

Wednesday, December 22, 1869.

## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

**THEATRICAL.**—Last night the beautiful play of "Hunted Down" was repeated. The different characters of the piece, as on Saturday evening, were well sustained. The concluding farce of the "Artful Dodger" was much enjoyed.

The favorite drama, in five acts, of the "Hidden Hand," will be played to-night, in which Kate Denin sustains the character of "Capitola," Mr. Wilson that of "Colonel Gilbert Le Noir," and Mr. D. McKenzie that of "Major Warfield." A McKinzie old veteran. Messrs. Lindsay and Graham will appear as "Donald Bayne" and "Hubert Greyson," with Mr. Harris in his favorite personation of "Wool." A Negro attendant. The remainder of the characters are well distributed among the company.

The "Hidden Hand" is a lively and interesting piece, full of abrupt, yet agreeable transactions, spicy humor, and the dialogue is interspersed with many striking passages. In the course of the piece, Kate Denin will sing a song, and Miss Clive will dance the "Mississippi Fling."

**U. C. R. R.—**A telegram to President Young, received late last night from Ogden, says that the U. C. R. R. Co. have now four miles of spikes on hand and enough fish plate to complete the road; also thirty-eight cars of iron at Ogden and Farmington, and built for thirty-three cars more that were expected shortly.

**RESIGNATION AND APPOINTMENT.**—P. Lynch Esq., for so many years clerk of the Court of the Third Judicial District of Utah, has resigned that position. The Hon. Stephen A. Mann, Secretary of State for the Territory, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

**SOCIAL PARTY.**—A social party was held last evening at the Union Hall, for the benefit of the 17th Ward Female Relief Society, whose members, being desirous of relieving the wants of the poor of the ward, took this method of raising funds. The committee were Mrs. R. M. Carrington, Mrs. A. Kimball, Mrs. R. Clayton, Mrs. G. A. Alder, The committee of arrangements were Messrs. George A. Alder, Robert Golding and W. H. H. Shaper. The floor manager was Mr. A. Doremus.

The party was a most agreeable and pleasant one; the music provided for the occasion was excellent and dancing was kept up till a late or rather early hour. An excellent supper was provided by the lady committee for the musicians and the invited guests. During the evening the most good feeling prevailed and all seemed to enjoy themselves. We trust that the party realized as much as was anticipated.

**THE FOURTEENTH WARD FAIR.**—We paid a visit this morning to the Fair at the Fourteenth Ward Assembly Rooms, held under the auspices of the Female Relief Society of the Ward, and were highly pleased with what we saw there, more especially so when we thought of the commendable object which the ladies of the Society seek to attain by the exhibition and sale of their productions. Round the room are the stalls of the fair members of the Society, tastefully decorated with evergreens and crowded with the products of their skillful fingers, interspersed with toys, dolls, miniature furniture, &c., &c. At one end of the hall is the refreshment hall, supplied with fruit, candies, cakes, &c. At the other end is the center of attraction, the Christmas cake, containing within it the *terra incognita* of its sweets the gold, silver, and the portion of some lucky fellow, and afterwards we opine of some fortunate maiden. Nor are the articles exhibited of the least value; only suits of children's clothes, and vestments of various descriptions for the babies, elegant bed quilts and much else we cannot remember. We, however, especially noticed the beautiful fruit in wax,—so natural, so tempting,—the work of Sister Wilson, to which we must give a word of special praise. The Fair will be open to-morrow and Friday, from nine in the morning to the same hour in the evening, and all who would lend a helping hand to the Society should not fail to pay our sisters a flying visit, and thus enable them to accomplish their purpose of erecting a building suitable for their meeting and in which they can labor, to greater advantage in that work of love to which God and the priesthood have called them.

**DIED** yesterday of heart disease, at his residence in the 18th Ward, Elder William Ross Bollen.

The deceased had not been well for some three or four days, but had sufficiently recovered as to be able to attend to his business, that of a tailor. He was working for Bro. L. D. Young yesterday, seemed in good spirits and did not appear to be laboring under any disease. Bro. Ross Bollen rose from his bed yesterday morning and had partially dressed himself when he seemed to have been taken suddenly and violently ill. His little girl who was in the room at the time, called for her mother. Bro. L. D. Young happened to be in the house, at this moment stepped into the deceased's room, and found him in a fainting condition, laid him on the bed and tried to relieve him; but in vain. The deceased breathed three or four times and then expired.

Wm. Ross Bollen was born on the 18th of June, 1808, in the Parish of New Haven, Suffolk Co., England. Was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Seacombe, Cheshire, and was ordained an Elder the 15th day of Nov., 1849, by Elder Milo Andrus and Wm. Kent. He emigrated to this country on the 28th of March, 1853, arriving here Oct. 18th, 1853, and was ordained a High Priest under the hands of Elder Orson Spencer. He has resided in the 15th Ward for some twelve years, has always been a faithful member of the church, and was much respected by those who knew him. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss.

**INFORMATION WANTED.**—Before Colonel Head, the late Superintendent of Indian Affairs, left this city to visit California, he arranged with brother J. S. Allen, of Dixie, to forward him specimens of the cactus plant, several varieties of which grow in the Southern part of the Territory.

Under date of October 31st, brother Allen wrote to the Colonel that he had then sent up by a Mr. Hoyt. The letter was sent to the Colonel in California, and the plants doubtless also reached the city while he was absent. He is desirous to learn something about them, as the probability is that the Mr. Hoyt referred to has left them with some of his friends. Any information respecting them will be a favor to Colonel Head. It can be left at this office.

## Died.

In Draper, Salt Lake County, Dec. 5th, 1869, of paralysis and inflammation, Delilah, wife of Andrew J. Allen, aged 59 years, 6 months and 22 days.

