and the author is Elder Lycurgus A. Wilson, of the Salt Lake Temple, the author of the "Life of David W. Patten."

'THE NEWS' DURING FAIR AND CONFERENCE WEEK.

All indications point to an immense attendance at the coming Conference and State Fair, the first week in October. ADVERTISERS DESIRING TO REACH THE PEOPLE IN THEIR HOMES can do so effectively by using the Semi-Weekly News (printed Mondays and Thursdays) before the Conference season. As all subscribers of the Semi-Weekly News who visit the city receive the DAILY FREE during their stay, that paper will be an unsold advertising medium during Fair and Conference week.

more than likely that arrangements having that object in view will soon be reached.

A meeting of the representatives of the various canal companies, called for the purpose of considering the question of joining in with the city on the dredging proposition and other matters was held at the office of President Angus M. Cannon this afternoon, but up to the time the paper went to press no conclusion had been reached.

NOTICE TO BISHOPS.
Salt Lake Stake of Zion.

Sunday, September 23rd, having been appointed as general fast day, baptisms will be attended to at the Tabernacle on Saturday, September 23rd, at 10 a. m.

ANGUS M. CANNON, JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, CHARLES W. PENROSE, Presidency of Stake.

H. D. SABINE, Merchant Tailor, 175 Main Street.

Is displaying the latest stock of fine imported goods, such as shoes, hats, coats, suits, etc., in the city. The goods are of the highest quality and at very low prices. The store is located at 11 and 13 Main street.

TO SCHOOL CHILDREN.
We have everything you need in the schoolroom. Books, school bags, lunch boxes, pencil boxes, note and composition books, pens and pencils. Best values in town.

CANNON'S BOOK STORE.
11 and 13 Main street.

MUSIC LOVERS.
All who desire information of the address, etc., of Salt Lake's music teachers, should consult the Musicians' Directory, published on the Dramatic and Musical page of the Saturday "News."

AUTUMN OUTING.
Excursion to Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

Z. C. M. L. Military Display.
A beautiful exhibit for the Ladies, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26.

LIFE OF A PIONEER.
Autobiography of Capt. James S. Brown, 320 pages, bound in cloth. Price \$2.00; for sale at the Deseret News. Special terms to agents.

OPALULE EXCURSION.
To Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

SERIES OF SERMONS.
By Wm. M. Paden. Published by Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church, at 10 cents per copy or \$1 per year.

For sale by L. F. Hammel, 40 West Second South.

Ladies' Tuesday at Z. C. M. L.
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26. Choicest Ladies' Hats and Millinery. Ladies are specially invited to the three days' exhibition. It is a beauty.

ENCRAVED WEDDINGS.
100-Engraved Weddings, with inside and outside envelopes, the finest stock for \$7.50.

50-Engraved Weddings, same as above, \$5.00.

100 Cards Engraved, \$1.50.

50 Cards Engraved, \$1.00.

This price includes plate engraved in any style. JOHN HELL, 62 Main.

A PLEASANT TRIBUTE.
The "News" job department has just turned out a price list and catalogue for the best genealogical forms. The print is large and clear, the paper of the best, and it is designed to leave a number of blank pages after each division of the book for the purpose of entering additional genealogical facts as developments are made. The work will contain about three hundred pages.

This is only the beginning of such work among the Latter-day Saints, and we commend it to the attention of our readers.

CHINESE PEDDLER SHOT.
Masked Man Enters His Shanty and Fires Upon Him.

Tom Loung, a Chinese vendor of vegetables, was the victim of a brutal assault at the hands of a masked robber about 9:50 last night, who shot him through the arm and robbed him of \$20.

The Chinaman was seated in his shanty on Twelfth South and Fifth East when he heard a rap at the door, and a voice called him and asked if he had any vegetables for sale. Tom went to the door and no sooner had he opened it than a man with his face masked, flashed a revolver on him and, without speaking a word, fired. The Mongolian happened to be standing at an angle from the door when he was shot and the bullet struck him in the left arm just below the elbow and passed through. Had Loung been squarely facing his assailant he would, in all probability, have been shot through the heart. The Chinaman fell to the floor and the robber pounced upon him, and taking \$20 from his trousers' leg.

The poor Celestial thought he was fatally wounded and set up a terrible howl. Some passerby heard the commotion and proceeded to investigate. He found the Chinaman lying on the floor in a pool of blood. The work is that of a bullet from a .38 Smith & Wesson, whose name could not be learned, assisted Loung down to Smith's drug store and the police were notified. The patrol wagon was sent for and conveyed the injured man to the station followed by a curious throng.

When the station was reached Loung was taken to Plum Alley for a friend in the person of George Linn, through whose intervention the facts above related were obtained from Loung. The injured Chinaman's wound was dressed by Dr. Giesey who found it to be merely a flesh wound and not at all dangerous. The bullet missed both the bone and main arteries of the arm. Loung was turned over to his friends and the police went in hot pursuit of the robber.

THE PRESTON GENEALOGY
A Book Soon to be Issued from the Press of the Deseret News.

The "News" has now in press something new for this part of the country in the way of bookmaking. Many genealogical works have been issued in the past, particularly in the New England States, but we believe nothing of the kind of any pretensions has ever been attempted here before. The work is that of Bishop William B. Preston, and the author is Elder Lycurgus A. Wilson, of the Salt Lake Temple, the author of the "Life of David W. Patten."

Proposition of City Engineer Kelsey's to Dredge Jordan's River.

City Engineer Kelsey, Engineer A. P. Doremus, representing the Utah & Salt Lake Canal company, and Engineer Hayward, of the Salt Lake City Water and Electric Power company, made a trip to Utah lake and that end of Jordan river a couple of days ago and inspected the premises with the view of dredging the Jordan river for the purpose of obtaining water from Utah lake. The Jordan Narrows company is anxious to join with the city in dredging, and it is

more than likely that arrangements having that object in view will soon be reached.

A meeting of the representatives of the various canal companies, called for the purpose of considering the question of joining in with the city on the dredging proposition and other matters was held at the office of President Angus M. Cannon this afternoon, but up to the time the paper went to press no conclusion had been reached.

NOTICE TO BISHOPS.
Salt Lake Stake of Zion.

Sunday, September 23rd, having been appointed as general fast day, baptisms will be attended to at the Tabernacle on Saturday, September 23rd, at 10 a. m.

ANGUS M. CANNON, JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, CHARLES W. PENROSE, Presidency of Stake.

H. D. SABINE, Merchant Tailor, 175 Main Street.

Is displaying the latest stock of fine imported goods, such as shoes, hats, coats, suits, etc., in the city. The goods are of the highest quality and at very low prices. The store is located at 11 and 13 Main street.

TO SCHOOL CHILDREN.
We have everything you need in the schoolroom. Books, school bags, lunch boxes, pencil boxes, note and composition books, pens and pencils. Best values in town.

CANNON'S BOOK STORE.
11 and 13 Main street.

MUSIC LOVERS.
All who desire information of the address, etc., of Salt Lake's music teachers, should consult the Musicians' Directory, published on the Dramatic and Musical page of the Saturday "News."

AUTUMN OUTING.
Excursion to Ogden Canyon.

Sunday, Sept. 23rd, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip to Ogden only \$1.00. Train leaves 9:45 a. m. Bicycles carried free.

Z. C. M. L. Military Display.
A beautiful exhibit for the Ladies, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 24, 25 and 26.

LIFE OF A PIONEER.
Autobiography of Capt. James S. Brown, 320 pages, bound in cloth. Price \$2.00; for sale at the Deseret News. Special terms to agents.

OPALULE EXCUR