

The Judge and the Mummy.

Less than a hundred years ago an antiquary returning from Grand Cairo, brought a mummy with him, presumed to be at least 3,600 years old. Our *savant*, tired of the diligences in which he had been traveling from Marseilles, took a barge at Fontainebleau, which landed him safe and sound at Fort St. Bernard. Eager to see his family, he had his effects loaded on a litter, but left his precious mummy in the bottom of the boat. The custom-house officer, on boarding it discovered a box of a strange shape and aspect. Thinking it contained contraband goods, he had it opened. What a spectacle. A woman, swathed in linen bandages from head to foot! No doubt this was a wretched victim strangled by a jealous lover or grasping heir. The commissary of police was instantly sent for, and made his appearance, flanked by two surgeons as skilful as himself in archaeology. The crime was recognized, a report made of it, and the body transported to the *Morgue* that the friends might come and identify it. It is presumed that none of them made their appearance. Our learned traveler, however, in taking an inventory of his effects the next day, bethought himself of his greatest curiosity. He flew to the boat, when the learned commissary and three minions of the law seized him and took him before the magistrate.

"Ah! my fine fellow," cried the judge, "we've got you."

"Will your honor favor me with the reason of this extraordinary proceeding?"

"It remains for you, sir, to explain the circumstances of the murder you have committed."

"Murder?"

"That is the word, sir."

"The murder that I have committed!" cried the *savant*, aghast.

"Or at least the crime in which you were an accomplice."

"Good heavens! your worship is dreaming."

"Ah! dreaming, am I? No sir; you'll find me wide awake to your cost. The eye of justice never closes. Did not my vigilant officers discover the body of your victim strangled and shut up in a box? Here's the report of the discovery, duly sealed, signed and attested, sir."

"Is that all?" said the antiquary, with a hearty laugh.

"Hardened ruffian," cried the judge, "do you indulge in levity with the shadow of a crime so black hanging over your head? Now, sir, look me in the face and answer the questions I shall put. By whom was that young girl placed in the box in which she was discovered?"

"By myself, sir."

"Mr. Clerk, please take down his confession," said the magistrate. "Who swathed her with linen bandages from head to foot?"

"I did your honor."

"Write down, Mr. Clerk, that he admits his horrid crime."

"The expression is rather strong, sir."

"The deed was heinous. How old was this unfortunate girl?"

"About nineteen years."

"Of what country?"

"Memphis, I think."

"Fancy importing a girl such a distance to murder her! When did her death take place?"

"Three thousand six hundred years ago."

"Prisoner, how dare you indulge in this misplaced levity?"

"I am not joking, sir. I assure you the deceased lived in the reign of one of the Pharaohs," insisted the antiquary.

"I'll put the handcuffs on you, rascal."

"Your honor," said the prisoner, sternly, "this pleasantry has been carried too far. And let me say, sir, that you are the most marvelously ignorant man that ever sat upon a judicial bench. Where were you brought up, that you haven't even suspected that for two days you have been holding an inquest on the pretended murder of an Egyptian mummy?"

"A mummy?"

"Of course, sir; and if you had conducted your examination properly, you would know that you are addressing Count de D—, a member of the Academy of Inscription and Belles-Lettres."

"My lord," said the judge, "I beg a thousand pardons. I hope your lordship will forget—"

"I will forget everything. Give me my mummy, and try in future to obtain experts who will come a little nearer than three or four thousand years in guessing at the date of a person's death."

The police magistrate, very much mortified at his blunder, gave up the mummy, but he never heard the last of the story.

Confined to the Case.

"May it please the court," said a windy lawyer before a Dutch Alderman, "this is a case of the greatest importance; while the American eagle, whose sleepless eye watches over the welfare of this mighty Republic, and whose wings extend from the Alleghanies to the rocky chains of the West, was rejoicing in his pride of place—"

"Shtop dare! shtop, I say; what has dis-

suit to do mit eagles? It has nothing to do mit de wild bird; it is von sheep!" exclaimed the Alderman.

"True, your honor, but my client has rights,"

"Your client has no right to de eagle!"

"Of course not; but the laws of language—"

"Vot cares I for de laws of language, eh?"

I understand de laws of the State, and dat

ish enough for me. Confine your talk to de gase."

"Well, then, my client, the defendant in this case, is charged with stealing a sheep, and—"

"Dat will do! dat will do! Your client ish charged mit stealing a sheep, shust nine shillins. The gase is adjourned."

General Notices.

Fencing Materials Wanted.