Deceased was born May 4th, 1819, in Marion Co., Illinois. During her infancy, her father (Archibald Andrus) and the remainder of the family moved to the State of Tennessee, and from thence, in 1838, came to Kentucky. She was married April 29, 1831. In connection with her husband she repeatedly had the privilege of hearing the Elders of Israel promulgating the principles of "Mormonism," and so impressed were they of the truths thereof that they sold their possessions and followed the Church to Nauvoo, and were baptized April 18th, by Elder A. O. Smoot. They joined the companies of Saints who were journeying west, and wintered at Old Winter Quarters, resuming the journey the following spring, and arrived in Salt Lake Valley, Nov. 25th, 1847. She passed through the privations in common with the first settlers, but was never known to murmur or complain. She was the mother of fourteen children, seven of whom survive her; and through a period of nearly 24 years was entirely devoted to the cause of "Truth and Virtue." Her family and numerous friends mourn her loss. She calmly fell asleep, in full faith and fellowship with the Saints of God.

In Photo, Washington Co., Dec. 10, 1869, of Mary Kneel, aged 6 years and 11 months.

In Rhodes Valley, U. T., November 29, 1869, of John H. and Jane E. Lemon, daughter of John H. and Jane E. Lemon, aged 1 year and 9 days.

In Kirkham Gate, near Wakefield, Yorkshire, England, Mary Ann, daughter of James and Mary Greenwood, aged 1 year, 5 months and 8 days—*Milwaukee Star*, Dec. 1st.

## A GENTILE'S VIEW OF THE MORMONS.

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 17, 1869.

I am a stranger in your midst, having arrived here for the first time some few weeks since; consequently, what I may say in this brief article is but the first impression of a stranger.

I have often heard, as I presume others have, what a wicked people the "Mormons" are, and how dangerous it is for Gentiles to go among them, to remain even for a brief period, as their lives are in danger. I have already proven the falsity of this assertion, and believing that justice should be given where it is due, I write to contradict this falsehood as well as others which I will mention. I have repeatedly heard ideas advanced, in regard to your people, touching their daily lives, which, upon acquaintance with them, I find entirely false and without foundation. I had been led to believe that some of your religious ideas lead directly to immorality, and that I should find you very low in spiritual culture, while abounding in grossness and sensuality of every description. In this I find I was also much mistaken. I have travelled somewhat extensively in our country, and resided in nine different States, and frequently in different towns and cities in the same State. I have spent much time in Boston, New York, Chicago, San Francisco and other large towns and cities, and feel competent to speak understandingly of what is called the first circles of society among the evangelical churches, and those considered orthodox in religious faith; and truth compels me to say, I have never met with a people so free from those habits that lead directly to sensualism, and immorality of every kind as I meet here.

One of the first things I noticed upon our arrival in your settlements, was an entire freedom from drunkenness and profanity. This being so marked, and different from what I had ever seen before, it at once arrested my attention. As we were passing through one of the southern settlements, a man came to our wagon and asked if we had any wine. "No," we would answer. He then had been sick a long time, he thought a little would benefit her; but he could procure none in town. Thus I learned that it was not sold or used by the people, and being the first town I was ever in in my life where liquor could not be procured in abundance, I could thank God that I had found one spot on earth where the demon alcohol was not sold, to degrade and destroy men and their families. I have not seen a single instance of intoxication in your city since our arrival, now some five weeks ago. I am much pleased with your habits of temperance and total abstinence in many directions, not only in the use of alcoholic drinks, but in that of tobacco, tea and coffee. The use of tobacco by man is truly abominable. How extremely offensive to those unaccustomed to its fumes! How repulsive it makes those who use it; their breath is so offensive as frequently to produce nausea and sickness upon persons of sensitive organizations. I have suffered much by being compelled to sit for an hour or two in church, or lecture-room near those using the filthy weed, to say nothing of those who have the audacity to go into people's presence with a pipe or cigar in their mouths, thus polluting the atmosphere others are compelled to breathe.

I have heard, also, there is not a gambling house or house of prostitution in your whole city, and although I find it not a "Mormon," I must admit that your habits of life are a thousand percent superior to those of the persons who denounce you so bitterly. I have said this much in commendation of the habits of your citizens, because I love sobriety, chastity and uprightness among any people, and I find your citizens, as a class, possess more practical christianity in many things, than any class of people I have ever met before.

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Lots 2 and 3 in Block sixteen (16), also Lots 2 and 3 in Block forty-one (41), as platted in plat D, of Great Salt Lake City Survey, situated in the 20th Ward of said city, and containing one hundred square rods each, being in said City of Salt Lake, and Territory of Utah.

In trust, however, to secure an overdraft on the Banking account of Watt, Sleater & Alox, in the Banking House of Hussey, Dahler & Co., in said city, not to exceed ten thousand dollars, and whereas it was conditioned in the said deed of trust, that the said Watt, Sleater & Alox should, within four months from the date of said deed, repay such overdraft, together with interest thereon, at two per cent, per month, and whereas said period of four months has long since elapsed, and there remains unpaid the said sum of ten thousand dollars, together with the interest accrued, amounting at this date to nine hundred and twelve dollars, nineteen cents; the said sum being advanced on checks of said Watt, Sleater & Alox, drawn on Hussey, Dahler & Co., from time to time, subsequent to the date of said deed and within the four months, thereafter, in accordance with the conditions of said deed.

Now, therefore, We, the undersigned Trustees, in pursuance of the terms of said deed of trust, and at the request of the said George D. Watt in said deed mentioned, will, On Thursday, the Thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1869, at the South Front Door of the Court House, in said City of Salt Lake, between the hours of ten o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., of that day, sell the said property of public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy the said debt and interest and costs of this trust.

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