SECOND EDITION.

DESERET EVENING NEWS.

Thursday, December 24, 1891.

FRAGMENTS.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

SEVERAL parties are to be met in all parts of the city.

THE Hon. C. P. Ferry will leave this evening for California.

THERE are messages at the Western Union Telegraph office for W. M. Hendrickson and Mrs. Louise C. Knight.

THE I. O. O. F. social club gave an entertainment last night in the Odd Fellows' hall, at the O. A. H. 300. The attendance was large.

EXAMINER STUCKEY, from the Department of the Interior at Washington, has gone to Provo to examine claims for the relief of the Utah County Canal Company.

MR. MORRIS has been released from the penitentiary. He was sentenced at Ogden, on May 23rd, last, to two years' imprisonment, for burglary.

THE Tabernacle choir will not meet this evening. The regular rehearsal will take place on Saturday night for the week.

THE Pennsylvania sanatorium did not hold its meeting last night as had been arranged, owing to the unfavorable weather. The 25th inst. is the date now fixed upon.

THE large amount of snow which has fallen recently is benefiting largely with the running of the mines, especially where the road leads pass through mountain gorges.

THE afternoon the programme of exercises of the Utah Teachers' Association, to begin December 30th and close on the 31st, inclusive, was handed in, but was too late for an extended notice.

THE Rio Grande Western Railway company has purchased a premise on to enforcing its agents at Ashcroft, Pa., to distribute a turkey or coal among the poor people at that place.

EXAMINER CHARLES CRAWLEY DOCKERY will not file his report in the Glendale contest proceedings until the new year, but in time for its presentation to the Judges of the Territorial Supreme court.

DETECTIVE CLARK yesterday found a man's hat on the sidewalk near the Eighth Ward schoolhouse. It was completely covered with blood. How it came there is a question that has not yet been answered.

ABOUT 5 o'clock this morning a Rio Grande Western engine, and the train it brought was commenced. The damage was nominal. The cause of the small blaze was the spilling of some fuel oil on the floor.

JOHN TAGGART, an Ogden man, has petitioned the Governor to grant him a pardon. He has already served eighteen months of a six months' sentence and a fine of $500 in the Ogden jail for having burglars tools in his possession.

THE Union Pacific will sell excursion tickets to Ogden on January 10, including admission to the "Palmyra" opera, and supper at the Bed House, for $1.50, without supper, $1. Reserved seats for the performance can be secured at the Union Pacific office in this city.

PETER NIELSEN, the chronic petit larceny man, was before Justice Cole late yesterday afternoon on a charge of larceny—new offense, so far as known, but old as regard to amount—and was held to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of $500. Being unable to secure bondsmen, he was sent back to jail.

THE gentlemen who are to engage in the tug-of-war contest, to commence tonight, greeted the sounds this afternoon of heated by the Americans, and all wearing the colors of their native countries. The Dessaers have acknowledged the compliment paid it by the music of the band and the cheers of the valiant warriors.

CLERK BADGER, of the Supreme Court, has entered upon the court docket the adjudged appeals from the First District court: W. H. Anstee and W. H. Dwyer, vs. William Gerhart and the Salt Lake and River Waterworks and Irrigation company. Charles R. Ford vs. William Lowe, as administrator of the estate of John Sweeney, deceased.

Regarding Registration.

City Registrar Sells has issued the following notice, of which voters should take cognizance and govern themselves accordingly:

The monthly registrars will hold session in the dining room of the Metropolitan Hotel, corner of Third South and West Temple streets, from 9 to 11 a. m., and from 1 to 4 and 7 to 9 o'clock p.m., commencing Monday, Dec. 28, and closing on the 3rd day of January, 1892, for the purpose of entering on the registry list of any persons in said city the name of any voter which may have been omitted and to make other corrections.

"Society and Government."

The above is the topic of Mr. Ellis' lecture in the Theatre next Sunday evening. It is one of a course of lectures designed to educate the mechanism, so to speak, of the American government, like addresses being delivered in the immediate upon which the great engine of public business rests. It is a grand subject and the lecturer will doubtless handle it in his usual thorough manner. It is safe to say that, whether the people agree with the speaker or not, to hear the lecture will be an hour well and profitably spent. Mr. Ellis whenever he speaks to say that he is assured he can announce good music as "Prospect" to his wise of thought. All are cordially invited and if the evening is not "foul," the speaker will undoubtedly be greeted by a "good house."

No Longer Twain.

Yesterday, December 23rd, at Logan, Mr. Frank Palmer and Miss Pauline Williams were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer, of Logan, and the bride, a most accomplished young lady, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Williams, of the Twelfth ward, this city. The reception will take place tonight—Christmas Eve—at the residence of the bride's parents. We join a host of friends of the happy couple in wishing them joy and prosperity.

A New Company.

The Argentine Mining company has filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk. The objects announced are the buying, selling, leasing, working and developing of mining property. The capital stock is fixed at $500,000, divided into 500,000 shares at $1 each. The trustees and stockholders are: Jos. H. Craig, 50,000 shares; C. D. Hanks, 50,000; J. J. Spears, 50,000; Alex McKenzie, 50,000; C. F. Loofbourow, 50,000; C. F. Dieing, 50,000; treasury stock 40,000.

The officers are: Alex McKenzie, president; C. D. Hanks, vice president; E. M. Ellis, secretary; C. F. Dieing, treasurer. The principal place of business is to be at Salt Lake City.