I wish to make arrangements with some person, to furnish at my farm, near W. Lemmon's, in Mill Creek Ward, a quantity of **POSTS AND POLES**, for fencing. 14-1 E. SMITH.

FOUND.

A large dark red COW, branded S. G. S., the owner can have the property by proving claim and paying charges to Wm. HAZLEHURST. 14-2 Red Butte Canyon.

WEST & HAMMOND.

ARE MANUFACTURING LEATHER, BOOTS, SHOES, HARNESS, SADDLES, &c., at Ogden City, and are prepared to fill orders in their line on short notice. Produce, Bark and Oil taken in exchange for manufactures. A liberal price paid for Hides in store, pay or articles manufactured in the establishment. 1-1f

TAKE NOTICE.

WE are in possession of the "PUBLIC MACHINE SHOP," situated about one quarter of a mile west of the "Sugar House," where we expect to make Cast and Wrought Iron Machinery for the public, as may be agreed upon. We want, in exchange, coke, coal, old cast and wrought iron, cash, produce, &c. 11-1f Z. W. DERRICK, NATHAN DAVIS.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of Dr. Darwin Richardson, late of G. S. L. County, deceased, are requested to come forward and cancel said indebtedness without delay; and all persons having claims or demands against said estate will please present them as I am anxious to settle up the business of said estate at the earliest practicable date. 13-3 JANE C. RICHARDSON, Administratrix.

NULLI IN SECUNDUM.

I HAVE rented the Lath and Shingle mill at the mouth of Mill Creek Canyon, G. S. L. County, owned by Joseph Stallings. Those who wish to purchase good laths and shingles, will do well to give me a call. I will take work on store pay or anything eatable. No tick. N. B.—Sawing done on shares. 13-3m DANIEL G. BRAIN.

ESTRAYED.

I have in my possession another 4 year old COW, red head and neck, the body white, with large red spots on her sides. Branded with a heart on her left side, and M on the left hip, a T above the heart. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away. JOHN E. FORSGREEN. 14-2 Moran, Sanpete County.

CARPENTERS WANTED!!!

TWO or three good HOUSE JOINERS can find constant employment, on application to the undersigned, in Manti City, Sanpete County, U. T. Wages good. Parties can refer to Bishop A. S. Moffat, Manti, or can communicate with me. SOLOMON C. CASE. 14-3 Manti City, Sanpete Co. U. T.

FRUITS IN THEIR SEASON.

AT the garden of CHARLES R. OLIPHANT, 12th Ward, first door east of the School House, may be found in their season, choice varieties of FRUITS, FLOWERS and VEGETABLES.

A large quantity of the common STRAWBERRY will soon be ready for market, for which flour will be taken in exchange. All orders left at D. Greng's Bakery will receive prompt attention. 14-1f

OFFICE, A. A. Q. M.,
FORT BRIDGER, U. T., May 20th, 1861.

SEALED PROPOSALS,

Endorsed "PROPOSALS FOR FUEL"

Will be received at this office, until the 1st of JULY next, for supplying this Post with

1000 CORDS OF PINE WOOD,

To be of good, sound and merchantable quality, to measure 125 cubic feet to the cord. To be delivered on or before the 1st of November next.

BIDS WILL BE OPENED at 10 o'clock A. M., 1st JULY.

F. S. ARMISTEAD,
2d. Lieut. 10th Infantry, A. A. Q. M.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

Endorsed "Proposals for Hay and Straw"

Will be received at this office until the 1st of JULY next, for supplying the United States Quartermaster's Department at this Post, with

90 TONS OF HAY,

15 " STRAW.

Both to be of good and merchantable quality, and to be equal in quality to the average of that produced in the country. To be delivered on or before the 1st of November next.

BIDS WILL BE OPENED at 10 o'clock A. M., 1st JULY.

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

Endorsed "PROPOSALS FOR GRAIN"

Will be received at this office until the 1st of JULY next, for supplying the United States Quartermaster's Department at this Post, with

3000 BUSHELS OF OATS.

The whole to be clean and of good merchantable quality. To be delivered on or before the 1st day of November next.

BIDS WILL BE OPENED at 10 o'clock A. M., 1st JULY.

F. S. ARMISTEAD,
2d. Lieut. 10th Infantry, A. A. Q. M.

General Notices.

WANTED

ALL kinds of FURS, for which a liberal price will be paid. Also Saxony sheep and Lamb's Wool, Firewood, &c. 1-1f JOSEPH L. HEYWOOD.