THAT ARREST.

The "Tribune's" Denial a Practical Admission of the Facts as Stated by the "Deseret News."

The Salt Lake Tribune of this morning pretends to be greatly exercised over an account which appeared in these columns last evening of the arrest of one of its reporters by a policeman on Tuesday night in L. A. on a charge of drunkenness and discharging firearms within the city limits, thus endangering the lives of others.

It also commits to the statement that Judge Powers suddenly appeared at police headquarters where the "drunken reporter had was taken, and ordered by him from the City Hall under the protection of the policemen who had brought him there, and that the judge had not anything but good-natured chaff for the officer who made the arrest."

Now, the Tribune's account is a deliberate lie in this matter. It says that "the reporter in question was not at the time of his arrest a reporter on the Tribune." For this we quote that it is simply of general knowledge to public officers that the person in question has been a regular member of the editorial staff of that paper; if he was not such "at the time of his arrest," then the writer has only been there one week with a very few hours before. It is true that he was "laid off" a few months ago, but it is also true that he was occupying some time since, but little longer and the Tribune, "that is neither here nor there," as the matter is being dealt with in the slightest degree justify the action of Judge Powers, not to speak with the fact that a well known "journal" newspaper man, who has been arrested by the local peace officers on a charge of committing an infraction of the municipal ordinances, was taken from the police by the Judge of the Supreme bench and brought before the "Tribune" party. That is what is objected to.

Amusement Notes.

Judging from the demand for tickets for the performance of "Pinafore" tonight, there will be a crowded house. The company are in excellent order in every respect.

"CLEOPATRA'S CAPE"

is the new attraction at the Theatre. The season opens Monday night, December 28th.

WONDERLAND.

The unusually week entertaining bicycle troupe several new and wonderful feats in their exhibition of that popular pleasure mount.

THE GRAND CONCERT.

Tomorrow night the great Tabernacle will be radiant with lights, and filled with youth, age, and middle-aged to enjoy the music to be rendered.

The choice of 500 juveniles are all to good time, and the quarter of a hundred adults, Mr. Stoker from Cogley, Reader Dean Allison, Co. Hooker and Walter Lowenrank (both gentlemen having now arrived from Logan) are also in splendid voice.

The general public are requested to enter the building at the east end, lower floor and gallery, leaving the south side entrance for the aged, cripples and orphans.

Tickets will be in evidence on the grounds and near the entrances. The concert will commence at half past seven, and gates at 6 o'clock will open at half past six. The old folks' committee will look after the guests of the occasion. It will all be a fitting close to a "merry Christmas."

An Afflicted Family.

As will be seen by a death notice in another column, two sons of James and Amelia Walton, of the Fifteenth Ward, aged respectively eleven and three years, died last night from that dread disease, diphtheria.

Three others of the family are down with the same complaint. One of these, Sister Eliza, aged fourteen years, is in a dangerous condition. Such terrible afflictions call forth our deepest sympathy.

On the 15th of the present month, Brother and Sister Baiser lost their only two children from the same disease. These children were nieces of these now dead.

Another cousin, a daughter of John N. and Lucia J. Lees, died of the same complaint on the 22d of November last. These children, although so closely related, did not visit the afflicted ones at any time while they were ill, neither have they been exposed to the disease elsewhere.

These five little ones will be laid side by side in the city cemetery.

No Lives Lost.

The welcome news comes over the wires to the effect that in the disaster to the Sol. d'Algesiolas all on board were saved. Among the passengers were three Elders from Utah. They were: J. H. Richards, St. Joseph, Arizona; Ira T. Williams, Hyrum, Cache county; Joseph M. Rich, Fayson, Utah county.

Anniversary Party.

Last evening a social party, in honor of the eighty-sixth anniversary of the birthday of the Prophet Joseph Smith, was held at the residence of Sister E. D. Rowley, in the Sixteenth ward. Among the guests were President Joseph F. Smith, Patriarch John Smith and Bishop Kesler. The evening was spent pleasantly in listening to instrumental and vocal music, and the recital of many interesting incidents connected with the life and labors of the Prophet.

Attention.

The parents and Sunday school children connected with the Sunday schools of the twenty-three wards of the city are particularly invited to be present in the Logo Tabernacle on Christmas afternoon to witness and participate in the interesting exercises in connection with the presentation of United States flags to each of the twenty-three public school wards.

For further particulars see the programme published in the issue of the News of the 8th and the Salt Lake Herald of this morning. Doors open at 2:30 and exercises commence at 3:30 p. m. sharp.

GEORGE Q. CANNON,
EDWARD SCOWCROFT,
JOHN MORGAN,
General Superintendency Deseret Sunday School Union.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 24, 1891.

THE LATE BISHOP SHARP.

Further Expressions of Sympathy with the Relatives of the Deceased.

At a special meeting of our board of directors of the Deseret National bank, held this day, the following was adopted: The directors of the Deseret National bank desire to place upon record their profound sorrow at the death of President John Sharp, who was called away on the 23rd of December, 1891, in the 72nd year of his age. There can be it

Resolved, That, while the loss and sorrow of Deseret National bank, which is a part of the loss and sorrow of the community at large, we bow in submission to the will of our Heavenly Father, who has called our beloved President to his rest, and we do hereby tender our sympathy and condolence to the family and relatives of our departed President