SNELGROVE & LOWE,

PREMIUM BOOT MAKERS, East Temple street, opposite Gilbert & Gerrish's. 11f
Fine and Fancy Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, &c., made to order on the shortest notice.

A. MINER,

ATTORNEY and COUNSELOR-AT-LAW; Office, on East Temple Street, G. S. L. City, U. T., three doors below Staines, and Needham's; will practice in all the courts of the Territory; will execute deeds, mortgages, leases, letters of attorney, &c.
Particular attention paid to collections. All business entrusted to his care faithfully attended to. 11f

SADDLE TREES.

I HAVE a few hundred dollars worth of No. 1 SADDLE TREES on hand, which I will exchange for stock, wheat, corn, beef, wool, rolls, hay, wood, lumber, &c., at a fair price; a premium on cash or merchandise. Promises, with good security, will be received at 75 per cent. discount, in some few cases only, as that is a losing game generally. Prompt pay or no trade is the only safe way. L. JACKMAN.
Two blocks west of Union Square, 16th Ward, G. S. L. City.

WHEAT RECEIVED IN PAYMENT OF TAXES.

HAVING been authorized by the County Court to receive wheat on taxes, due the County of Great Salt Lake, at \$1.50 per bushel, delivered at A. & R. Gardner's mill, on Big Cottonwood, those wishing to liquidate their taxes in that way, will take notice, that receipts for wheat thus delivered, will be received in payment for County Taxes on presentation at my office, at the Court House, in Great Salt Lake City, till further notice is given, or the amount wanted shall have been delivered. 1-1f R. T. BURTON, Assessor and Collector.

CITY MARKET.

I have now opened a market in this city, on First South Street, where I will endeavor to keep for sale all articles in the

MEAT AND PROVISION

Line, and by strict attention to business and accommodation to customers will endeavor to merit a share of public patronage.
WANTED:—Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Bees, Sheep, Pork and Grain. 11f J. R. CLAWSON.

VALLEY TAN.

MRS. C. R. SAVAGE respectfully announces that she is prepared to make, clean and alter all kinds of LADIES', GENTS' and CHILDREN'S

STRAW HATS AND BONNETS, in the latest style, at moderate prices.

N. B.—An assortment of BRAIDS constantly on hand. House on Emigration street, three houses east of the State road, north side. 4-1f

NOTICE.

I WILL SELL Pure FLAX SEED OIL for five dollars, in cash, a gallon; and will pay two dollars and fifty cents, in cash, for a bushel of good flax seed; and will exchange oil for flax seed, at the rate of one half gallon of oil, for one bushel of flax seed. Persons wishing to buy, sell or exchange, as aforesaid, can be accommodated by calling upon Archibald N. Hill, at the General Tithing Office, in G. S. L. City. HEBER C. KIMBALL. 6-1f

PAY FOR BURYING YOUR DEAD.

GRATEFUL indulgence has been allowed to persons indebted for Grave Yard Lots and Funeral expenses for the burial of their friends, but all persons so indebted are now notified that they MUST PAY IMMEDIATELY, or their accounts will be turned over to the proper court for collection.

Some persons have left the city without settling their accounts. Those accounts will be sent for collection unless they attend to them forthwith.

City, County and Territorial orders and grain will be received in payment. J. C. LITTLE, G. S. L. City Sexton. 11f

MRS. DENNING, MILLINER,

LATE OF NEW YORK,

ANNOUNCES TO THE LADIES OF GREAT SALT LAKE CITY AND VICINITY,

THAT SHE HAS COMMENCED THE MILLINERY BUSINESS,

In all its branches, and hopes, by her long experience and strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

RESIDENCE—in the 13th Ward, nearly opposite the Assembly Rooms.

N. B.—All sorts of produce taken in payment. 12-3m

HOME SPUN.

20th WARD WEAVING FACTORY.

THE Subscriber begs to inform Wool Carders and others that is prepared to work, on shares, WOOL into Jeans, Linseys, Carce, Blankets, Sheets, Petticoats, Shawls, or any kind of cloth that can be made in the Territory. He will also exchange cloths of every kind for wool or produce.

Ladies' Summer Skirts for Sale; Hoop Skirts repaired. THOMAS LYON. 11-1f Two blocks east and one block north of Bishop Sharp.

NOTICE.

NEW CARDING MACHINE IN BRIGHAM CITY.

BOX ELDER CARDING MACHINE is in the hands of good and experienced workmen, and is now in operation. Those bringing wool from a distance will be accommodated immediately. (11-3m) L. SNOW.

CALIFORNIA WINE.

A pure article of PORT and WHITE WINE, the best ever brought to this market, \$1 per pint, \$6 50 by the gallon. N. H. FELT. 14-2 Jordan Mills Depot.

"EVERY MAN TO HIS TRADE."

THOMAS HAWKES,

UMBRELLA and PARASOL MAKER. Ladies finding their own materials, can have their parasols covered with gingham for 50cts., and with silk or satin for 75cts. Parasols and umbrellas neatly repaired on short notice. STAND, at Foster's Soap Factory, opposite Gilbert & Gerrish's Store. 14-3

NOTICE.

WM. HOWARD respectfully informs his friends and the public in general that he has opened in connection with his Boot and Shoe Manufactory, a

SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP,

AT THE OLD STAND OF THE "PONY EXPRESS," EAST TEMPLE STREET,

where will be found a variety of Plain and Fancy Saddles and Bridles, and all other articles in connection with the trade.

In the BOOT and SHOE line he is prepared to fill orders to any amount, and on the shortest notice, for all of which he will take in Exchange all kinds of Hides, Sheep and Dog Skins, Oil, Tallow, Butter, Pork, Beef, Flour, Bark, &c., and at the highest market price. AN work done on the premises warranted to give entire satisfaction. 1-1f

Dry Goods and Groceries

NEW ARRIVALS FROM THE EAST
At Livingston, Bell & Co's.

LIVINGSTON, BELL & CO. would respectfully tender thanks to their many friends, patrons for past favors, while they have again to announce the arrival, within a few days, of two trains of 60 wagons, loaded with a very large and superior selection of NEW GOODS.

FURTHER REDUCTIONS IN PRICES

May be expected on many items independent of the supply or demand in market. We invite an early call to examine our stock.

A full assortment of citizen's as well as Sutter's goods kept at our store in Camp Floyd, where, as well as in Salt Lake City, Country Dealers can be supplied at wholesale, on liberal terms.

50 light Chicago wagons and several hundred head of superior work Oxen also for sale.

1-1f LIVINGSTON, BELL & CO.

STAINES, NEEDHAM & CO.

We, the undersigned, have received from the EASTERN STATES A CHOICE ASSORTMENT of

DRY GOODS

—AND—

GROCERIES.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

— ALSO —

STATIONERY, CROCKERY WARE,

—AND—

FANCY NOTIONS

And in addition thereto having purchased the entire Stock of Messrs. HOCKADAY & BURR, we are prepared to TRADE for

Cash, Cattle, Wheat or Flour,
ON REASONABLE TERMS!!!

1-1f STAINES, NEEDHAM & Co.

REMOVED.

HOOPER, ELDREDGE & CO.

HAVE Removed to the CORNER STORE lately occupied by C. A. Perry & Co., and are NOW OPENING A NEW and SPLENDID LOT of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS,

CONSISTING IN PART OF

Beautiful Styles of light and dark Prints, Lawns, Dress Goods, Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets, Cottonades and Jeans, Coatings, Trimmings, Notions and Bonnet Ribbons.

Hats, Boots, Shoes, Gaiters. Our supply of Ladies', Children's and Infants' Booties and Shoes cannot be surpassed. Also,

GROCERIES

of every Description.

HARDWARE and CUTLERY—a complete stock.

Hay and Grass Scythes, Hay Forks, Hoes, Spades, Shovels; Oils, Paints and Putty. A good assortment of Dye Stuffs.

We would call attention to our large stock of well-selected

TEAS,

which we offer at wholesale and retail.

FOR SALE FOR CASH.

400 Head of WORK CATTLE.

50 Head of MULES.

60 Head of HORSES.

G. S. L. City, March, 1861.—31f

AHEAD OF TIME.

FIRST ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS.

THE Undersigned take pleasure to inform the Public that their MULE TRAIN is expected to arrive in a few days, loaded with a

GOOD SELECTION OF

STAPLE GROCERIES,

Consisting, in part, of Tobacco, carefully selected for this market. TEA of the best brands, COFFEE, SUGAR, ROPE, NAILS, and other goods too numerous to mention, which will be sold at the

Lowest Figures for Cash.

Grain, Butter and Eggs will be taken in Exchange. 9-1 J. CALISHER & CO.

WALKER BROTHERS,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS,

EAST TEMPLE STREET,

G. S. L. CITY,

AND MAIN STREET, FAIRFIELD,

FORT CRITENDEN.

HATTING!

THE subscriber hereby gives notice to the public that he has resumed the above business, at his old stand in the 17th ward, G. S. L. City, one block north of Temple Street. 1-1f JOSEPH L. HEYWOOD.